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Parish Newsletter

Church of St. John the Baptist, Knock

St. Anne's Church, Shanvaghara

NEWSLETTER 19 JANUARY, 2020. Second Sunday of the Year.

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SUNDAYS AND HOLY DAYS

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

WEEKDAYS: MONDAY - SATURDAY

Masses: 9.00am, 12noon, 3.00pm, 7.30pm

Mass Intentions for the Week

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Saturday 18 January.:	7.30pm	Michael Prendergast, Clarkefield and Derby, England.
Sunday 19 January:	12noon	Ivan Prendergast, Cloonlee. Month's Mind.
Monday 20 January:	7.30pm	Martin and Celia Keeley, Curraghateemore.
Tuesday 21 January:	7.30pm	Catherine Flynn, Cloonlavish. Anniv.
Thursday 23 January.:	12noon	Michael W. Hernan. Anniv.
Friday 24 January.:	3.00pm 7.30pm	Holy Souls. Thomas and Winifred Rattigan, Liscat. Anniv.
Saturday 25 January.:	11.00am 12noon 3.00pm	(Apparition Chapel) Denis Mulkeen, Faughill. 1st Anniv. Eileen O'Connell, Ballyhowley. 1st Anniv. Kathleen Eaton and deceased members of the Eaton Family, Cullintra. 2nd Anniv.
Sunday 26 January:	7.30pm 12noon	Thomas Conlon, Clarkefield. Month's Mind. Paddy Kearns, Kilgarraff. Month's Mind.
Shanvaghara:		
Sunday 19 January:	10.00am	Austin and Margaret Henry and Tracey Campbell Fitzpatrick.
Sunday 26 January:	10.00am	Tommy, Mary, Delia and Michael Hopkins.

Hospice Ecumenical Service

Mayo Roscommon Hospice Let Love shine a light Ecumenical Service takes place this **Sunday 19 January at 3.45pm** at the Rest and Care Centre, Knock. All those for whom lights were sponsored will be prayed for at the service. Refreshments served.

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

will take place each evening Monday to Friday in the Apparition Chapel from **7.00pm - 9.00pm**. Group Two this week.

Family Support Group

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

Bereavement Support Group

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.

Catholic Bible Study Group

every Friday from 7.00 pm - 8.00pm in the Alexian Brothers. For information contact 089-4512209.

Watch - Knock to join in Special Mass in St. Peter's, Rome

Knock, Ireland's National Marian Shrine is honoured to participate at a special Mass in St Peters Basilica to celebrate the 'Sunday of the Word of God' on the **26 January**. The Mass will be broadcast on EWTN SKY Channel 588 from 9.45am and also live on EWTN Ireland <https://www.ewtnireland.com/watch-live/>

"Cool Kids" Anxiety Reduction Programme

is anxiety affecting your child's quality of life? Knock Counselling Centre are running the "Cool Kids" Anxiety Reduction Programme for children & young people aged 12-18. The evidence based programme is run over eight to ten sessions and teaches children and their parents how to better manage the child's anxiety. For more information contact Peter Devers, Psychotherapist. 0949375032

Legion of Mary meeting

is held every **Thursday morning at 10.00am** in **St. John's Rest and Care Centre, Knock**. All are welcome.

Reflection on Sunday Readings for Mass

Group will meet every Friday from **10.45am - 11.45am** in Room 2, St. John's Rest and Care Centre. Everyone welcome.

Enrolment/Open Evening

Knock National School are holding an enrolment **information evening on Tuesday 28 January at 7.30pm**. All parents/guardians who wish to enrol their child/children for the 2020/2021 school year are invited to attend.

Aghamore Gaa Development Draw

will take place **Saturday 25 January** in The Corner House Kilkelly. Tickets €20 each available from any committee member, local outlets and online.

Knock Garda Station - Opening hours

Thursday 21 January 10.30am - 12noon. Garda Bernadette Breslin can be contacted on (094)9388101 or by email bernadette.a.breslin@garda.ie

A Pilgrims's Tour

to Bosnia-Herzegovina (4 nights) & to Croatia (3 nights) **June 30 - July 7 2020**. For details & booking contact Louise at 012410816 or leave name and address at 09328337.

A New Year, A New You!!

Get out walk and talk, meet others and enjoy all the benefits that you will find! Lots of options for all.... Operation Transformation walks **every Saturday, meet Pope Francis Plaza at 11am**, walk and then after enjoy if you wish a discounted cuppa thanks to our local cafes **On Tuesdays and Thursdays, meet North Carpark at 7.00pm**. More info contact: Leonie 086 8486924. For daily walking, contact Michael Sloyan East Mayo Ramblers, 087 9947842.

Knock Museum

Learn to make your own St. Brigid's Cross at Knock Museum on Friday 31 January from 11.30 - 12:30 with professional craft worker, Patricia Flaherty. Patricia is a qualified craft teacher with over 20 years in business, specialising in traditional crafts using rush and willow. Admission is free and all are welcome but booking is advisable on 094 93 75034 or Email: museum@knockshrine.ie

Rosary with musical reflections

every Wednesday evening in the Parish Church after the 7.30pm Mass led by Fr. Donal Harney.

Foyer of Charity

Silent Retreat in St. Mary's Hostel **February 24 - 1st March**. A privileged time to come away from noise and distractions and listen to the Spirit of God who is Love. Silence, prayer, teachings and liturgy of the Church. For info contact Helen on 086 1678027 or

Holy Land Pilgrimage 2020

Fr. Benny McHale has organised a pilgrimage to the Holy Land from **Tuesday 23 June to Friday 4 July**. As occupancy fills up very quickly it is advisable to contact him as soon as possible at 091 844227.

Ballyhaunis Community School

is holding its annual Open Evening on Thursday evening, January 30th from 5 - 8pm. All students in 6th Class are invited, with their parents, to come and view our school facilities.

Lourdes

Order of Malta 2020 pilgrimage to Lourdes 1st to 6th May 2020 (5nights) ex Knock Airport. Choice of hotels. Early booking advised. Details from John Egan 087 2515422, Michael Rattigan 087 2929372 and Una Monaghan 087 132 1982 .

Healing/Anointing Catholic Ministry Service

Led by Aidan Byrne, Lay Preacher, on Sunday 19th January from 1.30pm to 5.15pm in the Church of the Holy Rosary, Castlebar. Praise and Worship, Healing, Prayers, Laying on of hands. Talks and Eucharistic Adoration after 12 noon Mass. All are welcome