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

Faith Renewal Events- Spring 2023

Screenings of 'The Letter: A Message for our Earth' Saturday 11th February: 11am-1pm & 2pm-4pm

Taking place in the Prayer Centre, Knock Shrine (Booking Required-Admission Free)

'The Letter' is a powerful film 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.

'Following in the Footsteps of Jesus to his Passion' with Fr Denis McBride C.Ss.R

Saturday 25th February

Taking place in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Knock Shrine

Time: 10am - 4pm

Cost: €30

Denis McBride is a Redemptorist priest, lecturer, author and publishing director of Redemptorist Publications.

Fr Denis hopes to make a crossover into people's lives, and that the issues that Jesus faced might, in some way, speak to the challenges people face in their own lives. He will also celebrate 12 noon Mass in the Basilica on Sunday 26th of February.

Advance booking is required for Faith Renewal events. See knockshrine.ie for further details.

FEAST DAYS FOR COMING WEEK

Mon. 30 Jan: St. Aidan.

Tues. 31 Jan: St. John Bosco.

Wed. 1 Feb: St. Brigid's Day.

Thurs. 2 Feb.: Presentation of the Lord.

World Day for Consecrated Life.

Fri. 3 Feb: St. Blaise and Ansgar.

Sat. 4 Feb: St. Agatha.

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.

MONTHLY CENACLE

The Monthly Cenacle of Prayer under the aegis of the Marian Movement of Priests, will be held in St. Joseph's Church, Aghamore, on Thursday next, February 2nd commencing at 6.15pm with Rosary, followed by Reading from Our Lady's Book. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 7.00pm. All welcome.

ST JOHN'S GOLDEN YEARS DAY CARE

continues 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.

EWTN

will broadcast the 12 noon Mass commencing this Sunday.

LOCAL LINK MAYO

A meeting to discuss the current status and potential development of Local Link rural travel routes servicing the wider Ballyhaunis area at the Community Hall in

Ballyhaunis on February 15 at 7.30pm.

Info from ballyhauniscommunitycouncil@gmail.com

KNOCK GARDA STATION-

Road Safety Authority High Visibility Yellow jackets and Bike Lights are currently available at Knock Garda Station for collection. Station will be open on Monday the 30th of January from 6pm to 7pm if anyone wishes to avail of these items. Station opening times are displayed on the Garda station window for other collection times. Station Mobile number: 085 8059545.

CLAREMORRIS MUSICAL SOCIETY

9 to 5 The Musical" from Wednesday, February 1st to Sunday, February 5th at 8pm nightly, in Claremorris Townhall Theatre.

YOUNG ADULT NIGHT - TUAM CATHEDRAL

Over 18s event will take place on Saturday 4th February in Tuam commencing with Vigil Mass at 6pm in the cathedral, followed by talks, testimonies, prayers, music, and social time. Details available from your local parish or Mark at 087 1323296

KNOCK TIDY TOWNS

Meeting at Burke's Corner Shop on Monday 30 January at 8.30pm. All welcome.

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Tommy Glynn** formerly of Meeltrane and who died recently in the U.S.A.

John Loftus, Carramore Meadows

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:

Sunday 29 January:

12noon Denis Mulkeen and deceased members of the

Mulkeen Family, Faughill. Anniv.

Monday 30 January: 12noon Eileen and Ambrose O'Connell, Ballyhowley. Anniv.

Wednesday 1 February: 7.30pm John and Mary Moyles.

Saturday 4 February: 3.00pm Rita and Declan Murphy, Carramore.

7.30pm Bernie Jennings, Wingfield. 1st Anniv.

Sunday 5 February: 12noon William (Bill) Byrne. Formerly of Lispatrick. Month's Mind.

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

Celebrating St. Brigid's Day, Candlemas and St Blaise Wednesday 1 – Friday February 3

Wednesday 1 February

We invite you to celebrate with us as we welcome the arrival of spring and the Feast of St. Brigid on Wednesday 1st February. St Brigid's Crosses will be blessed during each Mass on this feast day, please bring your crosses with you.

Thursday 2nd February

the feast of the Presentation of the Lord (Candlemas), the Blessing of Candles will take place during Mass. Please bring your candles with you to be blessed.

Friday 3rd February

we will celebrate the Feast Day of St Blaise. Please note that the traditional Blessing of Throats will take place after each Mass.

We look forward to welcoming you.