



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

Newsletter Sunday 27 July 2025. 17th Sunday Year C

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

KNOCK:

Saturday 26 July:	8.00am	K.S.F.A.
	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Mick and Tom Kearns, Cloonlee. Anniv.
	7.30pm	Padraig Cunniffe, Knockbaun. Month's Mind.
Sunday 27 July:	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	10.30am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Martin Caulfield, Coogue. Anniv.
Monday 28 July:	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Philomena Kelly, Carrowmore Meadows. Month's Mind.
	3.00pm	K.S.F.A.
	7.30pm	Kathleen Hynes. Anniv.
Tuesday 29 July:	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Tom Brett, Barnagurry. Anniv.
	3.00pm	K.S.F.A.
	7.30pm	Lena and David Taylor and deceased members of the Caulfield and Taylor Families.
Wednesday 30 July:	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Eric Marshall, Coogue North. Month's Mind.
	3.00pm	K.S.F.A.
Thursday 31 July:	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Stephen Ryall, Caldragh. Anniv.
	3.00pm	K.S.F.A.
	7.30pm	Mary Healy, Derry. Anniv.
Friday 1 August:	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Fr. John Baptist Byrne, CP, Cloonternane. Anniv.
	3.00pm	K.S.F.A.
	7.30pm	Msgr. James Horan, P.P. Anniv.
Saturday 2 August:	8.00am	K.S.F.A.
	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Margaret and John Costello and their daughter Margaret, Knockroe.
	7.30pm	James McNieve, Churchfield. 1st Anniv.
Sunday 3 August:	9.00am	K.S.F.A.
	10.30am	K.S.F.A.
	12noon	Jay and Kathleen Flatey, Lakehill. Anniv.

SHANVAGHERA:

Sunday 27 July:	10.00am	Michael and Nora Hopkins, Liscat. Anniv.
Sunday 3 August:	10.00am	Paddy Joe O'Brien, Shanvaghera. 3rd Anniv.

K.S.F.A. = Knock Shrine Friends Association.

MARKET @ THE PLAZA

will take place this Sunday, 27th of July (Grandparents Day). 10 am to 3 pm at Pope Francis Plaza. Lots of unique gifts handmade by local crafters here in the west of Ireland. We look forward to seeing you in Knock.
Contact: leoniekilroy@gmail.com for details.

WEEK OF IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY

takes place from Sunday, 27 July to Saturday, 02 August. You are welcome to join for the whole week or part of it. It can serve as a personal retreat, with spiritual direction available daily. This is a free event. No booking required.
See www.knockshrine.ie for schedule.

THE BISHOP ROBERT BARRON WORD ON FIRE

concludes on Thursday **31st July** at 8pm in St. John's Welcome Centre. Tea, coffee, and biscuits are provided. There is no charge. This three-month course can be joined at any time and focuses on interesting topics about Catholicism, theology, and evangelisation. - An initiative of Knock-Shanvaghara Pastoral Parish Council

A SENSORY FRIENDLY MASS

takes place in the Parish Church the last Sunday of every month at 12.30pm. **The next Mass is on this Sunday, 27 July at 12.30pm in St. Joseph's Chapel in THE HUB.** For enquiries and more information, contact Nicola at faithrenewal@knockshrine.ie

TRANQUILLA

Morning Mass at **8.00am**. Masses are open to the Public.
Chapel open from **2.00pm - 5.00pm daily. Vespers 4.30pm.**

KNOCK 25 CARD GAME

Friday evening at 9.00pm in St. John's Welcome Centre.

THE LEGION OF MARY

meeting on **Thursday mornings at 10.30am** in St. John's Welcome Centre.

New evening meeting praesidium, **7.30pm Wednesdays in St. John's Welcome Centre.** Phone 089 984 4374.

DROP-IN LISTENING SERVICE

Knock Counselling Centre offer a confidential single session listening service with no appointment needed. Our listening service is now available every **Thursday and Sunday from 11 am to 3 p.m.** For any queries please contact counsellingoffice@knockshrine.ie or phone 0949375032.

PILGRIMAGES FOR COMING WEEK

Saturday 2 August: National Cenacle for Marian Movement of Priests Pilgrimage.

Sunday 3 August: Cashel and Emly Diocesan Pilgrimage.

EWTN will broadcast the **3.00pm Mass every Sunday.**

KNOCK PRAYER CENTRE

Open daily 11am to 6pm. Guided prayer sessions will be available Monday to Friday **11.15am and 4.15pm and Saturday and Sunday 11.15am and 5pm**

Evening prayer in the **Apparition Chapel @ 8.45pm.**

HOPE - FOR OUR PILGRIM JOURNEY

The Priory Institute two week on-line Summer School is reflective, informative and interactive and will run from 11 August. The course includes eight recorded presentations and two on-line zoom discussions and is very flexible as it is delivered entirely online. More information and register prioryinstitute.com

LOUGH DERG

One day pilgrimage on 6th September. Booking details Michael Rattigan 087 2929372.

NOVENA SPEAKERS

are available on the Knock Shrine Website on www.knockshrine.ie (13 - 21 August inclusive).

SUMMER OFFERINGS

for the Priests of the Parish can be handed into any of the Shrine Offices. Your generosity would be greatly appreciated.

PUBLIC MINI VIGIL

on **Friday next 1 August in the Parish Church.** Commencing with Confessions from 8.00 - 9.00pm. Vigil proper 9.00pm - 12 midnight.

ALONE

Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person locally? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested, please apply via the ALONE website at www.alone.ie or for further information please contact Oliwia on 086-013 5043 or via email oliwia.kolska@alone.ie

2025 PILGRIM OF HOPE EVENT

To mark the 2025 Jubilee Year initiated by the late Pope Francis and entitled "Pilgrims of Hope", there will be a Jubilee Year Celebration in St. Joseph's Church, Ballindine on Friday 26th September at 8pm with guest James Kilbane. This will be an evening of songs, readings and prayers and all are invited. This is a FREE Event, however an Offering will be taken up during the evening, to help cover any expenses incurred. For info. contact Mary on 087-9793747.

MAYO STOMA SUPPORT GROUP

will be having their next meeting on the **31st of July In the Ellison Hotel Castlebar at 7pm.** It is open to all who either have a stoma or care for them. If you would like to book a place, please text 087 6275766

PLEASE PRAY FOR REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF:

Delia Coleman, Coolaney, Co. Sligo.

Mother of Tom Coleman, Shanvaghara.

Tom Glynn, Australia and late of Carrownedan, Aghamore. Nephew of Winnie Brett, Barnagurry.

Bernadette Devaney, (nee Kneafsey) Oxford U.K and late of Ballinacostello who died recently.