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THURLES PARISH MASS TIMES:

WEEKENDS: Cathedral: Saturday Vigil 7.00 p.m., Sunday 9.00 a.m. & 11.00 a.m.

Bóthar na Naomh Church: Sunday 10.00 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.

WEEKDAYS: Cathedral: Monday - Friday: 11.00 a.m. Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 7.00 p.m.

Bóthar na Naomh: Tuesday & Thursday: 7.00 p.m. Saturday: 10.00 a.m.

FOR OUR STREAMING SERVICE ON-LINE visit www.thurlesparish.ie.

**CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF"
LOTTO INITIATIVE**

The Jackpot was not won:

**Weekly Lotto Draw Results: May 9th: Winning Numbers: 9; 14; 20; 29.
Cash Prize of €50 – to the weekly lucky winner, Noelle Nyhan, Thurles.**

Next Draw: May 16th, 2024. – Jackpot €5,975.00.

If you wish to join the Parish Lotto by cash payment - One line = €40 for 20 weeks; 3 lines: €100 for 20 weeks and more options available. Please note a mobile number can only be used once, i.e. a separate mobile number for each new member. We take this opportunity to remind you if your 20 week cash membership has almost reached expiry date and if you wish to continue supporting Thurles Parish Lotto please call into the Parish Office to renew. If you need clarification on your expiry date, please contact the Parish Office. *If you have not already joined the Lotto, why not take the opportunity to do so now as the prize fund continues to increase!! Alternatively, you can make a donation to the Reroofing Fund if you do not wish to join our Parish Lotto.*

WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION: We are very grateful for your Weekly Offertory Contributions - **€4,532.00** received.

MAY ROSARY: Every evening during May at **Bóthar na Naomh Grotto** at 6.00 p.m.

VIGIL IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA: Cathedral, **Monday May 13th** commencing with Rosary @ 6.30 p.m. followed by Mass @ 7.00 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament prayers and reflection until 8.30 p.m. Led by Fr. James Purcell.

POLISH MASS: Sunday 19th of May at 1pm in Presentation Convent Chapel. Polska Msza Sw odbedzie sie 19tego Maja o godz 1pm in Presentation Convent Chapel. Mozliwosc spowiedzi.

PROMOTION OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Wednesday May 22nd commencing with Mass in the Cathedral at 7.00 p.m. Celebrant: Fr. Patrick Cahill. Talk on Eucharistic Adoration will take place in the Parish Centre after Mass. All are very welcome.

PADRE PIO NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE 2024: Holycross Abbey **Sunday 26th May.** Ceremonies will begin at 1.30pm with concelebrated Mass at 3pm. All are welcome.

FLAME OF LOVE: Join us in Knock, All Ireland Conference 2024 – **May 17th & 18th.** To Register visit our website@ www.flameoflove.ie or email info@flameoflove.ie

ACCORD THURLES WEEKEND MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMMES: Available on the following dates: June 7th/8th; September 13th/14th; November 8th/9th; November 22nd/23rd. Book your place today on www.accord.ie.

**CASHEL & EMLY ARCHDIOCESAN 50TH ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGE TO
LOURDES: June 14th - 20th.**

Pilgrimage Director: Rev. Jimmy Donnelly. **Bookings & Enquires:** Contact Joe Walsh Tours @ info@joewalshstours.ie or – 01 241 0800. **For Assisted Pilgrims only, please contact:** Very Rev. Joe Tynan, PP: on lourdesassistedpilgrimage@cashel-emly.ie or 087 222 5445.

Date for your Diary: Celtic Brothers (The Willoughby Brothers) in Concert in the Cathedral – **Friday, September 27th, 2024.** All proceeds to Cathedral Reroofing Project.

SERVICE FOR LIFE: Sunday May 12th at the Augustinian Abbey, Fethard. This ceremony is an annual event held in support of all who in any way have been touched by the tragedy of suicide. All are welcome.

VOCATIONS AFTERNOON: Sat. May 25th, 2.00 – 4.00 p.m., Poor Clare Monastery, College Road, Cork. For young women considering a vocation email vocationspoorclarescork@gmail.com or write to Poor Clare Monastery, College Road, Cork. Visit www.poorclarescork.ie

ANAM CARA TIPPERARY the organisation that supports bereaved parents, Monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on **Wed. May 15th**, 7.15 p.m. in the Horse and Jockey Hotel. We also offer an online meeting. Information from info@anamcara.ie or 085 288 8888

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SHOP: Urgently seeking volunteers. Please apply by email to aliciacolgm.110@gmail.com or contact the Manager Alicia on 0858085218 or call into the shop Monday – Friday.

CURSILLO WALK: CORK TO KNOCK ROUTE: Tues. July 16th - 21st. Approx. 23 miles (37kms) per day. Mass daily, rosary, divine mercy chaplet & fellowship each day. Contact corktoknock@gmail.com to sign up for the full walk, a day or a stage.

THURLES DISTRICT FLOWER & GARDEN CLUB: Next Meeting Tuesday, May 14th, 8.00 p.m. in the Order of Malta Hall. A Garden Talk on 'Potting Up' by Majorie Fairclough. Non-members welcome. Entry Fee: €10 including refreshments.

THURLES LIBRARY ANNUAL BEALTAINE FESTIVAL:

Monday May 13th from 2.30p.m.- 3.30 p.m.: Awaken your creativity and explore painting techniques in our Art Workshop.

Wednesday May 15th @ 11.30 a.m.: Local author, Susie Murphy, author of 'A Matter of Class', will give a reading and answer any questions you may have.

Friday May 17th @ 2.30pm.: 'What's it Worth?'. Come along to a talk by auctioneers Louise Mitchell & John Gleeson and have your treasures appraised.

Wednesday May 29th @ 11.30 a.m.: Community Policing Sergeant Raymond Moloney will go through personal, home and internet safety.

Thursday May 30th from 10.00 a.m. – 12 noon.: Try your hand at manual carving on a Wood Carving Exhibition & 2 hour Workshop with Para. If you would like to book a place on any of the above, please contact 052-6166131.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Saoirse Noelle Bourke, Hayfield Manor, Bohernamona Road. *Mary-Kate Hunter, Rosemount. *Camilla Georgia O'Connell, Tarmon Drive.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Bridget (Bridie) Kennedy, née Smeed, Abbey Road. †Martin Prout, Garryclough, Gortnahoe. †John (Monty) Roberts, Riverside Park, Uringford, formerly Oakfield Drive. †Ellen (Nellie) Ceaser, née Hayes, Galbertstown, Holycross. †Connie Ryan, Dovea, Bouladuff. †Laurence (Larry) Lonergan, Galbertstown, Holycross. †Mary Nolan, née Dunleavy, Barnaderg, Tuam, Co. Galway. †Michael Byrne, Knockgraffon, Cahir.

May The Rest In Peace.

FIRST COMMUNION DATES 2024

NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 18th:

10.00 a.m.: SCOIL AILBHE - BÓTHAR NA NAOMH CHURCH.

10.00 a.m.: RAHEALTHY N.S. – CATHEDRAL.

12.00 Noon: PRESENTATION PRIMARY SCHOOL – CATHEDRAL.

SATURDAY MAY 25th:

10.00 a.m.: GAELSCOIL BHRÍDE - BÓTHAR NA NAOMH CHURCH.

12.00 Noon: LEUGH N.S. - BÓTHAR NA NAOMH CHURCH.

12.00 Noon: SCOIL ANGELA URSULINE PRIMARY SCHOOL – CATHEDRAL.