

**PARISH CENTRE: 22229/22779; CATHEDRAL PRESBYTERY: 22505**

**BÓTHAR-NA-NAOMH PRESBYTERY: 22688.**

**PARISH WEBSITE: [www.thurlesparish.ie](http://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.

**EUCCHARISTIC 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.

**AUGUST CLERGY COLLECTION:** Sincere thanks to all who contributed to this collection. Target this year: **€165,700.50**. Amount received: **€8,790.00**. Amount collected to date: **€82,185.00**.

**ROSEMOUNT OPEN AIR MASS:** Monday August 10<sup>th</sup> @ 7.30 p.m. in Rosemount in the green space enclosed by no's. 215 – 226. In case of bad weather we will use the facilities of Sunny Side, Day-care & Montessori, 225/226 Rosemount, by kind permission. All welcome.

**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY INTO HEAVEN:**

**Saturday August 15<sup>th</sup>, Holyday of Obligation:**

**MASS TIMES: Cathedral:** Friday 7.30 p.m.; Saturday 8.00 a.m., 11.00 a.m.;

**Bóthar na Naomh Church:** Friday: 6.30 p.m.; Saturday: 10.00 a.m.

**ANGELUS** followed by Rosary at the Shrine of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Lady's Well on Saturday August 15<sup>th</sup> @ 12 noon and at the same time on 15<sup>th</sup> of every month. The Lady's Well Heritage Group will continue the tradition of pilgrimage by walking from St. Peter's Church, Moycarkey at 10.30 a.m. to arrive at the shrine in time for the Angelus.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORERS:** Needed on Sundays for the hours 4.00 – 5.00 p.m. & 5.00 – 6.00 p.m. Please contact Parish Office if you are available during those hours. It would be greatly appreciated.

**TEMPLETUOHY CEMETERY MASS:** Friday August 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7.00 p.m. If raining, Mass will be in Templetuohy Church.

**PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE:** Wednesday August 19<sup>th</sup> from Cathedral Street, via Templemore-Roscrea. Booking & information contact Helen @ 0504 21602 or 085 8818770.

**YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL:** Cistercian College, Roscrea, Thursday Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> – Sunday Aug. 16<sup>th</sup>. For young people aged 16 – 35, an opportunity not to be missed. Information @ [www.youth2000](http://www.youth2000) or phone 01 6753690.

**THURLES & DISTRICT VINTAGE WORKING DAY:** With all kinds of Vintage Machinery at John Callanan's The Ragg, Sunday August 9<sup>th</sup> @ 1.30 p.m. in aid of North Tipp Hospice. Admission: €5. Children free. Thanks for your continued support.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION August 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> 2015:**

**Cathedral:** €2,100.00; **Bóthar na Naomh:** €1,863.00.

**INTERNATIONAL REUNION OF ST. PATRICK'S COLLEGE PAST STUDENTS**

in St. Patrick's College from August 11-13<sup>th</sup>. Priests who were ordained in the College will return from all over the English-speaking world to attend this special event. The highlight of the Reunion is a Concelebrated Mass in Thurles Cathedral on **Thursday, August 13<sup>th</sup> at 11.00 a.m.** The principal celebrant will be Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly SMA. The homily will be delivered by Fr. Michael Gleeson from the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Fr. Michael is from Loughtagalla and was ordained in 1975. The people of Thurles and surrounding area are cordially invited to the Mass.

**THE CATHOLIC GRANDPARENTS ASSOCIATION:** National Grandparents Pilgrimage at Shrine of Our Lady of Knock on September 13<sup>th</sup>.

**CONVERSATIONS AND CARDS:** Would you be interested in joining a Conversation and Card playing group of Syrian men who have recently come to live in the Thurles area under a refugee resettlement initiative. These men are particularly keen to get to know local men. This initiative is to foster integration and to support the building of a strong community. If interested please contact Sally Daly, Nth Tipp Leader Partnership @ 087 4143494 or email [sdaly@ntlp.ie](mailto:sdaly@ntlp.ie)

**BÍ REIDH:** IRISH LANGUAGE SUMMER CAMP for senior cycle students at St. Patrick's College from August 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>. Phone 0504 21201, 087 7567273 or email [bireidh@gmail.com](mailto:bireidh@gmail.com)

**BINGO:** 10 Game Bingo every Wednesday @ 8.30p.m., Premier Hall.

**PREMIER HALL:** Saturday August 29<sup>th</sup> with 'Lorraine & The Conquerors' & 'Patrick O'Sullivan'. Doors open at 8.15 p.m. Tickets €15 on sale @ Premier Box Office, 11.00 a.m. – 12 noon Thursdays & Fridays or at Bingo on Wednesdays.

**CLUB FOR DANCING:** Premier Hall, Sunday August 9<sup>th</sup>, from 9.00 p.m. – 12 midnight. Admission €8. Music by 'Checkers'.

**SERVICES FOR DEAF & HARD OF HEARING PEOPLE:** Next clinic **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2015**, from 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. in St Mary's Health Centre. Further information please phone 061 467 494.

**STEPS ON MY JOURNEY:** Personal Development Course – September to March in Westbourne, Ashbourne Avenue, Limerick with two residential weekends in Stella Maris, Spanish Point, Miltown Malbay. Information & Application Form from Marie @ 087 2459480, Ray @ 087 8263451.

**FOUND:** Sum of money in Cathedral Street last Monday. Ladies Watch in Croke Street last Sunday. Contact Parish Office for details.

**NEWLY BAPTISED:**\*Niall Cormac Doherty, Elmwood, Dublin Road.\*Kate Mary-Ann O'Dwyer, Cabragh Road.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** †Mary Croke, Curraheen, Horse & Jockey. †Ellen Cormack, née Ryan, Manselstown, Moyne. †Brid White, Lacken, Kilkenny. †Thomas (Tom) Ryan, Bóthar Aluine, Moyne, formerly Kylemakill. †Michéal Gorman, Rathfarnham, Dublin formerly Cathedral Street, Thurles.