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Shannon Parish Newsletter

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

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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

16th Sunday – Year of Luke
Sunday 18th July 2010

Last Sunday's Collection: €2,512
Goradiche Orphanage: €100

WEEKLY NOVENA TO ST. ANTHONY

Continues each Tuesday at 9.30am Mass in Mary Imm. Church.



Our Prayers & Sympathy go to:

Kieran O'Loughlin, Ballycasey Hill on the death of his mother Kathleen O'Loughlin, Ennis, who was buried on Tuesday. To Stephen Sheridan, Coill Mhara and Ita Welsh, Ballycasey Hill, on the death of their brother John Sheridan, New Jersey. To the family of Klaus Scheele, 93D Brú na Sionna, who died during the week.

First Anniversary Mass

Friday next at 7pm in SS John & Paul Church, for Fr. Michael McNamara. Saturday at 6.30pm for Margaret Lernihan, Carrig Lia.

Annual Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick

Sunday 25th July is known as "Reek Sunday". Many thousands of people from all over Ireland will climb Ireland's holiest mountain on this day. On this sacred mountain, St. Patrick spent some time fasting and praying. It is often a wish of many people to climb this mountain once in their lifetime. If you would like to do so this year, a bus will operate from Ennis.

Contact Michael Meere at 065-6824833 or 086-8458922.

Lough Derg –

Time for Body & Soul
Annual three day Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg - Mon 2nd to Wed 4th Aug. Booking at Ennis Parish office 065-6824043.

Killaloe Autumn Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Bishop Elect Mgr. Kieran O'Reilly will lead the Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes from Mon 27th Sept to Sat 2nd Oct. Direct from Shannon, the cost is €660 pps - the cheapest pilgrimage to Lourdes this year from Ireland. Booking forms from the Sacristy or Parish office. See Report/photos on this year's Summer Pilgrimage on www.shannonparish.ie



Wedding Congratulations

To Grace Fleming, 7 Pinewood and Denis Murphy, Fermoy, who were married in The Wells Church on Saturday.

Clonmacnois Youth Festival 12th-15th August

Youth 2000 invites you to join them for their Summer Festival from 12-15 August in Clonmacnois, Co. Offaly. The dynamic programme for 16-35 year olds includes music, drama, prayer, talks, workshops, reconciliation and healing service, games and chill time. It is a donation only weekend, all you need to bring is a sleeping bag. Come along for a fantastic weekend filled with many new experiences.

There will be free transport available, for pick-up points near you and for more information check out www.youth2000.ie or contact the National Office 01 6753690.

The Print Bureau, Carmody St. Ennis.

Friday madness in July – A3 colour photocopying 70c per page. A4 colour photo copying 40c per page. Half price specials. CVs, scanning, binding. (These special offers are available every Friday for month of July). Contact Irene on 065-6845363 for information.

A service of Clare Youth Service.

Sláinte An Chláir Clare Cancer Support

Dr. Helen Greally, Clinical Psychologist from Cancer Care West will be in attendance at Sláinte an Chláir, Clare Cancer Support Centre on Wed, 21st July.

This is a free support service to help you in your journey whether you are a cancer patient or someone you love has been diagnosed with cancer.

Please call 087 691 2396 or email on admin@clarecancersupport.com to make an appointment.

Lost & Found

Items which have been found in SS John & Paul Church over recent months will be on display in the Children's Room after 12.15pm Mass this Sunday and all day Monday. Items not claimed will be donated to charity.

Episcopal Ordination

Bishop Elect Mgr. Kieran O'Reilly will be ordained Bishop of Killaloe in The Cathedral, Ennis, on Sunday 29th August at 3pm. Please keep him in your prayers as he prepares for Ordination.

Alcoholism can tear a family apart...

Al-Anon

Hope for family and friends of problem drinkers. Al-Anon meetings (in total confidence), in Shannon, at rear of The Health Centre, on Wednesday evenings at 8.30pm. Anonymity assured.

The Catholic Grandparents Association

wish all grandparents "A Happy Feast Day" on 26th July - feast day of St. Joachim & Anne - Grandparents of Jesus and parents of Mary. Everyone is welcome to the National Grandparents Pilgrimage at Our Lady's Shrine in Knock on Sunday, 12th September. Further information on www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.com

The Catholic Grandparents Assoc was set up to help Grandparents pass on the Faith and to sustain them in their own faith.

Baptisms



We welcome into God's family and our Christian community the following who were baptised recently:

Kyla Anica Anders
Crea Louise Lynch
Peyton Lee Ann McMahon

Planned Giving Envelopes.

As we finalise our returns for 2009 in order to claim tax relief for the Parish on contributions received, we would be grateful if holders of boxes numbered 002, 004, 008, 013 and 019 would contact Fr. Tom, as boxes were issued without complete details being recorded. Many thanks.