

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Limerick

Newsletter

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## Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Parishioners, who are always generous in support of the SVP, will know that they have missed out on several Church-gate collections at Our Lady of the Rosary due to the coronavirus situation. The usual Christmas Collection will not take place this year.

The Local Conference continues to offer support and practical help to families in need in the parish and in neighbouring communities. In this difficult winter, they are meeting requests for assistance with vouchers for essential food and fuel supplies.

If you are in a position to donate at this time, you may deliver contributions to the Sacristy through the Letter Box on the inner door. Please mark the envelope St. Vincent de Paul and it will be passed on to the local representatives. Thank you.

### Calendar Events

On Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov at 3:00 pm, the Annual Ceremony of Remembrance, held in conjunction with the Maternity Hospital, will be streamed online.

A recording of the Centenary Mass of Remembrance for Salesian Sisters, which took place on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> Nov is now available on the Parish Webcam Page.

## Support for Older People from ALONE Telephone 0818 222024

# Limerick COVID-19 Community Response Telephone 1800 832005

# Visiting the Church

The Church is open for personal visits and private prayer from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. each day, Mon. to Sat. with entry by the side door near the Sacristy.

We are grateful to all parishioners who have used the Sacristy Letter Box to return Purgatorial Lists of the Dead, Collection Envelopes, and to arrange Masses for Anniversaries and other Intentions.

#### Mass Intentions for Masses celebrated online

Sat 21 <sup>st</sup> Nov Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	18:00 10:00 11:30	Hartnett, Murphy & Carroll Families Paddy Toomey (A) Emer Ryan (A)
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov		Pro Popolo Kathlaan Halnin B. L.D.
Tue 24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	10:00	Kathleen Halpin R.I.P. Paddy Rea (A)
Wed $25^{\text{th}}$ Nov	10:00	Special Intention Tom Sheehan
		Purgatorial
Thu 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	10:00	Eamon Keane (A) Denis & Maureen O'Neill (A)
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov	10:00	Carmel Custy Rem.
Sat 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	18:00	Betty & Tom Moran (A) John Keogh (A)
Sun 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov	10:00	Jack & Marie Frawley (A) John & Monica Lyons Fr. Joe McCluskey (A)
	11:30	Tim Leddin (A)

## Recently Deceased

Let us pray for the repose of the soul of Christopher (Chris) Conroy, who died recently.

# Using the Webcam

Information on services available from Church and Community during the pandemic may be found on the Parish Website through the 'Our Parish' menu. Some guidance on Internet Services is also provided.

Friends and neighbours, who are less familiar with online resources may appreciate your assistance.

### **Coronavirus Situation**

For information and advice from Government, go to www.gov.ie and click on COVID-19 (Coronavirus).

For information and advice from the Health Service, go to www.hse.ie and click on Coronavirus (Covid-19) Public Health Advice.

RTE continues to broadcast Mass on the RTE News Now channel at 10:30 a.m., Monday to Friday.

Papal Encyclical 'Fratelli Tutti'

This extract on migration is from Chapter Four: 'A Heart Open to the Whole World'. The complete text is available on the Limerick Diocesan Website.

129. Complex challenges arise when our neighbour happens to be an immigrant.[109] Ideally, unnecessary migration ought to be avoided; this entails creating in countries of origin the conditions needed for a dignified life and integral development. Yet until substantial progress is made in achieving this goal, we are obliged to respect the right of all individuals to find a place that meets their basic needs and those of their families, and where they can find personal fulfilment. Our response to the arrival of migrating persons can be summarized by four words: welcome, protect, promote and integrate. For "it is not a case of implementing welfare programmes from the top down, but rather of undertaking a journey together, through these four actions, in order to build cities and countries that, while preserving their respective cultural and religious identity, are open to differences and know how to promote them in the spirit of human fraternity" .[110]