

AN EVENING OF SONGS OF FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE IN KNOCK BASILICA - FRIDAY, 1ST DECEMBER AT 8PM

Featuring Dana, John McNicholl, Margo, Philomena Begley and Marc Roberts with Una Nolan & Schola Cantorum Basilicae Choir. A fundraising concert for Victim Assistance Charity. Tickets from Ticketmaster.ie Tickets also available from head office - for details contact Mary McNicholas, Victim Assistance, Head Office, Aiden St., Kiltimagh, Co. Mayo 094 9000 251/ 086 3938871. Email: support@victimassistance.ie

FAITH RENEWAL EVENTS AT KNOCK SHRINE

Autumn-Winter Programme

As the autumn leaves begin to fall and the winter chill settles in, we are excited to invite you to a new series of faith renewal events.

'WHAT DO WE KNOW ABOUT JESUS?'

Adult Faith Formation Course with Fr Eugene Duffy. continues this Tuesday evenings at 8pm. Booking required online on Eventbrite (see knockshrine.ie for direct link to book)

REMEMBRANCE MASS for the deceased of the Parish on Friday 3rd November at 7.30pm in the Parish Church.

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE MASS - Sunday 5th November at 12 noon, Knock Basilica

ART WORKSHOP: 'SEEING IS BELIEVING: REFLECTING ON ART AS A GLIMPSE OF THE SACRED.'

With Dr. Nora Donnelly Saturday 9th & 16th December at 10.30am. With these illustrated lectures, Nora Donnelly hopes to help not only to make some sense of Art but to also get a better understanding of it.

Booking required on Eventbrite (see knockshrine.ie for direct link to book)

'A LIGHT TO ENLIGHTEN THE WORLD: ALL-NIGHT VIGIL, 7TH DECEMBER'

Confessions from 10pm until Midnight on the night of Thursday 7th December. The Vigil will continue in the Basilica from Midnight with Rosary, Holy Hour, Reflections and Prayer, concluding with Mass at 4am.

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT

Sunday 17th December at 8pm. Join with the Schola Cantorum Basilicae and the choirs of Knock in celebrating the joy of Christmas with a collection of carols, hymns and festive favourites at Knock Basilica. Admission free and all are welcome.

ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Tuesday 19th December from 8pm-9pm in the Chapel of Reconciliation with music provided by Schola Cantorum Basilicae.

FEAST DAYS

Monday 16 Oct.:	St. Hedwig, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque. St. Gall.
Tuesday 17 Oct:	St. Ignatius of Antioch.
Wednesday 18 Oct.:	St. Luke Evangelist.
Thursday 19 Oct.:	St. John Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues and Companions St. Paul of the Cross, Priest.

ANNUAL MASS FOR DECEASED OF KNOCK PARISH

The annual Mass to remember all those from our parish who have died since last November will take place on Friday the 3rd November at 7.30pm. Families as well as the wider community are invited to attend and to take part in this evening of remembering. More details next week.

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.

DIVINE ENCOUNTER BIBLE STUDY GROUP

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

EWTN will broadcast the 12 noon Mass every Sunday.

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).

MOUNT SAINT MICHAEL MUSICAL:

The Transition Year students of Mount Saint Michael, in association with students of St. Colman's College, will be performing Popstars: The 90's Musical in the Townhall, Claremorris. Wednesday October 25th and Thursday October 26th at 8pm. Tickets are available in the school or on the night at the door. Looking forward to seeing you there

OCTOBER OFFERINGS for the Priests of the Parish.

Please return envelopes to the Shrine Office or Sacristy **over the coming week.**
Thank you.

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Thomas Hamill, Navan, Co. Meath.
Father of Gráinne Treanor, Cloonfaughna.



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

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KNOCK:

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday 15 October:	12noon	Peg Woods, Somerset and Faughill. 2nd Anniv. nephew John Morley and wife Paula, Zimbabwe.
Monday 16 October:	7.30pm	Nora Maloney and her sister Mary Gill.
Wednesday 18 October:	12noon	Catherine and Bill Flynn, Cloonlavish. Anniv.
Thursday 19 October;	7.30pm	Dominic Flatley, Lecarrow.
Friday 20 October:	12 noon	Sr. Rose and Ian Gourley.
Saturday 21 October:	3.00pm	Babe Lyons.
	7.30pm	P. J. Cunnane. 1st Anniv.
Sunday 22 October:	12noon	John and Kitty Duggan, Ballyhowley and daughter Mary and son in law Tom McDonald.

SHANVAGHERA:

Sunday 15 October:	10.00am	Rita Campbell. Anniv.
Sunday 22 October:	10.00am	Ned, Nora and John Campbell, Shanvaghera.

WINTER PROGRAMME commencing Monday 9 October

Monday – Saturday:

Parish Church: 9.00am, 12noon, 3.00pm & 7.30pm (Rosary at 7.00pm)

Sunday:

Parish Church: 9.00am, 10.30am Basilica: 12noon and 3.00pm.

Shanvaghera: Sundays: Mass at 10.00am

Exposition (Daily): **Chapel of Reconciliation:** 11.00am - 4.00pm. Apparition Chapel: 7.00pm – 9.00pm

Confessions (Daily): 10.30am - 4.00pm

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT MEETINGS

Life after a bereavement can feel very lonely. Sometimes spending time, talking and sharing with others who know the experience can be helpful. Trained facilitators conduct a weekly Bereavement Support Meeting at the Family Centre, Knock each Wednesday at 11am. There is also a special meeting for bereaved partners / spouses on the First Thursday of each month at 11am. No appointment needed. Further information is available from Monica Morley on 094-9375320.

MEETING OF ALL SISTERS

living in Knock will take place in St. John's Welcome Centre on Wednesday, October 18th at 4.30pm.

All Sisters are welcome.