

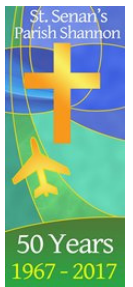
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**Shannon Parish Newsletter**



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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:** 9.15am at Mary Immaculate 10am at Skycourt Adoration Chapel 7pm at SS John & Paul (Thurs/Friday) **Saturday** 12 noon at Mary Immaculate, 6.30pm at SS John & Paul

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LIVE STREAMING FROM SS JOHN & PAUL CHURCH

**Priest on call this week (outside of Office Hours) – Fr. Arnie 087 8598710**

## Sunday 24th March 2019 Dé Domhnach 24ú Márta 2019 Third Sunday of Lent

Last Sunday's collection: €2,513



### *We extend our Prayers & Sympathy:*

To the families of: Michael Hallinan, Tullyglass Hill who was buried in Kilbrien, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford on Tuesday.

Nora (Norrie) O'Connor, Cronan Grove who was buried on Thursday. Aidan Curran, Tullyvarraga Hill who was cremated on Friday. Phil O'Callaghan, Sixmilebridge, who served as Garda in Shannon for many years, buried on Wednesday. To Monica Nolan, 20 Cluain Lia on the death of her brother Pat Griffin, England, who died recently.

*May they all rest in the gentle peace of Christ.*

### **We pray for the following whose anniversaries are celebrated this week:**

Peggy O'Connell, Brenda Collins, Thomas Ahern, John O'Gorman, Tricia McNamara, Paddy Smyth, Paul O'Donoghue, Lily & Frank Corr, James, Eileen & George Clune.

### **First Anniversary Mass**

Next Saturday at 6.30pm for Gerald Leh.

**During the month of March, we are embracing the Irish language in our Liturgies.**

**Tír gan teanga, tír gan anam! Labhair Gaeilge linn!**



### **First Communion Preparation Masses**

Next weekend for the boys and girls preparing for the Sacrament at 6.30pm, 10am & 11am Masses.



### **Shannon Parish Lenten Mini-Retreat 29th, 30th, 31st March Easter Hope and Joy!**

**Friday March 29th**

*Ceremony of Reconciliation with Cora Guinnane in SS John & Paul Church at 7pm.*

**March 30th & 31st**

*Fr. Lorcan Kenny, Roscrea, will speak on the theme of Easter Hope and Joy at all Sunday Masses.*

*All are welcome to join us to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation and enter into the spirit of Easter Hope and Joy, as Holy Week approaches.*



### **LENT 2019 IN SHANNON 3 Daily Masses**

9.15am – Mary Immaculate Church  
10am – Adoration Chapel  
7pm – SS John & Paul Church

### **Lectio Divina (Reading the Words of Scripture)**

Lectio Divina will take place on the Wednesdays during Lent in Mary Immaculate Church at 9.45am.

### **Stations of the Cross**

Every Friday of Lent after 7pm Mass.

### **PARISH PILGRIMAGE ON PALM SUNDAY: From SS John & Paul Church to Mary Immaculate Church. More details later.**

**Pastoral Council Meeting** next Tuesday night at 8pm in Jubilee Chapel of Mary Immaculate Church.

### **PILGRIMAGES**

**Lourdes:** The 63<sup>rd</sup> Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, under the leadership of Bishop Fintan, will leave Shannon Airport on Tues 25<sup>th</sup> June, returning Sunday 30<sup>th</sup>. €725pps full board with €20 discount for online booking. Special section for assisted pilgrims. Details from Fr. Tom Ryan, Ennis, 087 2349816. All other bookings to joewalshtours.ie

*The pilgrimage would welcome the assistance of Nurses who would like to volunteer and care for assisted pilgrims. If any nurse is interested, please contact Michael on 086-3813677.*

**Medjugorje:** Leaving Shannon Airport 15<sup>th</sup> May for one week - price €695 and 11<sup>th</sup> September for one week at €725. Contact Kathleen & Jimmy Morris on 061 362657 or 086 3271657.

**Are you finding it difficult to cope** with the death by suicide of a family member or friend? Come to a Healing Programme organised by Clare Suicide Bereavement Support at Innovation House (near Liddys Eurospar), Roslevan Centre, Tulla Rd. Ennis, starting 7.30 pm this Monday March 25<sup>th</sup> and continuing for 8 consecutive Mondays. Come and meet others in the same position as yourself. More details from 086 0565373 or 087 3698315. [www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com](http://www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com)

**Shannon Tidy Towns:** The following Officers were elected at the recent AGM: Chairperson Joe Hogan, assisted by James O'Meara, Secretary Derek Clune assisted by Teresa Hogan, Treasurer Mary Carew. Next meeting on Wednesday next at 7pm, GAA Club. New members needed and always welcome as plans for the Summer season get underway!

