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Parish Newsletter



Church of St. John the Baptist, Knock

St. Anne's Church, Shanvaghera

NEWSLETTER SUNDAY 13TH OCTOBER, 2019. 28TH SUNDAY OF YEAR C.

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SUNDAYS AND HOLY DAYS

Masses: 9.00am, 10.30am, 12noon, 3.00pm
(Eve of Sundays and Holydays, 7.30pm)
Shanvaghera: Sundays: Mass at 10.00am

WEEKDAYS: MONDAY - SATURDAY

Masses: 9.00am, 11.00am, (Parish Church until 1 December)
12noon, 3.00pm, 7.30pm

Mass Intentions for the Week

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Sunday 13 October:	12noon	Prisoners and their families.
Monday 14 October:	3.00pm 7.30pm	Yvonne Hill. Knock 3rd Anniv. John and Kathleen Ward, son John, daughter Mary and grandson John Paul.
Tuesday 15 October.	3.00pm 7.30pm	Mary Berine who died recently. Sister of Breege Howley, Aughtaboy. Michael and Mary Teresa Devine and Helen Bonboch, Rosebury Court.
Thursday 17 October.	3.00pm	Sr. Natalie Fleming, Australia and Cloonerriff. Anniv.
Friday 18 October:	3.00pm 7.30pm	Holy Souls. Dominick Flatley, Lecarrow. Anniv.
Saturday 19 October.:	9.00am 12noon 3.00pm 7.30pm	Mark, Mary and Margaret Taaffe. Anniv. Thomas and Kathleen Durkan, Ballyroe. Bridie Costello, Barnagurry. 1st Anniv. Fr. Kieran Heneghan. Month's Mind.
Sunday 20 October:	12noon	Brendan Kilduff, Sallyhernane. Month's Mind. (Basilica).
Shanvaghera:		
Sunday 13 October:	10.00am	May Lavan Devine, Shanvaghera.
Sunday 20 October:	10.00am	Rita Campbell, Shanvaghera. 1st Anniv.

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

takes place Monday to Friday in the Apparition Chapel from **7.00 - 9.00pm**. Group **Two** this week.

Station Masses

Saturday 26th October

10.30am Sr. Gerald & Srs, Fatima House, Carramore North.

Saturday 7 December:

11.00am Carramore Meadows Residents' Association.

Guided Prayer Sessions

Final Prayer Sessions for the 2019 Pilgrimage Season will take place this **Sunday 13 October at 12noon and 5.00pm**.

Exodus 90 challenge?

Men - are you up to the Exodus 90 challenge?! Inspiring talk for men by Nathaniel Binversie from the USA on **Monday, 14 Oct at 7.30pm in St. John's Rest & Care Centre**. Men will be encouraged to deepen their love for God through prayer, challenge and fellowship.

Autumn - Winter Programme

From Monday October 14 - April 26 2020

Mass Times

Sunday & Holydays

Eve of Sundays and Holydays 7.30 pm. (**Parish Church**)

Sundays at 9.00am, 10.30am (**Parish Church**) 12noon and 3.00pm. (**Basilica**).

Monday - Saturday

9.00am, (**Parish Church**) 11.00 a.m (**Parish Church until 1 December**)

12noon, 3.00pm and 7.30pm (**Parish Church**)

Confessions & Adoration

Daily 11.00am - 4.00pm taking place in the **Confessional Chapel**.

Autumn Faith Renewal Events

'Quiet Days for Busy People' – Day Retreats

Sat 26 October 'Love that heals the heart' with Kathleen Duffy

Sat 23 November 'Promise of new life' with Sr. Moya Hegarty

Time: 11am-4.00pm. Venue: Prayer Centre, Knock Shrine. Fee: €30 per retreat (includes lunch)

Take time out with a 'Quiet Day' away from the demands of busy life. Nourish your soul and discover new life in the heart of the Gospels, through Guided Meditation and quiet reflection. Take the opportunity of a one to one conversation with a Prayer Guide in order to gain a deeper awareness of who you are in God's presence. Contact us to book a place: E: faithrenewal@knockshrine.ie T: (094) 9375355 or see more upcoming events at: www.knockshrine.ie/news/

Catholic Bible Study Group

every Friday from 7.00 pm - 8.00pm in the Alexian Brothers. Come and Experience Jesus in the Scriptures, be Spiritually empowered and enjoy the fellowship. For further information contact 089-4512209.

Bereavement Support Group

Life after a family bereavement can feel empty and lonely. A Bereavement Support Group meets at the Family Centre, Knock every **Wednesday morning at 11.00am**. Anyone is welcome to drop in any week. Further information is available from Monica Morley at the Centre on 094-9375320.

Remembering the Apparition Witnesses

Saturday 19 October marks the anniversary of the death of Mary Byrne O'Connell who passed away at the age of 86 in 1936. Mary gave her testimony to both Commissions of Enquiry in 1879 and 1936 respectively. For the latter, which took place just 6 weeks before her death, she gave her statement from her bedroom as she was too ill to leave it. She concluded her testimony by saying 'I am clear about everything I have said and I make this statement knowing that I am going before my God.'

Mary will be remembered at 9.00 am Mass on the day in Knock Parish Church.

Café Le Chéile

is delighted to announce that it will **remain open during the winter season from 10am daily.**

Carmelite Monastery

Vespers will take place at **5.00pm on Tuesday 15 October.**

Family Support Group

Family support group meet **every Tuesday** in St. John's Rest and Care Centre **at 8.30pm.**

Knock Garda Station -

Opening hours

Knock Garda Station will be open for the following hours and dates during the coming week:

Sunday 13 October 8.00pm - 9.00pm.

Friday 18 October 1.00pm - 3.00pm.

Garda Station Number (094)9388101 or by email bernadette.a.breslin@garda.ie or Claremorris Garda Station on (094) 9372080.

Mayo Blind Bus for Belfast

Are you waiting for Cataract Surgery in Ireland? **A bus is being organised in early November for patients wishing to avail of Cataract surgery in Belfast.** Patients will be treated in a private hospital, and the cost will be reimbursed by the Hse through the Cross Border Directive Scheme. For more information contact Paul Lawless Aontú. 086 0865117

OT Saturday walks

continues this **Saturday 5 October at 11.00am.** Meet at Pope Francis Plaza. Suitable for all ages and abilities, wheelchair friendly. 1km/3km/5km options, come out walk and talk. All welcome.

Prayers for the deceased

Please pray for the repose of the souls of

Ann (Nan) McLoughlin,

Carrownamallaght

Kathleen Carlos, New Jersey.

Sister of Paddy Costello, Ballyroe.