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THURLES PARISH MASS TIMES:

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

Bóthar na Naomh Church: Sunday 09.30 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.

WEEKDAYS:

Cathedral: Monday - Friday: 11.00 a.m.

Bóthar na Naomh: Tuesday & Thursday: 7.00 p.m. Saturday: 11.00 a.m.

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

CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION
“RAISE THE ROOF” LOTTO INITIATIVE
Weekly Lotto Draw Results Jan. 23rd – Details of next week.
Next Draw Jan. 30th

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. Alternatively, you can make a donation to the fund if you do not wish to join our Parish Lotto. Because of your generosity the “Raise the Roof” Lotto is doing very well. To help us reach our target of €2.2 million for this building project new members are always required and welcome!

FEBRUARY CLERGY COLLECTION: Takes place next weekend, 1st/2nd Feb 2025 (White Envelope: 02-Feb-25). The money collected in each parish goes to a central diocesan fund from which all the priests are paid. Jim Vincent say “thank you” for your continued support on behalf of the Priests of the Archdiocese.

WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION: We are very grateful for your Weekly Offertory Contributions - €5,371.00 received.

FAMILY MASS: We welcome all families to our Family Mass, this Saturday, January 25th at 7.00 p.m. in Cathedral. Theme: *Jubilee Year of Hope*.

SATURDAY DEVOTIONS : Sat. Feb. 1st, Bóthar na Naomh Church at 10.30 a.m.

UKRANIAN MASS: Next Sunday January 26th at 1.00 p.m. in the Cathedral.

FEAST OF ST. BRIGID – SATURDAY FEBRUARY 1st: Usual daily Masses at 11.00 a.m. in Bóthar na Naomh Church and 7.00 p.m. Vigil Mass in the Cathedral.

ST BRIGIDS CROSSES: Made by John Paul 11 Awards students in support of Milford Hospice will be on sale in the Parish Office next week for St. Brigid’s Day. €3 each.

FEAST OF CANDLEMAS: SUNDAY FEBRUARY 2ND: Candles will be blessed during each Mass. As we now use a variety of candles in both churches you may wish to give a donation towards the purchase of candles.

ST. BLAISE – MONDAY FEBRUARY 3RD: BLESSING OF THROATS:

After 7.00 p.m. Sunday Feb. 2nd, Bóthar na Naomh Church;

After 11.00 a.m. Mass Monday 3rd, Cathedral &

after 7.00 p.m. Mass Monday 3rd Feb. (Please note this is an additional Mass.);

Pallottine Chapel after 10.00 a.m. Mass until 12.30 p.m. & from 3.00 p.m. – 6.00 p.m.

2025 SACRAMENTAL DATES:

SACRAMENT OF FIRST CONFESSION: takes place in the Cathedral next Thursday January 30th @ 7.00 p.m..

CONFIRMATION DAY: SATURDAY MARCH 8th, CATHEDRAL CATHEDRAL:

10.00 a.m.: Gaelscoil Bhríde & Scoil Ailbhe, C.B.S.;

12.30 p.m.: Leugh N.S. & Scoil Angela Ursuline Primary School.

FIRST COMMUNION:

CATHEDRAL:

Saturday May 10th, 11.00 a.m.: Scoil Ailbhe, C.B.S. & Rahealty N.S.

Saturday May 17th, 11.00 a.m.: Presentation Primary & Scoil Angela, Ursuline Primary.

Saturday 24th May, 11.00 a.m.: Leugh N.S. & Gaelscoil Bhríde.

PARISH CRIBS: If you have not already done so we invite you to visit our Crib in the Cathedral as it will be closing this Sunday January 26th. Thanks to all who donated to our Crib.

SR. CLARE CROCKETT: Thirty Three year-old Derry nun, Sr. Clare Crockett, whose cause for canonization was opened in Madrid on Sunday, 12th January. You are invited to watch the documentary on Sr. Clare's life, called 'All or Nothing,' in Lámh Chúnta, Bohernanave, on Monday, January 27th @ 7.30pm, to be inspired by her great faith and zest for life. Hope to see you there.

PRESENTATION PRIMARY SCHOOL THURLES OPEN DAY: Children and parents are invited to our Open & Enrolment Day on Sunday, 26th January, from 12:30pm to 2:30pm. The boys and girls will be taken on a tour of our school and information on enrolment will be available. Information @ www.presprimarythurles.ie or contact the school office on 0504 22331.

GAELSCOIL BHRÍDE - LÁ EOLAIS: Bí linn d’ár Lá Eolais, ar an Domhnach seo, 26ú Eanáir ó 2.00 i.n. - 4.00 in. Fáilte roimh chách! Join us for our Open Day this Sunday, 26th January from 2.00pm - 4.00pm. to view our school, meet our staff and learn about immersion education. All are welcome. Information from the school on (0504) 21497 or email oifig@gaeliscoildurlas.ie

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH, IRISHTOWN, CLONMEL: Retreat & Ministry Of Healing Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th February. Led by International Priest Fr. Rozo Palic. Bring the sick, family, friends. See posters on Church notice board.

VOCATIONS AFTERNOON WITH THE POOR CLARE SISTERS, CORK: Saturday, Feb. 22nd 2.00 – 4.00 p.m. If you are thinking about a religious vocation, feel free to contact the Poor Clare Sisters anytime @ vocationspoorclarescork@gmail.com or write to: Poor Clare Monastery, College Road, Cork.

THE CROSS & CLOAK CHARITY CONCERT: Featuring Dana, An Chéad Ghlúin Eile & the Cullinane Family on Sunday, February 2nd at 7.30 p.m. in the Manor Hotel, Abbeyleix. Tickets: €25. (Booking on Eventbrite.ie). For further information contact Antoinette on 086 0803047. Proceeds to the Sacred Heart Crusade 2025.

CABRAGH WETLANDS: Join us for the Festival of St Brigid on Mon. Feb. 3rd, from 7.00 p.m. with making of Brigid’s Crosses (Reeds provided) and Celebration of St. Brigid. All welcome.

PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING: Building of a Biogas Plant at Killough Quarry near Gaile National School. Join us on Wed. Jan. 29th, 7.30 p.m., Munitír na Tíre Hall, Littleton to discuss.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Hannah (Han) Costello née Duggan, Bouladuff, formerly Ard Mhuire.

May She Rest In Peace.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

Friday 2nd May – Ormond Octaves in Concert. - Thurles Cathedral- Details to follow. All proceeds to Cathedral Reroofing Project.