



Parish Office: 4, Dún na Ri, Shannon. Tel 061 364133 Fax 061 364516. Secretary: Teresa Woods

Office hours: Tuesdays & Wednesdays 9.30am-5.30pm (lunch hour 12.30pm-1.30pm), Thursdays 9am-1pm

Sunday Masses: 8.45 at Airport Oratory 9am, 11am at Mary Immaculate Church 10am, 12.15pm at SS John & Paul Church

Weekday Masses: 9.30am at Mary Immaculate 10am at Skycourt Adoration Chapel 7pm at SS John & Paul Saturday 12 noon at Mary Immaculate, 6.30pm at SS John & Paul

YOU CAN FIND SHANNON PARISH ON FACEBOOK ... AND ON TWITTER TOO!

LIVE STREAMING FROM SS JOHN & PAUL CHURCH



Easter Sunday

16th April 2017

The Lord has Risen!

Alleluia!

Last Sunday's Offerings: €2,603

Trócaire to date: €8,453



We extend our Prayers & Sympathy to:

The family of: David Mannering, 22 Cill Chais, who was buried on Monday. Vera Moylan, 5 Fergus Rd, who was buried on Holy Thursday. Peter O'Neill, Clarin Glas, on the death of his brother Paddy O'Neill in Coventry. Sheila Forde, Coill Mhara, on the death of her brother Des Wickham, Bettystown, Co. Meath. Geraldine Shortt, Radharc na Coille, on the death of her sister Sue Kerr, Belfast.

Months Mind Masses

This Easter Sunday at 12.15pm for Sam Merrigan, Aidan Park.

Saturday next at 12 noon for Tricia McNamara, Fergus Road.

Saturday next at 12 noon for John O'Gorman, Corrib Drive

Saturday next at 6.30pm for Paddy Smyth, Ballycaseymore Hill.

First Anniversary Mass

This Easter Sunday at 12.15pm for John Walsh, Fana Gheal.

Next Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday: Devotions in in Ennis Cathedral at 2pm and in Mary Immaculate Church at 3pm.

Trócaire: Many thanks to all who have contributed to our Trócaire appeal. We would appreciate the return of your Trócaire box or contributions as soon as possible as the needs of the poor are urgent and immediate.

Priests' Easter Collection

The first collection of the year for the Priests of the Parish takes place at all Masses this weekend. We are most grateful for the generosity and support we receive from Parishioners and those who use our churches. Envelopes are available.

Alcoholics Anonymous Public Information Meeting will be held in the Oakwood Hotel on Wednesday at 8.30pm. Anyone interested in the work of Alcoholics Anonymous is welcome to attend.

MASSES FOR EASTER WEEK

Bank Holiday Monday

Mass at 12 noon in Mary Immaculate Church
(No evening Mass)

Tuesday to Friday

9.30am Mass - Mary Immaculate Church
Please note there will be no evening Mass this week.

Saturday

12 noon in Mary Immaculate Church
6.30pm Vigil Mass in SS John & Paul Church
The Adoration Chapel re-opens for Adoration only on Tuesday at 10am.
No Mass in the Oratory this week.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Fatima

This year we celebrate the centenary of the apparitions of Our Lady to the three children of Fatima in Portugal in 1917. The Killaloe Diocese is the first in Ireland to have a Pilgrimage in this centenary year. Bishop Fintan on his first Diocesan Pilgrimage, accompanied by Fr. Tom as Pilgrimage Director, will lead pilgrims from all over the Diocese who will depart from Shannon Airport on Easter Monday and return on Friday. Pilgrims will devote one day of pilgrimage to the birth place of St. Anthony in Lisbon. Parishioners will be prayed for during the pilgrimage.



Fancy a walk in North Clare next Sunday?

A 6km or 9km walk will take place in aid of the Burren Chernobyl on Sunday 23rd April. The organisation facilitates the parish of Shannon in our ongoing support for the Gorodische Orphanages. Contact Rosie (086) 1028555 for details.

Easter Holy Water

Once again we have made available 3,500 bottles of Easter Holy Water, blessed at the Easter Vigil Mass. They are free to collect and share with family and friends. Our sincere thanks to all who filled the bottles!

Easter Gardens

Both our churches have beautiful Easter Gardens telling the story of the Resurrection in a way that the crib tells the Christmas story. Bring your children and grandchildren to see the garden and share the story of Easter. Many thanks to all who helped prepare these sacred places.

Buiochas!

We acknowledge the involvement and co-operation of so many people of the Parish in the celebration of the Liturgies of this great week. We say particular words of thanks to Michael Maguire, Jimmy Morris, Eugene Barrett and Christy Collins for the palm. Our Sacristans Mary & Michelle, Irene Kirwan who co-ordinates the Readers & Eucharistic Ministers, Commentators, Altar Servers, Collectors, Counters, Choirs, Musicians and Organists, Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Cleaners, Maintenance teams, Envelope distributors, Teresa, Roisin and Aoife in the Parish Office, Theresa Campbell, our website and Facebook administrator, Brid Walsh & Martina Clancy for co-ordinating the volunteers who took part in The Stations of the Cross. To everyone - for your co-operation and help in making this Parish active and alive - our sincere thanks!



*The Parish office will re-open for normal office hours on Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday and will also open on Friday from 9.30am to 5.30pm.
A Happy & Holy Easter to all of our Parishioners*