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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: 8.30am Airport Oratory, 9am & 11am at Mary Immaculate Church, 6.30pm (Saturday Vigil) at SS John & Paul Church, 10am & 12.15pm at SS John & Paul Church.

Weekday Masses: 9.15am in Mary Immaculate, 10am at Skycourt Oratory & 12 noon on Saturday in Mary Immaculate Church. 7pm at SS John & Paul (Thurs & Friday)

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

Sunday 3rd November 2019
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Cemetery Sunday

Last Sunday's Collection: €2,228
Mission Sunday: €2,577



We extend our Prayers & Sympathy:

To the families of Monica Kavanagh retired staff member of St. Patrick Comprehensive School and Emer McCormack, Newmarket on Fergus, who died in the past week.

May they all rest in God's peace.

We pray for the following whose anniversaries are celebrated around this time:

Breda Fanning, Helen Downes, Kathleen O'Brien, Monica Stinson, John Caulfield, Pat Cantillon, Bernie Kavanagh, Frank Lee (MM), Peter Geraghty, Matt Petticrew, Deceased members of SPS Staff.
We acknowledge all those anniversaries at this time which are not listed.

Months Mind Mass

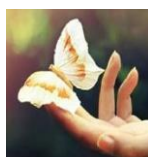
Next Saturday at 6.30pm for Sean Murray.
Next Sunday at 12.15pm for Pat Fitzgerald.

First Anniversary Mass

Next Saturday at 12 noon for Paddy McDonald.
Next Saturday at 12 noon for Gerry Maher.
Next Saturday at 6.30pm for Joe Purcell.

During the month of November, Mass continues each day for all those deceased on your November list. If you have not already done so, please return your list to the Church to be included. Envelopes are available in the Church porches.

Cemetery Sunday this Sunday - Blessing of Graves at:
2.30pm – Lemenagh Cemetery (in conjunction with Newmarket-on-Fergus Parish), 4pm Illaunmanagh and afterwards at Crematorium Memorial Wall.



BEREAVEMENT MASS
Monday November 18th at 7.30pm
in The New Section of
The Comprehensive School

Mass will be celebrated for those who have died in the past 12 months and in the years gone by. Everyone is welcome to this Mass. If you are having difficulty in coping with the loss of someone special who died even many years ago, you might find this Mass healing. Tea & coffee will be served and members of the Bereavement Committee will be available if you would like to talk. Please come along and encourage others to attend also. All very welcome!



First Communion Preparation Masses

Next Saturday evening at 6.30 for St. Aidan's and Gael Scoil Donncha Rua
Next Sunday at 10am for St. Conaire's, & 11am for St. Tola's and St. Senan's.



Blessing of New Life: Expectant mothers are invited to a special blessing for the gift of new life in the Jubilee Chapel of Mary Immaculate Church on **Wednesday 13th November at 9pm. Pass the word!**

Comhaltas monthly session of music & song in Wolfe Tones GAA Wed 6th Nov at 9.30pm. All welcome.

Killaloe Priests Planning Days: From Sunday Nov 10th until Wednesday Nov 13th, there will be planning days for the Killaloe priests. Mass Schedule will continue as normal at 9.15am, 10am and 7pm. Please note that in the event of a funeral, the funeral mass will be celebrated on Wednesday afternoon.



SHANNON NOVEMBER NOVENA

Continues to Sunday Nov 10th.
Theme: "Strength in Weakness"

Weekdays (Monday to Friday) at 7pm
in SS John & Paul Church
and all Sunday Masses in both Churches

NOVENA SPEAKERS

Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd Nov – Brenda Cregan-Leahy - Sharing the story of her husband's suicide.

Monday Nov 4th – Sally Fox – "I live a full life. My health challenges don't define me!"

Tuesday Nov 5th – Nezalee McPhillips – "My experience of moving from the Philippines to Ireland"

Wednesday Nov 6th - Clem Garvey - A celebration of Family, Faith, Life.

Thursday November 7th - Allia-Jai Marren-O'Callaghan – "What faith means to me!"

Friday Nov 8th – Mass of Healing & Anointing – Fr. Brendan Walsh, a priest who is blessed with the gift of healing. Anointing with the Holy Oils will be available to all.

Saturday and Sunday November 9th/10th - at All Weekend Masses in Both Churches – Fr. Michael Cusack, a Redemptorist priest who is a gifted communicator.

Religious shop will be open for religious items.

The shop proved to be popular last year and we look forward to welcoming you again.

A little surprise awaits the kids who visit the Shop!

We ask that those attending would arrive as early as possible, park responsibly and not illegally. Do not block anyone's entrance and please be guided by our stewards who are there to assist you. Extra parking is available at St. Aidan's School.

We look forward to seeing you!