PARISH CENTRE: 22229/22779; CATHEDRAL PRESBYTERY: 22505 BÓTHAR-NA-NAOMH PRESBYTERY: 22688;

PARISH WEBSITE: <u>www.thurlesparish.ie</u> 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: Cathedral this Sunday @ 7.00 p.m.

CONTINUING EDUCATION OF PRIESTS COLLECTION: This collection will be used to help priests to avail of ongoing formation courses and in-service training. <u>Collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend</u>, July $4^{\text{th}}/5^{\text{th}}$. (White Envelope: 5-Jul-2015). **Target:** €4,238.85.

BAPTISM THANKSGIVING MASS: Cathedral this Sunday June 28th, 10.30 a.m. We welcome all the children who were baptised in the past year with their families to come along to this Mass.

FIRST FRIDAY: Next Friday, July 3rd. Usual Communion Calls. Usual daily Masses in both Churches with evening Mass in Bóthar na Naomh Church @ 6.30 p.m. (preceded by Sacred Heart Confraternity Prayers at 6.15 p.m.).

HOLY FAMILY CONFRATERNITY: Prayers & Mass in Cathedral every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m.

ORDINATION OF REV. VINCENT STAPLETON: Saturday July 4th @ 3.00 p.m. in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Thurles. We invite you to join prayerfully in preparation for this joyful occasion for Vincent, his family, the parishes of Borrisoleigh, Thurles and our diocese. Prayer Gathering in Borrisoleigh church @ 7.00 p.m. next Friday evening prior to the Ordination ceremony on Saturday. Vincent will celebrate his First Mass in Borrisoleigh on Sunday July 5th @ 6.00 p.m.

MASS – ST. PATRICK'S CEMETERY: <u>Friday July 24th @ 8.00 p.m.</u> An opportunity for us to gather and pray for our deceased family members and friends. <u>PLANNING MEETING</u> on this Tuesday June 30th @ 8.00 p.m. in the Parish Centre. Help required and appreciated.

ANNUAL MASS: Killinan Cemetery, Friday 10th July @ 8.00p.m.

DIOCESAN ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK: Sunday August 2nd 2015.

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN: We would like to announce that we will celebrate the involvement of children in our parish with 'Safeguarding Children Sunday' on September 27th 2015. Accordingly, we ask that all our parish volunteers complete the required Safeguarding Children documentation for their own protection and to ensure that we continue to provide a safe environment for our children.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS – PARISH CENTRE: Tues. June 30th, 8.00 p.m.: Cemetery Mass Planning Meeting.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION June 20th & 21st 2015: Cathedral: €2,253.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €1,957.00.

PRO LIFE RALLY: In support of the unborn child will be held in Parnell Square Dublin on Saturday July 4th at 2.00 p.m. Train leaving Thurles at 10.30 a.m. Bus option also available. Please contact 086 3150790.

ANAM CARA: Monthly Parent Evening on Monday June 29th from 7.30 to 9.00 p.m. in the Horse & Jockey Hotel. All Anam Cara Services are available free of charge to bereaved parents.

PIETA HOUSE: Beautiful C.D. '*Believe*' with songs composed by Seamus Doran (Roscrea) on sale at Parish Centre. Cost: \bigcirc 10 – all proceeds to Pieta House.

 $\sf I.C.A.$ – Stations of the Cross in Holycross Abbey Wednesday July 1^{st} @ 7.00p.m.

NORTH TIPPERARY VINTAGE & MACHINERY CLUB: Family Walk through Clover Bog on Sunday June 28th. Register @ 11.00 a.m. Start time: 11.30 a.m. from Corcorans, Two-Mile-Borris. All proceeds to Thurles District Mental Health Association.

THURLES SPORTS FEST: **Friday July 3rd – Saturday July 11th.** We wish to extend a warm welcome to all visitors to our town, the people of Thurles, their friends and relatives at home and abroad. Official opening by G.A.A. President Aogan O'Fearghail takes place at L.I.T. Tipperary on Friday July 3rd @ 8.00 p.m. We ask you to join us for our great Munster Final Festival of Sport, music, Family Fun Day and lots more activities. See our full programme of events on posters and website www.thurlessportfest.com

SUMMER HERITAGE COURSE: "Readi

ng the Landscape" at Gaelscoil Bhríde, July 1st – 7th, 9.30 a.m. -2.30 p.m., excluding Saturday and Sunday. Phone 0504 21497/23831.

SUMMER CAMP: Bí Réidh - Irish language immersion Summer Camp for second level students at St. Patrick's College, Thurles late July and mid-August, Mon-Fri 9.00a.m. – 5.00p.m. Contact 0504 23831/21497 or bireidh@gmail.com / office@stpats.ie.

C.B.S. CLASS RE-UNION: A reunion of the Leaving Cert students of Thurles CBS year **1984/1985** will take place in Larry's Bar on July 11th @ 9.00 p.m. For more information please contact 087066099/0872344177.

MOYNE ANNUAL OUTING: To the garden county Wicklow $4^{\text{th}} - 7^{\text{th}}$ July 2015. For further details contact Mary @ 086 3739750 after 6.00p.m.

TRIP TO MEDJUGORJE: From Wed. 12th August – Wed. 19th August 2015. Contact John @ 086 2752634 for further information and details.

RECENTLY DECEASED: ‡Jimmy Doyle, 2 Church View, Bohernanave. **‡**Noreen Forrestal, Connecticut, U.S.A., formerly 20 Bohernanave. Memorial Mass Saturday July 4th,10.00 a.m. in Bóthar na Naomh Church followed by Burial of Ashes in St. Patrick's Cemetery.