PARISH CENTRE: 22229/22779; CATHEDRAL PRESBYTERY: 22505 BÓTHAR-NA-NAOMH PRESBYTERY: 22688; PARISH WEBSITE: www.thurlesparish.ie WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Bóthar na Naomh: Saturday 6.30 p.m.; Sunday: 9.30 a.m. & 11.30 a.m. Cathedral: Saturday 7.30 p.m.; Sunday 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m. & 12 noon. EUCHARISTIC ADORATION – BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL: WEEKDAYS: 11.30 A.M. – 7.30 P.M.; SUNDAYS: 1.00 P.M. – 7.00 P.M.

DEVOTIONS: This Sunday, Cathedral @ 7.00 p.m. **NEXT WEEKEND**: All Masses at usual times in both Churches.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ENROLMENT CEREMONIES: Sunday 28th Sept: **Bóthar na Naomh 9.30a.m.:** Gaelscoil Bhríde, Leugh N.S. and Scoil Ailbhe. **Cathedral 10.30a.m.:** Scoil Angela, Scoil Mhuire & Rahealty N.S. **PEOPLE & PRIESTS GROUP**: Our engagement with all active groups in Thurles Parish by way of a survey questionnaire has commenced. The updated questionnaire for those who have volunteered to conduct this exercise and an explanatory note are available through the Parish Office. See Parish website for further details.

YOUTH TOGETHER: Returns **October 3rd** – 1st Years: 6.15 p.m. – 7.15 p.m.; 2nd Years: 7.30 p.m. – 8.30 p.m. and 3rd Years: 8.30 p.m. – 9.30 p.m. in Parish Centre. We are a parish-based youth group, providing a place for fun and friendship, adventure and connection, within a safe, structured environment. If you are in 1st, 2nd or 3rd Year, you are welcome to join us. The cost is free! Information contact 087 9804172 or contact Parish Centre. **LEGION OF MARY BUS TO KNOCK**: Sunday Sept. 28th, 8.00a.m. from Cathedral Street. Contact Jim @ 0504 21260 / 085 8278014.

THURLES PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND: Progressive 25 Card Drive, Thurles Sarsfield Centre, Wednesday Sept. 24th, 8.30 p.m. Tickets from

Noreen @ 0504 21505, on sale at Parish Centre and in both sacristies after all weekend Masses. Raffle open to all who buy tickets (even if not attending the Card Drive on the night). With thanks to our organisers, sponsors and supporters.

ANAM CARA: Parent Evening, Monday Sept. 29th, 7.30 p.m. in the Horse & Jockey Hotel. Information please call 01 4045378.

LEUGH N.S. THANKS: To all who ran or walked in the Fun Run/Walk! A big THANK YOU to the parents and the Leugh community for the support received.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS – PARISH CENTRE:Wed. Sept. 24th, 4.00 p.m.:Parish Youth Choir;Thurs. Sept. 25th, 6.00 p.m.:Catholic Initiation Meeting.

Offertory Collection September 13 th & 14 th 2014: Cathedral: €1,351.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €1,046.00.	
DEVELOPMENT FUND (Fund raising target: €2.5m) TOTAL INCOME to August 31 st 2014: €2,099,299.00.	
August Income:	€
Direct Donations	560
Monthly/Weekly Contributions	180
Standing Orders	390
Car Park Bóthar na Naomh	325
Total August Income	1,455
Total Income to July 2014	2,097,844
Total Income to August 2014	2,099,299

C.A.M.E.O. (**CARE DEMENTIA**) **DAY CARE**: Needs volunteers to help provide a new focus and some variety for the people attending the unit, possibly people with a particular skill or interest, such as art and crafts, any therapies, flower arranging, baking, playing an instrument, or maybe just chatting. We would be delighted with an hour or two every so often. Centre opens Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10.00 am – 4.00 pm in the Tipperary Centre for Independent Living, Stradavoher Park. Contact Ursula @ 086 8381818. **HOME INSTEAD SENIOR CARE OPEN DAY**: Anner Hotel, Friday Sept. 26th, 10.00 a.m. – 3.00 p.m. Care Assistants Required for Thurles, and surrounding areas. Experience essential, must hold Fetac 5 or in the process of completing Healthcare, Pre Nursing, Childcare or Social Care. Call Home Instead Senior Care for Further information: 0504-91100.

CONRADH NA GAEILGE: Comhrá gach oiche Ceadaoin i Scoil Ailbhe, 8.30 – 10.00 i.n. Fáilte roimh cach. Eolas: 087 2471646.

R.T.A. BUS TOUR: Mon. Sept. 29th - Wed. Oct. 1st, White's Hotel, Wexford, €199.00 pps. Contact Anne @ 0862249464 for information and booking.

NÓŘTH TIPPERARY VINTAGE & MACHINERY CLUB ANNUAL FUN DĂY: Sunday Sept. 21st, Two-Mile-Borris. Tug-o-War, Dog Show & more! Proceeds to M.S.

FLATSTONE – STEPS ON MY JOURNEY: Personal Development Course 2014/2015 in Stella Maris, Spanish Point, Co. Clare, from Monday Sept. 29th – end of March. Cost: €800. Contact Marie @ 087 2459480.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Kyle Patrick Cummins, Sean Treacy Avenue. *RECENTLY DECEASED:* [⊕]Gobnait Callanan, née McCarthy, Turtulla. [⊕]James Conway, Newtown, Nenagh. [⊕]Richard Tynan, Dublin formerly Kickham Street.