Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Limerick 1964 - 2024



PARISH NEWSLETTER 22/23 November 2025 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

CONSULTATION SESSION: Last Wednesday over 80 parishioners of all generations braved the very cold, frosty evening to attend our meeting in the JFK Hall. The evening began with a welcoming warm cup of tea. Two facilitators from the diocese guided the meeting. Two videos were shown on the mission of parish and on the future of parish life. There was a short presentation on Mass attendance Parish Finances and volunteering in our parish. There was group discussion where everyone was given a chance to speak. This was followed by a plenary session where each group gave short feedback on what was discussed. All suggestions were collected to be presented to Bishop Brendan who will meet our parishioners in due course. Thank you to all who helped to organise the event and a special thank you to all you who attended to voice your concerns and for your positive contributions and suggestions.

REMEMBRANCE MASS: We welcome *Voices of Limerick* this Sunday, they will sing at 11:30 Mass in memory of the deceased members and deceased family members of the choir.

ADVENT 'A TIME OF WAITING': Silent Retreat with reflections, quiet time, Eucharist and Sacrament of Reconciliation in the Limerick Diocesan Centre: Saturday 29 November 10.30 am to 4,.45 pm: Donation €20. (Please bring your own packed lunch). Contact Phylis at 087 9636893 or email: moynihanphyllis525@gmail.com

The Thomistic Institute in Limerick presents: 'Friendship: The Art of Striving and Thriving Together'. A talk by Sr. Mary Madeline Todd, O.P. on 27th November at 7:30pm in St Saviour's Dominican Catholic Church. The lecture is free and open to the public.

ST JOHN'S HOSPITAL MASS OF REMEMBRANCE: St. John's Hospital Staff invite you to join them for a celebration of a *Mass of Remembrance* in St. John's Cathedral at 5.45pm on Wednesday 26th November 2025. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the happy repose of the souls of those who died in St. John's Hospital. Everybody welcome.

LIMERICK DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2026

Our annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 18^{th} / 19^{th} June to 24^{th} June 2026.

This year we are especially looking to bring more assisted pilgrims – this option is for those who are not in a position to travel alone or require medical assistance. If there is anyone in your parish or family who you think would like to travel as part of our assisted pilgrim section please contact us for further details. This is an ideal option for people who would benefit from the support, care and companionship of others while on pilgrimage. We are also actively recruiting nurses and care assistants who may wish to volunteer with us for the duration of the Pilgrimage.

OPEN PUBLIC MEETING FOR ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS FRIDAY 28TH NOVEMBER: Open public meetings are open to anyone who wants to find out more about AA and what we do. All are welcome to attend, Friday28 November 7.30-8.30 pm in the meeting room, St Saviourr's Dominican Church. V94 D267. All enquiries in strictest confidence. Email: limerickcitypi@alcoholicsanonymous.ie

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 22 nd	18:00	Tim & Mary Sheeehan (A)
Sun 23 rd	10:00	
	11:30	Deceased members and deceased family
		members of Voices of Limerick
		Martin O'Brien (A)
		Jim Finucane (A)
		Mary Finucane (A)
		Eamon Keane (A)
		John Moloney (A)
		Marian Flynn (B.Day Rem.)
Mon 24 th	10:00	Purgatorial Mass
Tues 25 th	10:00	Jerry Savage (Rec. Dec.)
Wed 26 th	10:00	Purgatorial Mass
Thurs 27 th	10:00	Purgatorial Mass
Fri 28st	10:00	Angela Geary (Rec. Dec.)
Sat 29 th	18:00	Róisín Hayes (A)
		Anne O'Brien (A)
Sun 30 th	10:00	
	11:30	Gertrude Hayes (A)
		Rachel Moloney (A)

Mass Times:

Daily Mass – Mon to Fri – 10:00 Sat Vigil & Eve of Holy Day – 18:00 Sunday & Holy Day – 10:00 & 11:30

Baptisms:

Sat 17:00 & Sun 12:15 by appointment **Marriages:** by appointment

Priests:

Canon Des McAuliffe P.P. tel: 061 324825 Fr. Tom Ryan C.C. tel: 087 2997733

Adoration: First Friday after 10:00

Mass. (October to May)

Parish Website:

www.ourladyoftherosaryparishlimerick.ie

Parish Clerk:

Margaret Clifford at Church Sacristy Tel: 061 325 288

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 09:00 to 10:30

& Sunday from 09:00 to 12:30 **Church Open for Private Prayer:** Mon – Sat from 09:30 to 15:00