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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.
Pallottine College Chapel: Sunday & Weekday Masses @ 10.00 a.m.
EUCHARISTIC ADORATION – BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Weekdays: 11.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.; Sundays: 1.00 p.m. – 7.00 p.m.

DEVOTIONS: We gather together at Our Lady's Altar in the Cathedral this Sunday evening at 7.00 p.m.

CONTINUING EDUCATION OF PRIESTS COLLECTION: Sincere thanks to all who contributed to this collection. **Target: €3,853.50. Amount received: €3,625.00.**

ST. PATRICK'S ANNUAL CEMETERY MASS: Friday July 27th @ 7.30p.m. Our opportunity to gather and pray for our deceased family members and friends. Bottles of holy water will be available after the mass. Outdoor candles can be purchased on the night. All are welcome.

RAHEALTY ANNUAL CEMETERY MASS: Thursday July 12th @ 7.30 p.m., weather permitting. If raining Mass will take place in Rahealty Hall.

HOSPITAL VISITATION: If you have a relative or friend in hospital and would like the priest to visit please contact the parish centre.

PHIL COULTER - CATHEDRAL ECHOES - Tickets available in the Parish Centre, Cathedral Street and Bookworm, Liberty Square. Enjoy an evening with the internationally renowned composer and musician Phil Coulter in the **Cathedral of the Assumption on Friday September 28th.** This event will mark the beginning of our fundraising for the Cathedral re-roofing project. **Ticket Donation: €35.00.**

THREE HOUR VIGIL: In Honour of Our Lady Of Mount Carmel in Holycross Abbey on Monday July 16th, 7.00 – 10.00 p.m. consisting of Eucharistic Hour, Marian Hour, Mass and the Enrolment of the Brown Scapular. All welcome.

DIOCESAN ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK: Sunday August 5th. Bus from Hogan's, Liberty Square at 8.00 a.m. sharp. Contact Bridget at 0504 21096 or Jim at 0504 21260/085 8278014 for information and bookings.

YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL: Cistercian College, Roscrea from August 16th – 19th 2018. For young people aged 16 – 35. The weekend will include inspiring talks, testimonies, prayer, great music, dramas, workshops, reconciliation and healing service. This is a donation-only retreat. FREE buses are available throughout the county – just bring a sleeping bag and pillow! Details and bookings at www.youth2000.ie

WORLD YOUTH DAY: Jan. 22nd – 27th 2019, Panama City. Interested in this international event? If so, contact Fr. Dominic Meehan @ 085 111320.

FEAST OF SS JOACHIM & ANNE, JULY 26TH: Diocesan Mass at 12 noon in Cashel to acknowledge the Grandparents of Jesus and to mark the influence of grandparents throughout the diocese. **NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE:** Sunday Sept. 9th, Our Lady of Knock Shrine, Mayo.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION June 30th & July 1st 2018:

Cathedral: €2,327.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €1,815.00.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES PASTORAL CONGRESS

PASTORAL CONGRESS: Due to record breaking 37,000 registrations received booking is now closed for WMOF Pastoral Congress in the RDS.

FESTIVAL OF FAMILIES: Croke Park Sat. Aug. 25th. One of the most significant and beautiful events within every World Meeting of Families is the Festival of Families. This concert-type event is a celebration of family life around the world that will feature musical and dance performances, as well as five selected families from around the world giving witness to their family's faith. **Thurles Parish has been allocated 30 free Tickets for this event – any parishioners wishing to attend please contact the Parish Office before Friday July 13th.**

FINAL MASS – SUNDAY AUGUST 26th – PHOENIX PARK – 3.00 p.m.:

Two coaches will go from Thurles Parish. If interested in travelling with the parish group, please **book your ticket (€10) in the Parish Office.** Your Free Ticket into the Mass will be included so do not book an individual ticket on-line. Bus will leave at 10.00 a.m. or earlier to allow for the 4km – 7km walk from the bus to the Park. If travelling otherwise to Phoenix Park on Sunday August 26th tickets are available for booking online.

See www.worldmeeting2018.ie for details for further information.

RELIQS OF SAINTS LOUIS & SAINT ZÉLIE MARTIN & THEIR DAUGHTER THÉRÉSE OF LISIEUX: We are very blessed to have relics of the Martin Family of Saints associated with the Carmelites in Ireland for the World Meeting of Families. The Relics will be in the Cathedral **on Monday September 3rd from 11.00 a.m. (or later) until 5.00 p.m. sharp.** The Relics will be in the Phoenix Park for the Papal Mass. We believe the Martin Family embody what is best in family life and offer a wonderful example of what a family can become.

MISSIONARIES FOR LIFE: Holy Rosary for the Protection of all Life from conception to natural death continues every Friday @ 12 noon in Liberty Square. All are welcome.

G.A.A PANEL DISCUSSION: With former Tipperary Hurling Managers on Wednesday July 11th, Hayes Hotel (Davin Room), 7.30 p.m. Speakers include: Babs Keating, Donie Nealon, Len Gaynor & Fr. Tom Fogarty. All welcome to this free event.

CLUB FOR DANCING: Premier Ballroom this Sunday July 8th, 8.30 p.m. – 11.30 p.m. Music by "Montana".

CLONACODY '18: A Musical Picnic on the lawns of Clonacody House, Fethard. Saturday July 14th, 8.00 p.m.: Moonlight Serenade with Derek Ryan & Ryan Morgan; Sunday July 15th, 2.00 p.m.: Family Fun Day & Picnic with music; Sunday 7.30 p.m.: Two and a half Tenors and special guests. Proceeds to Motor Neurone Disease Assoc. & Cystic Fibrosis Ireland. Information & Booking @ 087 2491228/087 1689167.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Ruby Marie O'Dwyer Bourke, Kickham Street. *Sean Francis O'Dwyer, Clonoulty.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †David Ryan, Littleton, Thurles & Cashel. Funeral arriving at Bóthar na Naomh Church this Saturday at 7.30 p.m. Funeral Mass Sunday at 11.30 a.m. followed by burial in St. Kevin's Cemetery, Littleton. †Biddy Campion, née Loughnane, Monakeeba. †John Culleton, England formerly Davis Road.

May They All Rest in Peace.