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

WEBSITE: www.thurlesparish.ie email: parishcentre@thurlesparish.ie WEKEND 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. EUCHARISITIC ADORATION – BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

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

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

SCRIPTURE SUNDAY - SUNDAY OCTOBER 28th: 'Welcoming the Word of God in Our Home' – leaflets produced

by the Archdiocese of Cashel & Emly, will be available at the back of both churches next weekend. The Theme for this day is *'The Word of God and Family'*.

PARISH READERS: We thank all our Readers for their dedication in proclaiming the Word of God at our Parish Liturgies. We invite all our Readers to renew their commitment as Ministers of the Word on **Scripture Sunday, October 28**th at either **9.30 a.m. Mass, Bóthar na Naomh or 10.30 a.m. Cathedral.** Copy of the Renewal Ceremony will be available in both sacristies prior to these Masses next weekend.

MISSION SUNDAY THIS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21*1: Pope Francis is asking every Catholic worldwide to come together in celebration of World Mission Sunday. On this special day every Church, in every parish will give what they can towards the World Mission Sunday collection. Your contribution will be used to help spread faith, hope and love by supporting overseas missionaries, many of whom work in some of the world's most impoverished communities. If you can't contribute on the 21st, you can donate €4.00 by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300. (Texts cost €4. World Missions Ireland will receive a minimum of €3.60. Service Provider LikeCharity. Republic of Ireland only). Our parish collection for the Missions takes place this Sunday, Oct. 21st. Target: €3,853.50. (White Envelope: 21-Oct-18).

OFFERTORY COLLECTION October 13th & 14th 2018: Cathedral: €2.327.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €2.258.00.

ALTAR SERVERS: We are currently recruiting Altar Servers for Bóthar na Naomh Church and the Cathedral. Children from $3^{\rm rd}-6^{\rm th}$ Class may apply. Application Forms available in both Sacristies this weekend.

CATHEDRAL CLOCK will be repaired by the Clock Engineer next Thursday Oct. 25th. As Winter Time begins on Oct. 28th – the clock will have to be moved back one hour on Thursday to facilitate this – please note the clock will then be regrettably incorrect until Sunday 28th.

"COME AND SEE" VOCATIONS EVENT 2018: Organised by the National Vocations Office for men between the ages of eighteen and mid-thirties will take place in Mount St. Anne's Retreat and Conference Centre, Portarlington on Friday Nov. 23rd @ 6.00 p.m. - Saturday Nov. 24th @ 4.00 p.m. Please contact Fr. Joe Walsh @ 0504 22229 if you are interested in attending this event.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: PARISH CENTRE:

Tues. Oct. 23rd, 4.00 p.m.: Parish Youth Choir.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: LÁMH CHÚNTA

Tues. Oct. 23rd, 7.30 p.m.: Joint Cells Meeting.

NOVEMBER: MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS: Thursday November 1st – Mass Times:

Cathedral: Wednesday: 7.30 p.m., Thursday: 8.00 a.m., 11.00 a.m. & 7.30 p.m. **Bóthar na Naomh Church:** Wednesday: 6.30 p.m. Thursday 10.00 a.m.

MASSES FOR THE HOLY SOULS will be offered at the regular weekday and weekend Mass times throughout the month of November. November Lists for you to write the names of your departed loved ones will be available at back of both Churches during November and can be placed in the Boxes provided in either Church.

CEMETERY SUNDAY: November 18th – more details later.

LITURGY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Cathedral, Sunday Nov. 18th, 7.00 p.m. We will remember all our parishioners who have died in the past year. **MEMORIAL LIGHTS:** Available at either Sacristy or Parish Centre for those who wish to light a candle in memory of their loved ones.

PARISH CELLS: Open Meeting Tues. Oct.23rd, Lámh Chúnta @ 7.30 p.m. Cells offer a unique opportunity for small groups of people to gather together in a home environment, on a fortnightly basis, to reflect on Sundays' Gospel readings. Come along – all welcome. Contact Parish Office for further information.

"TOGETHER WE PRAY": WMOF Prayer Booklet on sale at the Parish Centre.

WEEKEND RETREAT: Deebert House Hotel, Kilmallock, Limerick, Friday Nov. 2nd – Sunday Nov. 4th. Led by Fr. Patrick Cahill, Fr. Maxmillan Schwarzbauer & Fr. Niall O'Riordan. Details: Claire @ 085 1532258 or Nodlaig @ 087 6527033.

LEUGH NS PARENTS ASSOCIATION: Timber auction and cake sale, Sunday Oct. 21st @ 1.00 p.m. All welcome.

RAHEALTY HALL: Tea Party/Cake Sale on Friday Oct. 26th from 9.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. All proceeds for the upkeep of the Community Hall. Please support.

URSULINE SECONDARY SCHOOL: Presents Beauty & the Beast, Sat. & Sun. Oct 20th & 21st; Tues. Oct 23rd & Thurs. Oct 25th @ 8.00 p.m. Booking Office: 0504 22147 (9.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m.). Adults €15, Children / OAP €10.

PUBLIC MEETING: Tuesday Oct. 23^{rd} @ 7.30 p.m., Anner Hotel on the proposed Greenway from Thurles town to Clonmel. Please come along and give your support.

REFRESH THURLES TIDY TOWNS AGM: Wednesday Oct. 24th, Hayes Hotel, 7.30p.m. Tel: 087 270 1690. Follow Refresh Thurles on Facebook. Come along!

BINGO: Premier Hall Wednesday, October 24th, 8.30 p.m.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Jamie Patrick Doherty, Kennedy Park.

RECENTLY DECEASED: \$\Pi\text{Thomas}\$ (Tommy) Treacy, 32 Willowmere Drive. Funeral Mass this Sunday, Cathedral at 12 noon followed by burial in St. Patrick's Cemetery. \$\Pi\text{Alice}\$ Craddock, Ikerrin Court. \$\Pi\text{Mary}\$ McCullagh, Ballygemmane. \$\Pi\text{Jacqueline}\$ Keane, Romford, Essex. \$\Pi\text{Marian Mulcaire, London, formerly Iona}\$ Avenue. \$\Pi\text{Helen Gleeson, New York formerly Loughtagalla.}\$

May They All Rest in Peace.

SAFEGUARDING MONTH

All Clerics and Religious are Mandated persons. The Children First Act 2015 places a legal obligation on them, to report child protection concerns to Tusla – Child and Family Agency. These mandated persons must also assist Tusla, on request, in its assessment of child protection concerns about children who have been the subject of a mandated report.

"Treat others the same way you want them to treat you". Luke 6: 31