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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

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

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13th Sunday – Year of Mark

Sunday 1st July 2018

We Extend our Prayers & Sympathy to:



To the family of: Marie Shortt, 2 Cronan Gardens on the death of her brother Patsy Flannagan, Belfast, who died this week.

Priests' Summer Collection – Thank you!

The Priests of the Parish thank you for your generosity to the Summer collection last weekend. If you were away or forgot, your contribution would still be appreciated.

Diocesan Papal Appeal

The second collection at all Masses this weekend is the annual appeal of both Pope Francis and Bishop Fintan for your financial support in helping them in their responsibilities of running the Church at both Diocesan and International level.

Friday 6th July – First Friday

Additional Mass at 8am in the Convent Oratory. The sick and housebound will receive Sacraments at home. If you know of any housebound Parishioner who would like to receive the Sacraments, please let us know.

Goradiche Orphanage

Since the year 2000, our Parish has an involvement with the Orphanage, thanks to the generosity of Parishioners who both give financially and those who volunteer.

This weekend, Joanne & Don O'Sullivan return to the Orphanage and will continue the relationship on our behalf. We thank all the volunteers over the years and the many people who generously donate to the Orphanage all year.



World Meeting of Families Icon



The Icon will visit the Killaloe Diocese this week, and will be resident at the following Parish Churches: Kilkee from 2nd to 5th July; Ennis from 5th to 9th July; Birr from 9th to 12th July. All are welcome to visit and pray at the Icon in preparation for the World Meeting of Families in August.

PILGRIMAGES

Knock Shrine

Will take place on Sunday 29th July, led by Bishop Fintan Monahan. Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm with Anointing of The Sick. Concelebrated Mass at 3pm. For details of buses, contact Glynn's Coaches on 065 6828234.

Lough Derg

Time for Body & Soul! Booking now being taken for the Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg in association with Ennis Parish from Bank Holiday Monday 6th August until Wednesday 8th August. Cost Euro €115 (including bus, boat & Island charge). Bookings and information from Ennis Parish Office 065 6824043.

Lourdes Autumn Pilgrimage

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes leaves Shannon Airport on Sunday 7th October, returning on Friday 12th October. Cost €679 per person sharing with €10 discount for online bookings at joewalshtours.ie

Making your Will: Please remember Shannon Parish among the benefactors in your Will. Donations made in this manner will greatly assist the Parish in proclaiming the Gospel. The Parish appreciates such thoughtfulness and generosity.

Wedding Congratulations



To Teresa Horan, Cluain Airne & Robert Shanahan, Newmarket-on-Fergus who were married in Mary Immaculate Church on Thursday. Lukasz Brygola, 45 Ballycaseymanor & Sandra Krol, Poland, who were married in Poland on Saturday.

For your Diary.....Invitation!



Mass of Thanksgiving for the Ministry of Fr. Tom Ryan will take place on Monday 16th July at 7pm in SS John & Paul Church. Fr. Tom has served 26 years with us here in Shannon and as he leaves us, we want to say 'Thank you' for all those years of dedication and commitment to our Parish. Everybody welcome!

The Alliance of The Two Hearts: Friday 6th and Saturday 7th July from 7pm to 2am. All welcome!

We Welcome into our Christian Community:



Finn Declan Lyons, Daisy Rae Turner
Phoebe Lily Maxwell Higgins, Senan William Buckley
Aine Ellen McMahon Manning, Jade Coleen Ogrin
Zuzanna Grabczak, Isaac Thomas Vincent
Helen Jennifer Pia Kernan, Patrick Logan Conway
Luke James Dwyer, Kevin Szramski,
Igor Stanislaw Yarzebski
Weronika Yarzebska, Oisin Joseph O'Donnell
Grace Bridget Tierney, Arianna-Belle Daly
Fianadh Rose Breen, Louise Anne Boyle
Bobby Daniel Griffin, Skyler Nadia Austin
Amanda Jessica Kubrika
who were baptised recently.

Prayer for a Summer Day

Long warm days... The pace of life slows...
A time for picnics and rest in the shade...



Lord, help me to rest a while
in the cooling
shade of your presence.



Slow down my restless heart
and fill me with gentle compassion for all your people.

Amen.

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