

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

WEBSITE: www.thurlesparish.ie **email:** parishcentre@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.
Pallottine College Chapel: Sunday & Weekday Masses @ 10.00 a.m.
EUCCHARISTIC 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.

AUGUST CLERGY COLLECTION: Next weekend August 4th/5th 2018. The money collected in each parish goes to a central diocesan fund from which all priests in the Diocese are paid. Target this year **€154,140.00**. Amount collected to date **€78,873.83**. (Yellow Envelope: 5-Aug-18). As always, we appreciate your generosity.

CHOIR OF CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH, LAWRENCE, KANSAS: We welcome the Corpus Christi Choir who are singing at our **12 noon Mass** today. The Corpus Christi Adult Choir is an ever-growing group of voices that sings on Sundays, major feasts and holy days. The choir sings music of many genres ranging from folk and gospel, to motets and madrigals from the Renaissance era.

FIRST FRIDAY: Next Friday, August 3rd. Usual Communion calls unless otherwise arranged by your regular priest. Usual daily Masses in both Churches. **NO EVENING MASS** in Bóthar na Naomh Church as Mass will be celebrated in **Killinan Cemetery at 7.00 p.m.**

ANNUAL CEMETERY MASSES:

KILLINAN CEMETERY: Friday, August 3rd, 7.00 p.m. Please note **NO FIRST FRIDAY EVENING MASS** in Bóthar na Naomh Church.

TEMPLETUOHY CEMETERY: Wednesday August 15th, 7.30 p.m. if raining Mass will be celebrated in the Church of the Sacred Heart.

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.

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.**

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.

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

OFFERTORY COLLECTION July 21st & 22nd 2018:
Cathedral: €2,495.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €2,005.00.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES PASTORAL CONGRESS

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. **Parishioners who have submitted their names for this event will receive their tickets by email after July 31st.**

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

We ask all travelling to gather at the Source Art Centre Car Park at **8.45 a.m.** so that both coaches will be ready to leave at **9.00 a.m.** (please note change of time to 9.00 a.m.) Those travelling need to bring enough food and drink for the day. The bus will stop for a short break at Junction 14 on the way to and from the Phoenix Park. Any queries please contact the Parish Office.

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. *****

THE FUTURE OF THE IRISH PARISH – LESSONS FROM AROUND THE WORLD: Pastoral Conference on 'The Future of the Irish Parish' ('*The Parish is not an out-dated institution*', Pope Francis) will take place in MIC St. Patrick's Campus on Tues. August 28th & Wed. August 29th. Contact the Parish Office for details and booking.

IRISH CANCER SOCIETY: Needs an extra 20 drivers for our Volunteer Driver Service in Tipperary to drive cancer patients to and from their chemotherapy appointments in the following hospitals: University Hospital, Limerick; St. Luke's, Kilkenny and Waterford University Hospital. We are looking for drivers with free weekday availability and who have a car available to them. Drivers should be able to commit to driving at least two full (week)days a month. All volunteer expenses are paid. Details: 01 2310 594.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Leo Patrick Cantwell, College Green. *Oscar Barry O'Daly, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Ann Vickers-Purcell, Latteragh, Templeberry & Ballycahill. Removal this Sunday to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Templeberry for Requiem Mass at 3.00 p.m. followed by burial in St. Odhran's Cemetery, Latteragh. †Tommy Mockler, Brittas Road. †Nora Corcoran, Killea. †Jimmy Barry, Fethard. †Betty Stritch, Fermoy. †Mary Hall O'Grady, née Horgan, Kent, England, formerly Tipperary. †Patrick Blake, London, formerly The Mall. Cremation will take place in London Thursday, August 9th.

May They All Rest in Peace.

PLEASE NOTE: PARISH EMERGENCY NUMBER: 086 2537820