

FEAST DAYS FOR COMING WEEK

Sun. 22 Jan: Catholic School's Week.
Tues. 24 Jan: St. Francis de Sales.
Wed. 25 Jan: The Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle.
Thurs. 26 Jan.: St. S. Timothy and Titus Bishops.
Fri. 27 Jan: St. Angela Merici, Virgin.
Sat. 28 Jan: St. Thomas Aquinas.

CARMELITE CONVENT - TRANQUILLA

Morning Mass at 8.00am except on Friday morning when Mass will be at 9.00am. Masses are open to the Public. Chapel open from 2.00pm - 5.00pm daily. Vespers at 4.30pm.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023

World Youth Day is a catholic international event, attended by Pope Francis and held every three years. It will take place next August 1 -6 in Lisbon, Portugal. The Archdiocese of Tuam will participate in this exciting pilgrimage and is inviting young adults (18 - 35) to join us for a week of prayer, faith and friendship. If you are interested or would like more information please email tuam2lisbon23@gmail.com or chat to your local Priest.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

Wednesday morning at 11am in the Family Centre, Knock Shrine. Also on the first Thursday of each month at 11am there will be an opportunity specifically for bereaved spouses to meet. These meetings aim to help those who grieve find healing,

ST JOHN'S GOLDEN YEARS DAY CARE

For Senior Citizens will take place every Tuesday and Wednesday. If you are interested in attending Day Care please phone 094 9388100 (ext. 136).

LEGION OF MARY KNOCK PRAESIDIUM

has their weekly meeting on Thursdays at 10.45am in St. John's Welcome Centre. New members welcome.

KNOCK 25 CARD GAME

continues at 9.00pm in St. John's Welcome Centre. All Welcome. Enquires to 086 0500342.

MAYO CANCER SUPPORT

Mayo Cancer Support provides FREE support services to those affected by cancer. Call (094) 9038407.

ABILITY ENTERPRISES

Ballindine are running computer courses in Word Processing, Spreadsheets, Internet, Computer Applications etc. All courses are QQI qualified. Applications are welcomed from unemployed persons in receipt of UA/UB and persons with a physical or sensory disability. Applicants must be registered with Dept. of Social Protection. Courses funded by the ETB. No computer experience necessary, For information, please contact: 09493 85005 / 09493 64054; Email: ability@iol.ie

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CLAREMORRIS MUSICAL SOCIETY

Claremorris Musical Society, proudly presents its 16th annual production - the Award winning, "9 to 5 The Musical" from Wednesday, February 1st to Sunday, February 5th at 8pm nightly, in Claremorris Townhall Theatre. Tickets on sale now and available at www.townhall.ie or by calling the Townhall on 094 9310999.

LÁ FHÉILE BRÍDE | ST. BRIGID'S DAY

St. Brigid's Day, 01 February, heralds the start of Spring and an end to the darkness of winter. Keep the ancient tradition of making St. Brigid's Crosses alive by making your own Cross at Knock Museum on Sunday 29th January, in advance of the feast day of St. Brigid of Ireland.

Workshops run all day on Sunday 29th from 12-5pm, all materials will be supplied, and booking is not necessary. Further information from Knock Museum on 094 93 75034 or email: museum@knockshrine.ie

ANAM CARA

the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Tuesday 24th January at 7:15pm in the T. F Royal Hotel, Castlebar, Co. Mayo. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We now also offer an online support service too. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

YOUNG ADULT NIGHT - TUAM CATHEDRAL

Over 18s event will take place on Saturday the 4th February in Tuam. The evening will begin with Vigil Mass at 6pm in the cathedral, followed by talks, testimonies, prayers, music, and social time. Further details are available from your local parish or Mark at 0871323296.

EWTN

will broadcast the 12 noon Mass (live) every Sunday commencing on 29th January.

UPCOMING EVENT:

SCREENING OF 'THE LETTER' AT KNOCK SHRINE
Saturday 11th February, 2pm & 7pm – Booking Required (Admission Free)

The Letter Film – A Message for Our Earth was launched in the Vatican on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, October 4th 2022. The Letter is a powerful movie which tells the story of four people from very different backgrounds and the roles they are playing to care more deeply for our common home. Taking place in the Prayer Centre, Knock Shrine on Saturday 11th February (admission free). There will be two screenings at 2pm and 7pm (film duration 1hr 20 mins). Advance booking is required online through Eventbrite. See www.knockshrine.ie for further details.

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the soul of
Sr. Helen (Kitty Johnston) formerly of Cloonternane and Devon and Torquay, England who died during the week.



St. Anne's Church, Shanvaghera & Church of St. John the Baptist, Knock

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Fr Richard Gibbons, P.P. tel: 094 93 88100

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

KNOCK:

Saturday 21 January:	7.30pm	Nora McLoughlin, Carramore Meadows.
Tuesday 24 January:	3.00pm 7.30pm	Patrick Walsh. Anniv. and his sister Josephine Lindfield. Thomas and Winifred Rattigan and son Tom Liscat. Anniv.
Wednesday 25 January:	12noon 7.30pm	Dolores Walsh, Churchfield. 3rd Anniv. Jimmy Flatley, Ballyhowley. 1st Anniv.
Thursday 26 January:	3.00pm 7.30pm	Kathleen and Malachy Eaton and deceased members of the Eaton Family, Cullintra. All deceased Staff and Sisters of St. Mary's Hostel.
Friday 27 January:	7.30pm	Deceased members of the McLoughlin and Duffy Families, Clarkefield.
Saturday 28 January:	12noon 3.00pm	John Carty. Carramore. 9th Anniv. John and Tesesa O'Connor and son Michael, Eden. Anniv.
Sunday 29 January:	12noon	Denis Mulkeen and deceased members of the Mulkeen Family, Faughill.

SHANVAGHERA

Sunday 22 January: 10.00am Nonie and Paddy Joyce. Anniv. and their granddaughter Karen.

MASS TIMES Monday – Saturday:

Parish Church: 9am, 12 noon, 3pm & 7.30pm (Rosary at 7pm)

Sunday:

Parish Church: 9am. Basilica: 10.30am, 12 noon, 3pm. Shanvaghera: 10.00am
Exposition (Daily): **St. Brigid's**: 11.00am-3.00pm. Apparition Chapel: 7pm – 9pm
Confessions (Daily): **St. Brigid's** 11.00am-3.00pm

GROW IN LOVE IN THE PARISH

This weekend we continue to welcome in a particular way those children who are preparing to celebrate the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion for the first time later this year. Our focus this month has been on helping them learn about Baptism, the sacrament through which new members are welcomed into our parish family.