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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

An Domhnach 7ú lá Márta

Sunday 7th March 2010

Third Sunday of Lent

Last Sunday's Collection: €2,943

WEEKLY NOVENA TO ST. ANTHONY

Continues each Tuesday at 9.30am Mass in Mary Imm Church

Our Prayers & Sympathy go to:

The family of Bridget McDaid, 26 Cronan Grove, who was buried on Monday. To the family of Kitty Webb, 13 Fearnog, who was buried on Wednesday. To Jim O'Dwyer, 8 Choill Mhara on the death of his sister Maureen Maher, who died in London and who was buried on Thursday. To Pat O'Sullivan, 20 Ard Chaoin, Ballycasey, on the death of his mother Bernie O'Sullivan, Moyvane, Co. Kerry, who was buried last weekend. To Michael Hyde, 34 Tullyglass Court on the death of his brother Noel Hyde, Rathdowney, Co. Laois who died on Thursday. To Joan Grimes, Boyne Park, on the death of her mother Nora Roche, Moyvane, Co. Kerry, who died on Thursday.

Wedding Congratulations



To Sinead Toomey, Slaney Park and Cartha Donovan, Bundoran, who were married in Mary Immaculate Church. To Caroline Bagnell, Dun Arus and Declan Keane, Foyle Park, who were married in The Wells Church. Both Weddings took place on Saturday.

Women's World Day of Prayer

Will be celebrated this Sunday at 3pm in The Jubilee Chapel of Mary Immaculate Church. All are welcome. Tea/coffee will be served.

Trócaire

Trócaire is the Irish word for 'mercy'. Your contributions to Trócaire during Lent is your way of showing mercy to others who are in need.

Ennis Musical Society presents the HOT MIKADO in Glór Theatre, Ennis, from Wednesday March 10th to Saturday 13th March inclusive. Tickets at Glór 065 6843103.



Confirmation Preparation Masses

Next weekend at:

10am Mass – St. Conaire's School

11am Mass – St Senan's, St. Tola's and Gael Scoil

Alcoholics Anonymous

Do you think that you might have a drink problem or know someone who you think may have a drink problem? There will be an Open Public Meeting of AA on Tuesday 9th March at 8.30pm in St. Senan's National School. All welcome.



Primary School Enrolment – Reminder

If you have a child starting school this September and have not yet enrolled him/her in the School of your choice, please contact the Principal for an application form by Friday 19th March. Here in Shannon, there is a choice of six Primary schools.

SEACHTAIN NA GAEILGE 2010

Idir an 5ú – 17ú la Márta.

*Labhar cúpla focail gach lá,
mar "is fearr Gaeilge briste ná Bearla cliste."*

During Seachtain na Gaeilge, we will be embracing the Irish language during our Masses.

Shannon Apostolic Society

Meeting Tuesday 9th, 8pm at 9 Purcell Park. Apostolic Workers would like to thank all parishioners for their continued support which is so appreciated. Orders are now being taken for sacred vessels. Contact any of the following for information on the wonderful variety of vessels available: Mai 364080, Emily 364084 or Marguerite 364647.

MASSES FOR LENT

9am & 7pm – SS John & Paul

9.30am – Mary Immaculate

10am & 1pm (lunchtime Mass) - Skycourt Adoration Chapel.

Stations of The Cross

During Lent, the Stations will be prayed after the 9.30am Mass on Fridays and after the 7pm Mass on Wednesdays.

Lectio Divina (The Sacred Reading of Scripture)

You are invited to pray and share the Sunday Readings of Lent, each Tuesday from 10.30am-11.30am in the Jubilee Chapel.

Recent Baptisms



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

*Conor Joseph Buckley
Brendan Christopher Hogan
Orlaith Ayakiitan Akinyemi
Jack Stephen Baker
Ayla Marie Murphy*

Parish Website – www.shannonparish.ie

Our gratitude to Seamus O'Donoghue for providing the Parish with a pictorial record of the opening of the Adoration Chapel. These pictures are available for viewing on the gallery of the Parish Website. Since we launched our new website on January 1st last, we have had 3,234 visits. Check it out!

*"I wandered lonely as a cloud
That floats on high o'er vales and hills
When all at once I saw a crowd
A host of golden daffodils!"*

William Wordsworth

