

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.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL:

WEEKDAYS: 11.30 A.M. – 7.30 P.M.; SUNDAYS: 1.00 P.M. – 7.00 P.M.

NOVEMBER: MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

CEMETERY SUNDAY: This Sunday, November 13th - St. Patrick's Cemetery @ 2.30 p.m. and all other cemeteries @ 3.00 p.m.

LITURGY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Cathedral, this Sunday November 13th, 7.00 p.m. We remember all of our parishioners who have died in the past year.

NOVEMBER MASS TIMES: Mass will be offered in the *Cathedral* each Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday @ 7.30 p.m. and *Bóthar-na-Naomh Church* Thursday & Friday @ 6.30 p.m. during November for all those on the November List for the Dead. Envelopes are available at back of both Churches and can be placed in the November Boxes in either Church.

MEMORIAL LIGHTS: Available at either Sacristy or Parish Centre for those who wish to light a candle in memory of their loved ones.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY CEREMONY: Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly at 12 noon, Sunday Nov. 13th in the Cathedral. Further information from John Wort @ 0861528565.

LOST PROPERTY: Variety of items left in the Cathedral over the last few months available for collection until Friday November 18th.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT INFORMATION EVENING: Milford Care Centre on Tuesday 22nd November 2016 from 7-8.30pm. The evening will comprise of: Short talk by members of the Bereavement Service, Different experiences of Grief, Services available and Question Time. The information evening is Free.

ANAM CARA: the organisation that supports bereaved parents, next monthly Parent Evening on Monday 21st of November from 19:30 to 21:00 in the Horse & Jockey Hotel.

O HOLY NIGHT: Award winning priest Fr Liam Lawton in concert in Clonoulty Parish Church Wed. Dec. 14th at 8.00 p.m. Booking @ 087 2961367.

I.C.A. MEETING: Wednesday Nov. 16th @ 8.00 p.m., Band Hall (Work night).

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: PARISH CENTRE:

Mon. Nov. 14th, 6.30p.m.: Strategy Group Meeting.

Tues. Nov. 15th, 4.00p.m.: Parish Youth Choir.

Tues. Nov. 15th, 8.30p.m.: Parents' Baptism Preparation Meeting.

Wed. Nov. 16th, 8.00 p.m.: Core Group Meeting.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: LÁMH CHÚNTA:

Mon. Nov. 14th, 8.00 p.m.: Gael Scoil First Communion Parents' Meeting.

Tues. Nov. 15th, 7.00 p.m.: Catholic Initiation Meeting.

Wed. Nov. 16th, 8.00 p.m.: Scoil Ailbhe Confirmation Parents' Meeting.

YEAR OF MERCY:

Sixth Corporal Work of Mercy: Visit the Sick

Reflect: As a rule, visiting the Sick will not demand specialised knowledge, but what it always does demand is perseverance and compassion; a genuine human caring presence, a listening ear, a loving heart and a genuine smile.

Act: Could you drive a frail elderly person to Mass on Sunday? Or drop in on a neighbour who is chronically ill.

Year of Mercy Mass of Thanksgiving – You are invited to this very special liturgy next **Sunday, November 20th @ 2.30 p.m.** in the Cathedral of the Assumption to mark the closing of the Door of Mercy and the launch of Archbishop Kieran's Pastoral Letter entitled "*Come to the Table.*" This is a unique opportunity for our parishes to come together as one to celebrate and give thanks for God's unending mercy. Please let our parish be well represented by as many of you as possible at what promises to be a beautiful celebration.

DIOCESAN CHOIR PRACTISE: Cathedral Monday Nov. 14th @ 8.00 p.m.

YEAR OF MERCY AT THE CATHEDRAL: Thurles Adult Faith Formation Group will lead a guided pilgrimage tour through the "*four Mercy stations*" in the Cathedral, **each morning of next week, commencing on Monday 14th Nov. at 10.30 a.m.** before the 11.00 a.m. Mass, **to conclude on Saturday 19th.** (In the event of a funeral the pilgrimage will be cancelled for that morning.)

IRISH GIRL GUIDES: Leaders urgently needed! Meetings Wednesdays, 6.30 – 7.30 p.m., Presentation Secondary School Hall. Information from Irene @ 087 2419487.

RAHEALTY HALL COMMITTEE: Table Quiz Friday, November 18th @ 8.30 p.m., Monks Pub, Mitchel Street. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

FUN CLUB FUNDRAISER: Accessories Bazaar Thurles Golf Club Sunday Nov. 20th 3.00p.m. – 5.00p.m. Ladies please drop in any unwanted (but still desirable) jewellery, belts, scarves, handbags, etc. to Ashling in the office by Fri. Nov. 18th.

ARSENIC AND OLD LACE: A hilarious black comedy nightly @ 8.00 p.m. by Thurles Drama Group, The Source from Tues. November 15th – Sat. 19th November.

CHRISTMAS VINTAGE CRAFT & FOOD FAIR: Anner Hotel, Sunday Nov. 13th, 12 noon – 6.00 p.m. Thurles Arts & Craft Group on Facebook or 087 270 1689.

ACTIVE RETIREMENT: Wednesday Nov. 16th, 11.00 a.m., Order of Malta Rooms.

CLUB FOR DANCING: Premier Ballroom, Sunday, Nov. 13th, 9.00 p.m. – 12 midnight. Music by Finbarr Dennehy.

HORSE & JOCKEY SINGERS CHRISTMAS CONCERT: Fri. Dec. 2nd @ 8.00 p.m. supporting the work of Down Syndrome-Tipperary. A great night's entertainment is guaranteed with many local performers featured. Tickets from hotel reception or from 087-6667988. Book early to avoid disappointment.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION November 5th & 6th 2016:

Cathedral: €2,830.00; **Bóthar na Naomh:** €1,940.00.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Harry James Fogarty, Ballycurrane. *Aaron James O'Loughlin, Dún Lia *Lorcan Samuel Aspden, Sussex, England.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Sr. Louise (Josie Ryan), Ballybrack, Dublin formerly Holycross Village. †Ross Whelan, Carrigahilla, Stradbally, Co. Waterford. †Msgr. James Commins, Liverpool, formerly Littleton. †Breda Ryan, Glenageary Dublin, formerly Limerick. †Mary O'Connell, née Higgins, Davitt Avenue, Ard na Gréine, Clonmel. †Fr. Michael Ross, SDB, Salesian House, Crumlin.