

## Jesuit Week At Knock Shrine: Sunday, 23 July To Saturday 29 July 2023

The theme for Jesuit Week this year is 'Nourishment for a Hungry Heart'. You are invited to participate in all the events this week, or to drop in for any session. The week can serve as a Retreat for those who wish.

'Come away and rest awhile' was Jesus' call to his over-burdened disciples (Mark 6:31) and today he invites us to take what space we can from our busy lives, so that our souls can catch up. The Week will be a faith-fest, in which we can strengthen our confidence in our Christian calling in these demanding times. It will give an opportunity to listen to 'the still small voice' and experience healing and growth. By attending to the divine love-story at work in ourselves and our world, despite all obstacles, we will fall more deeply in love with God who loves us and is the origin of all that is good. A God of surprises awaits us!

The Week will be led by an Ignatian Group, who will work as a team, all of whom are qualified in Pastoral Ministry; female and male, younger and older, lay and Religious. See [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie) for more details.

### PUBLIC MINI VIGIL AT KNOCK SHRINE

Join Knock Shrine for peace and prayer at our Friday vigil on Friday 7 July. Confessions take place from 8pm-9pm and Vigil from 9pm until Midnight in the Parish Church. All are welcome.

### PRAYER SESSIONS

in Prayer Centre Monday to Friday: 12noon and 4.15pm.  
Saturday and Sunday: 12noon and 5.00pm  
Evening Prayer daily in Apparition Chapel at 8.40pm.

### DIVINE ENCOUNTER BIBLE STUDY GROUP

every Friday from 6pm-7pm at The Alexian Brothers Community Centre, Churchfield. For further information please contact: 0863401038.

### PILGRIMAGES FOR THE COMING WEEK

#### Saturday 8 July:

Oblate Pilgrimage.

### LEGION OF MARY KNOCK PRAESIDIUM

weekly meeting on Thursdays at 10.45am in St. John's Welcome Centre. New members welcome. **Legion of Mary, Knock will be in the area with the travelling Fatima statue.** If you would like to pray with it for a week, please contact Tara @ (087)447-4004.

### 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.

### KNOCK 25 CARD GAME

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

### 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).

### 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.

**EWTV** will broadcast the 12 noon Mass every Sunday.

### KNOCK SHRINE SOCIETY (Cáirde Mhuire)

are organising a Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Italy from 19 - 26 October incl. 3 nights in Rome, 2 nights in Assisi and 2 nights in San Giovanni. For more information please contact Catherine Hynes on 087 9421518.

### OPEN GARDEN

Charity afternoon on July 2nd, from 1.30pm to 8pm in Sean & Terri Mitchell's garden, Deerpark, Belcarra, F23NP84. All donations in aid of Western Alzheimers. Please support.

### FEAST DAYS

Sat. 1 July:	St. Oliver Plunkett.
Mon. 3 July:	St. Thomas.
Tues. 4 July:	St. Elizabeth of Portugal.
Wed. 5 July:	St. Anthony Zaccaria.
Thursday 6 July:	St. Maria Goretti, St. Monnin.
Friday 7 July:	St. Maelruain.
Saturday 8 July:	St. Killian.

### A PRO LIFE MASS

'Rekindling the Gospel of Life' will be celebrated in the Apparition Chapel at Knock Shrine on Saturday 8th July at 12:30pm. The Celebrant will be Fr. Vincent Twomey SVD. All are welcome.

### MEETING OF ALL SISTERS

living in Knock will take place in St. John's Welcome Centre on Wednesday, July 5th at 4.30pm.

### PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the souls of

**Margaret McLoughlin**, Atherton, Manchester, England, who died recently. Niece of the late Paddy McLoughlin, Clarkfield, Knock.

**Tim Ganley**, Crossard, Tooreen.

Brother of Phil Cullinane, Churchfield 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 1 July:	7.30pm	Fiona Murnane. Month's Mind.
Sunday 2 July:	10.30am	John Biesty. Anniv. and deceased members of the Biesty Family, Adrigoole.
	12noon	Mary and Michael Connell, Cloonternane. Anniv.
Monday 3 July:	12noon	Margaret Marshall, Coogue North.
	7.30pm	Breda Laffey, Knock and Finney.
Tuesday 4 July:	3.00pm	Delia and Francis Niland. Anniv. and daughter Angela who died recently.
	7.30pm	Tom and Nellie McLoughlin and Mary Beirne, Aughtaboy. Anniv.
Friday 7 July:	7.30pm	Tom and Baby Lyons and sons, Tony, Miko and daughters in law Janet and Anne.
Saturday 8 July:	12noon	Eamonn McNally. Anniv. Celia Brennan and all deceased members of the McNally, Brennan and Prendergast Families.
Sunday 9 July:	10.30am	Towas and family, Elena and wife Angela, Alfonsus and Pranas.
	12noon	Brian McHugh. Anniv. and parents Margaret and James McHugh.

#### **SHANVAGHERA:**

<b>Sunday 2 July:</b>	10.00am	James Morley, Aughtaboy. Anniv.
<b>Sunday 9 July:</b>	10.00am	John, Ann, Pdraig and Seán Cunnane, Adrigoole.

#### **MASS TIMES**

##### **Sundays and Holydays**

Masses: 9.00am (Parish Church) 10.30am, 12noon, 3.00pm. (Basilica)  
(Eve of Sundays and Holy days, 7.30pm)

Shanvaghera: Sundays: Mass at 10.00am

Monday - Saturday 9.00am and 7.30pm (Parish Church) 12noon, 3.00pm (Basilica)

Confessions daily from 10.30am - 4.30pm **(10.30am - 5.00pm from Saturday 1 July)**

#### **'People for Other' Exhibition at Knock Museum**

##### **June 30 – November 30**

We are delighted to announce the official opening of the exhibition "People for Others" at the museum on Friday 30th June at 4:30pm by Fr. Richard. This exhibition features a collection of portraits by artist Sara Kyne, honouring twenty-two people who have founded or who run charitable foundations including Fr. Peter McVerry, Sr. Stan, Brother Kevin and Fr. Adrian Crowley. Among the charities featured are Mary's Meals Ireland, Pieta House, Cork Penny Dinners and Community Cenacolo based here in Knock parish. The museum is open daily 10-6pm and admission is free.