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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.

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CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION
“RAISE THE ROOF” LOTTO INITIATIVE
Weekly Lotto Draw Results Feb 20th, 2025:
Winning Numbers: 10; 19; 22; 26.

The jackpot was not won this week.

Cash Prize of €50.00 to the weekly lucky winner – Lillian Moore, Thurles.

Next Draw Feb 27th, 2025, Jackpot €7,000.00

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. 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!

DIOCESAN SERVICES COLLECTION: Takes place next weekend, March 1st/2nd March 2025. Administering the Archdiocese is the responsibility of the Archbishop and his staff working from the Diocesan Office. They are charged with the legal, financial and pastoral care of the Archdiocese, its priests, people, property and assets. Because of the new legal responsibilities, the workload has grown considerably, and staff levels have increased. General secretarial administration personnel, a full-time Accountant and secretarial assistance, Child Safeguarding Director and vetting personnel, and the equipment they use, comprise part of the cost of administrating the Archdiocese. **Your contribution to the Diocesan Services goes towards supporting these necessary pastoral resources for our Diocese.** We appreciate your generosity.

WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION: We are very grateful for your Weekly Offertory Contributions - €4,557.00 received.

SATURDAY DEVOTIONS: Saturday March 1st, Bóthar na Naomh Church at 10.30 a.m.

POLISH MASS: Next Sunday March 2nd, Presentation Convent Chapel at 1.00 p.m. Msza Sw polska odbędzie się 2giego Marca o godz 1pm w Kaplicy Siostr Presentation. Mozliwosc spowiedzi

UKRANIAN MASS: Next Sunday March 2nd at 1.00 p.m. in the Cathedral.

MEET THE SAINTS: On four of the Mondays of Lent, at 7.45 p.m, in Lámh Chúnta, we will examine the lives of some well-known saints and some less well known. Beginning on Monday March 10th with a night on the martyrs of Cashe & Emly Diocese. All are welcome and hope to see you there.

CASHEL & EMLY ARCHDIOCESAN 51st ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: June 13^h - 18th. Pilgrimage Director: Rev. Jimmy Donnelly. **Bookings & Enquires:** Contact Joe Walsh Tours @ info@joewalshstours.ie or 01 241 0800. **Assisted Pilgrims only, please contact:** Very Rev. Joe Tynan, PP: lourdesassistedpilgrimage@cashel-emly.ie or 087 222 5445.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION GATHERING FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PARENTS, CONFIRMATION PARENTS & CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES: We invite you to a Talk in Bóthar na Naomh Church on Thursday, February 27th at 7.45 p.m. The Speaker will be Sr. Gulnas, Presentation Sister, native of Pakistan, recently assigned to the Presentation Convent, Thurles. We look forward to your presence on the evening.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT INFORMATION TALK will take place in Milford Care Centre, V94 H795, Education Department on Tue 25th February 2025 from 7pm - 8.30pm. The Bereavement Information Talk is designed to give general information on grief and bereavement to bereaved people, their family and friends. The evening will comprise of: Short talk by a Bereavement Counsellor, Different experiences of Grief, Services available, Question Time. **The Information Talk is Free. No booking required, Check in from 6.40pm**

NORTH TIPPERARY BRANCH OF MARY'S MEALS PROGRESSIVE 25: Sunday Feb. 25th in Loughmore Hall. Tickets: €10. Please support this worthy cause. €22 feeds a child in a place of education for an entire year. Thank you.

THURLES LIBRARY: Philip Quinn's new sculpture exhibition titled 'All Ground is Holy' is currently on display in The Source Library Gallery. The Exhibition which is hosted by Thurles Library will run until Tuesday 11th March during library opening hours.

BOOK LAUNCH: A book titled 'Tipperary Talks', by Martin Quinn, has a wide range of stories capturing aspects of the lives of people from Tipperary and also what Tipperary means to people either as natives or as visitors to the county. The book is also interspersed with some of his poetry. The launch of the book will take place on **Wednesday February 26th at 8:00pm** at The Great National Ballykisteon Hotel, Ballykisteon, Tipperary. The book will be launched by Professor Rónán Collins. Professor Collins is a Consultant Physician in Geriatric and Stroke Medicine at Tallaght University Hospital and National Clinical Lead for Stroke. The book will be available to purchase on the night at a cost of €25.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Jack Michael Garrett, Marlstone Manor. *Harry Alexander Miller-Ryan, Mill Road.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Most Rev. William Walsh, Bishop Emeritus of Killaloe, Ennis, Co Clare. †Dan Ryan, Edelmount, Dublin Road. †John McCormack, Kyle Terrace, Kickham Street. †Michael O'Sullivan, Currabower, Lombardstown, Mallow, Co. Cork.

May They 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. Tickets on sale from next Tuesday Feb. 25th in Thurles Parish Centre (0504 -22229), Bookworm, Liberty Square (0504 22257) and Holycross Parish Centre (0504 43124).