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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.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

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

DEVOTIONS: Our Lady's Altar in the Cathedral this Sunday evening at 7.00 p.m. (No Devotions next Sun. Nov. 4th - Suir Haven Candlelight Ceremony in Bóthar na Naomh)

SCRIPTURE SUNDAY – SUNDAY OCTOBER 28th: In accord with the theme *"The Word of God and the Family"* resources have been provided for schools, parishes as well as a commissioning & renewal of commitment for Readers in each parish. *"I wish to issue an invitation to all to join me on a journey – a journey of rediscover for many, of getting to know the Bible better"* from *"Come to the Table"*, Pastoral Letter by Archbishop Kieran. **Leaflets available at back of both churches.**

PARISH READERS: We thank all our Readers for their dedication in proclaiming the Word of God at our Parish Liturgies. We welcome all our Parish Readers on this Scripture Sunday as they renew their commitment as Ministers of the Word at **9.30 a.m. Mass, Bóthar na Naomh and 10.30 a.m. Cathedral.**

MISSION SUNDAY: Sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to this collection. Target: **€3,853.50.** Amount received: **€4,715.00.**

FIRST FRIDAY: Next Friday, Nov. 2nd. Usual Communion Calls unless otherwise arranged. Usual daily Masses in both Churches with evening Mass in Bóthar na Naomh Church @ 6.30p.m. (Preceded by Sacred Heart Confraternity Prayers at 6.15 p.m.).

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

First Communion Parents' Meeting: Thurs. Nov. 15th, 8.00 p.m., Bóthar na Naomh Church.

Young People for Confirmation & Parents: Thurs. Nov. 22nd, 8.00 p.m., Bóthar na Naomh Church.

Guest Speaker at Meetings: Sr. Consilio, Mercy Sisters, Foundress of Cuan Mhuire, Rehabilitation Centres.

Mass of Joy with First Communion Children and families and Young People for Confirmation and families on Sat. Dec. 1st @ 7.30 p.m. – Cathedral Vigil Mass.

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.

"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, Portarlinton 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:

Sat. Nov. 3rd, 12.30p.m.: Carol Service Preparation 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 available at back of both Churches and can be placed in the Boxes provided in either Church.

INDULGENCES: See Church Notice Boards.

SUIR HAVEN CANDLELIGHT CEREMONY: Remembering & honouring our loved ones will take place in the Church of SS Joseph & Brigid, Bohernanave on Sunday November 4th from 5.00 to 6.00 p.m. Candles available in Suir Haven or at the church on the evening of the ceremony. Voluntary contributions/donations appreciated. Suir Haven is funded and managed by North Tipperary Hospice.

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.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Cathedral Gala Concert: Cathedral Choir accompanied by Clonmel Orchestra – Sunday Dec. 2nd, Cathedral @ 8.00 p.m.

THURLES MEALS ON WHEELS: Volunteer Drivers needed - one hour on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Contact Mary @ 087 6151600 if available.

CABRAGH WETLANDS: Celebration of Samhan, Celtic New Year on Thurs. Nov. 1st at 8.00 p.m. All welcome.

BINGO: Premier Hall Wednesday, October 31st, 8.30 p.m.

CLUB FOR DANCING: Premier Ballroom Sun. Oct. 28th, 8.30 p.m. – 11.30 p.m. Christmas Party Sunday Dec. 9th. Tickets on sale - €12.00.

TRACTOR RUN SUNDAY NOV. 4th: Please support Amie Nolan, raising funds for the HOPE Foundation. Registration: 11.00 a.m., Leugh Hall. Please support!

HORSE & JOCKEY SINGERS CHRISTMAS CONCERT: Fri./Sat. Nov. 23/24 supporting the Irish Guide Dogs & Fighting Blindness. Tickets from 087 6667988.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION October 20th & 21st 2018:

Cathedral: €2,620.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €1,955.00.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Brody James Copeland, College Green. *Michael Anthony Lima-Ippolito, Dromline Tce., Mitchel St. *Benji Michael Loughnane, McDonagh Tce., Mitchel St. *Analee Noreen Mernagh, Cabra. *Faun Conlon, Dublin.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Maurice Noonan, Ard Mhuire. †Bernie Hourigan, Ballinglanna, Lattin.

May They All Rest in Peace.

SAFEGUARDING MONTH

The appropriate use of Social Media is a growing concern. The Archdiocese's Safeguarding committee has issued guidance on the Use of Social Media for all Priests and volunteers working with young people in the Archdiocese. A copy of this can be found at www.cashel-emly.ie and click the safeguarding tab.

"I am the way, the truth and the life" John 14:6