

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

Featuring 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](mailto:support@victimassistance.ie)

## **FAITH RENEWAL EVENTS AT KNOCK SHRINE**

### **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](http://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.

View the full programme of events at [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie)

## **FEAST DAYS**

Monday 27 Nov.: St. Fergal.

Thursday 30 Nov.: Sr. Andrew.

## **KNOCK YOUTH CHOIR**

is inviting new members, from age 8 upwards, who would like to become involved as we look forward to a busy year ahead. The choir sings at the 12noon mass in the Basilica every second Sunday, as well as for concerts and special ceremonies throughout the year. Members will benefit from voice tuition and choral training and have the opportunity to be mentored by members of the Schola Cantorum Basilicae. No previous choir experience necessary! Contact Una on 094 9388100 / [unanolan@knockshrine.ie](mailto:unanolan@knockshrine.ie)

## **CENACOLO COMMUNITY. KNOCK F12WK74**

Annual Family Day on Saturday 9 December.

Holy Mass at 12noon

Testimonies at 3.00pm

Live outdoor Nativity Play at 5.00pm.

All are welcome.

Please text 0852526864 if attending.

## **VIRTUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND**

Advent Monday 4, 11, 18 December at 4.00pm in the Library Carrowmore Meadows Residents Centre. One Hour. Info. from Fr. Tom Gufferty 085 8738322.

All welcome

## **KNOCK CHRISTMAS MARKET 2023**

Annual Christmas Market will take place indoors at St John's Welcome Centre on Sunday, 10 December from 10.00am to 4.00pm. Christmas Market is always a festive event with wonderful handmade gifts by Irish crafters. The perfect day to get you in the festive spirit. For more information you can follow us on Facebook/Instagram: Knock Market or email [leoniekilroy@gmail.com](mailto:leoniekilroy@gmail.com)

## **BLESSING FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS**

On Saturday December 2nd, a blessing ceremony for all parents who are expecting a baby, will take place in the Basilica at 11am. It will include a short prayer for protection and safe delivery with an individual blessing for all mothers-to-be who are present. All welcome.

## **'PEOPLE FOR OTHERS',**

exhibition coming to a close at Knock Museum This week is your final chance to explore the museum's wonderful portrait art exhibition 'People for Others'. This exhibition of paintings by artist Sara Kyne was inspired by 24 people who have either set up or run charitable organisations, people who make the world a better place for others. We would like to thank Sara for loaning this beautiful collection to Knock Museum at the end of June and it has proven a popular display throughout this time. Knock Museum is open daily from 10-5pm during winter and admission is free.

## **MEETING**

with Fr. Charles Nyameh from Northern Nigeria on their story of charity and forgiveness despite facing militant persecution in his region. Venue: Room 2, St. John's Rest & Care Centre, Knock Shrine on Sunday 26th November at 7:30pm. All welcome.

## **KNOCK UNIT OF ORDER OF MALTA**

wish to thank all who contributed to their annual collection.

## **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.



*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**

## **KNOCK:**

## **MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Saturday 25 November:	7.30pm	Kathleen and Jay Flatley, Lakehill. Anniv.
Sunday 26 November:	10.30am	Dominick and Annie King and their son Dominick and daughter in law Valerie King.
	12noon	Alo Reddington. 3rd Anniv.
	3.00pm	Michael and Sarah Prendergast and all deceased members of the Prendergast Family, Clarkefield.
Monday 27 November:	12noon	Eva Cregan and husband Michael. 4th Anniv.
	7.30pm	Bernie and Mary Ann Kearns, Cloonlee.
Tuesday 28 November:	12noon	Deceased members of Michael Egan's Family, Augtaboy.
	7.30pm	Delia and Thomas Coen and deceased members of the Coen Family, Sallyhernane.
Wednesday 29 November:	12noon	John and Bridie Flatley and son John, Lecarrow. Anniv.
	7.30pm	Sean and Teresa Heneghan, Carramore.
Thursday 30 November:	12noon	Pat and Ann Killeen, Esker. Anniv
	7.30pm	Annie Mae Dolan, Wingfield. Anniv.
Friday 1 December:	3.00pm	Msgr. Joseph Quinn. Anniv.
	7.30pm	Dolly and Murray Families, Carramore.
Saturday 2 December:	12noon	Jimmy and Margaret Walsh, Cloonternane. Anniv.
	3.00pm	Mary and Martin Kelly, Cloonternane. .
	7.30pm	Catherine and Richard Killeen, Esker.
Sunday 3 December:	12noon	Frank Conboy, Adrigooole. Anniv.
	3.00pm	Enda Morley, Cloonfaughna. Anniv.

## **SHANVAGHERA:**

Sunday 26 November:	10.00am	Julia and Gerard Walsh and deceased Walsh Family.
Sunday 3 December:	10.00am	Monica Murphy, Shanvaghera. Anniv.

## **WINTER PROGRAMME**

### **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 from Saturday 18 November:**

11.00am - 4.00pm. Apparition Chapel: 7.00pm – 9.00pm.

Confessions (Daily): 10.30am - 4.00pm

### **Please pray for the repose of the soul of**

Toby Burke, Glanmire, Cork who died during the week. Brother of Sean Burke, Wingfield.