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**THURLES PARISH MASS TIMES:**

**Weekend Masses:**

**Cathedral:** Saturday Vigil 7.00 p.m., Sunday 9.00 a.m. & 11.00 a.m.

**Bóthar na Naomh Church:** Sunday 10.00 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.

**Weekdays:**

**Cathedral:** Monday - Friday: 11.00 a.m. Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 7.00 p.m.

**Bóthar na Naomh:** Tuesday & Thursday: 7.00 p.m. Saturday: 10.00 a.m.

**FOR OUR STREAMING SERVICE ON-LINE visit** [www.thurlesparish.ie](http://www.thurlesparish.ie).

**CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF"  
LOTTO INITIATIVE**

**Weekly Lotto Draw Results March 7<sup>th</sup>: Winning Numbers:**  
**6; 10; 16; 18.**

The jackpot was not won this week.

**Cash Prize €50 to the weekly lucky winner – Nora Doherty, Thurles.**

**Next Draw: March 14<sup>th</sup>, Jackpot: €11,725.00.**

If you wish to join the Parish Lotto by cash payment - One line = €40 for 20 weeks; 3 lines: €100 for 20 weeks and more options available. Please note a mobile number can only be used once, i.e. a separate mobile number for each new member. We take this opportunity to remind you if your 20 week cash membership has almost reached expiry date and you wish to continue supporting Thurles Parish Lotto please call into the Parish Office to renew. If you need clarification on your expiry date, please contact the Parish Office. *If you have not already joined the Lotto, why not take the opportunity to do so now as the prize fund is growing. Alternatively, you can make a donation to the fund if you do not wish to join our Parish Lotto.*

**DIOCESAN SERVICES COLLECTION:** Sincere thanks to all who contributed to this Collection last weekend. Your contribution goes towards supporting necessary pastoral resources for our Diocese. We appreciate your continued generosity.

**WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION:** We are very grateful for your Weekly Offertory Contributions - **€4,477.00** received.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA:** Each month First Saturday Devotion in honour of Our Lady of Fatima in Bóthar na Naomh Church at 9.30 a.m.

**EASTER RAFFLE:** Tickets now available in the Parish Centre – all proceeds to the Cathedral Reroofing Project. Variety of great prizes. (Tickets €2 each or 3 for €5).

**THE CHOSEN:** Returning for Season 2 - the largest crowd funded mini-series of all time, based on the life of Jesus. Showing each Monday night leading into Easter in Lámh Chunta, Bóthar na Naomh @ 7.45 p.m. continuing next Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup>. All are welcome.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** takes place in the Cathedral each day from 11.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Are you available to join our Eucharistic Adorers? Contact the Parish Office.

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY: FRIDAY MARCH 17<sup>th</sup> – MASS TIMES:**

**Cathedral:** Saturday: Vigil Mass 7.00 p.m. Sunday: 9.00 a.m. & 11.00 a.m. **(11.00 am. bilingual - Bearla & Gaeilge).**

**Bóthar na Naomh Church:** Sunday: 10.00 a.m. **(as Gaelige)** & 7.00 p.m.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION GATHERING FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION  
PARENTS, CONFIRMATION PARENTS & CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES:**

We invite you all to a Talk in Bóthar na Naomh Church on **Wednesday March 13<sup>th</sup>** at 7.00 p.m. The Speaker will be Olivia Maher who leads Sacramental Preparation in her local parish of Gortnahoe/Glengoole.

**POLISH MASS:** Sunday March 17<sup>th</sup> at 1.00 p.m. in Presentation Convent. Confession available. Polska Msza Sw odbędzie sie w niedziele 17 marca o godz 1 p.m. w Kaplicy Siostr Presentatin. Mozliwosc Spowiedzi

**CASHEL & EMLY ARCHDIOCESAN 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:** June 14<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>. Pilgrimage Director: Rev. Jimmy Donnelly. **Bookings & Enquires:** Contact Joe Walsh Tours @ [info@joewalshstours.ie](mailto:info@joewalshstours.ie) or – 01 241 0800. **For Assisted Pilgrims only, please contact:** Very Rev. Joe Tynan, PP: on [lourdesassistedpilgrimage@cashel-emly.ie](mailto:lourdesassistedpilgrimage@cashel-emly.ie) or 087 222 5445.

**MUNSTER HOTEL CAR PARK NEW DEVELOPEMNT**

Due to recent developments we are very happy to confirm that the Munster Hotel Car Park will remain open for public use for the next twelve months.

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE:** Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March, **Liberty Square** at 2.30 p.m. Live music and street attractions! Come early to support your local community. Entry forms are available from the Thurles Tourist Office or email [hello@thurlestouristoffice.ie](mailto:hello@thurlestouristoffice.ie)

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SHOP:** Urgently seeking volunteers. Please apply by email to [aliciacolgan.110@gmail.com](mailto:aliciacolgan.110@gmail.com) or call into the shop, look for Alicia, Manager, Monday – Friday.

**THURLES DISTRICT FLOWER & GARDEN CLUB:** Next Meeting Tuesday March 12<sup>th</sup> @ 8.00 p.m. in Order of Malta Hall. Garden Talk by T.J. Maher, Patthana Garden, Wicklow. Non-members welcome. €10 Entrance Fee which includes refreshments.

**MUSICAL SOCIETY BOOKING OFFICE** for Thurles Musical Society's Irish premiere of Big Fish now open at GR8 Events. The show runs in the Premier Hall from Tues. March 19 – Sat. 23rd. Tickets can also be booked at Bookworm on Thursday, Friday and Saturday next, March 14 - 16th, between 11.30am and 2.30pm. Don't miss this chance to see this magnificent show with 70 local people on stage.

**ANAM CARA TIPPERARY:** Next Meeting for Bereaved Parents Wed. March 20<sup>th</sup>, Horse & Jockey Hotel. For further information: [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 085 288 8888.

**NEWLY BAPTISED:** \*Niall Christopher Commins, Kilsheelan, Clonmel.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** †Michael O'Meara, St. Joseph's, Bohernamona Road. †Sally Lee, née Fitzmaurice, Ladyswell formerly Ballyhaunis, Co. Mayo. †Marese Kennedy, Annfield, Bouladuff. †Jean Moloney, née Mason, Charleville formerly Drom. †Mary O'Brien, Mount Pleasant Avenue, Limerick City. †Liam Costigan, Steelspark, Clonakenny. †Anna Ryan, née Butler, London formerly Moyne Terrace, Mitchel Street.

*May they rest in Peace.*

**MICHAEL ENGLISH & HIS BAND IN CONCERT:**

**Sunday April 7<sup>th</sup>, Premier Hall with Michael English & his Band – A Million Medleys – a special concert of globally loved million selling hits.** Ticket Donation: €25 - now on sale in the Parish Centre, Cathedral Street, Thurles (0504 22229), Bookworm, Liberty Square (0504-22257; Holycross Parish Office (0504 43124) and Cashel Parish Centre (062 62200). Proceeds in aid of the Cathedral Reroofing Project.

We pray for all Mothers, living and deceased and their abiding influence on our lives.

*Happy Mother's Day!*