

# NEWSLETTER FOR PASTORAL UNIT 1



## St Nicholas Parish

Mass Times  
Saturday Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 10.00am

### Parish Live Streaming of Masses

from St Nicholas Church; log onto  
<https://www.churchservices.tv/limerickstnicholas>  
or via the parish website; [www.saintnicholasparish.ie](http://www.saintnicholasparish.ie)



## St Mary's Parish

Mass Times  
Saturday Vigil 5.00pm Sunday 11.30am  
Monday to Friday Morning Mass 10.00am

### Parish Live Streaming of Masses

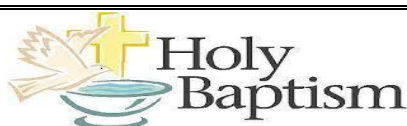
from St Mary's Church; log onto  
<https://www.churchservices.tv/limerickstmaryscatholicchurch>

## Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2024

### Clergy Contacts

Fr Richie Davern 0872977500  
Fr Gerard O'Leary 0879378685

Salesian Sisters 061-348510



Baptisms are held in **St Nicholas Church** on the  
4<sup>th</sup> Saturday in the month.

Baptisms are held in **St Mary's Church** on the  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month at 4pm

Contact the Parish Office for more information and  
a Baptism Enrolment form.

### St Nicholas Parish Office

Open Monday & Thursday 9.30am - 1.30pm  
Email: [saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com](mailto:saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com)  
Phone: 061-341300

### St Mary's Parish Office

Open Wednesday & Friday 10.30am-1.00pm  
Email: [stmarysparishlk@outlook.com](mailto:stmarysparishlk@outlook.com)  
Phone: 061-416300

You can contact the office if you wish to book a mass,  
order a cert or leave in your offerings to support your  
church. With Sympathy Mass cards & Mass Bouquet  
cards are available from the Parish Office

### PARISH FACEBOOK:

[www.facebook.com/Saintnicholasparish/](http://www.facebook.com/Saintnicholasparish/)  
[www.facebook.com/p/St-Marys-Catholic-Parish-Limerick](http://www.facebook.com/p/St-Marys-Catholic-Parish-Limerick)

We encourage local  
groups in the area to avail  
of the Weekly Newsletter  
to promote upcoming  
events

# PARISH NEWS

Please send details for both parishes to  
[saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com](mailto:saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com)  
with NEWSLETTER in the heading

Our Newsletter is printed every Thursday at 12noon. Items  
received after this time unfortunately cannot be included

Information and Support for Birth Mothers whose babies were  
placed for adoption may e found at [www.birthinfo.ie](http://www.birthinfo.ie) or by  
calling TUSLA at +353818445500



*We offer our condolences to the family of  
Gerard Quinlivan R.I.P.  
Patrick 'Paddy' Downey R.I.P.  
Dominic Moloney R.I.P.  
May they rest in eternal peace, Amen*

### Mass Intentions St Nicholas Church

#### Saturday 6.30pm

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#### Sunday 10.00am

Pat Rainsford (Anniv)

Noel & Jenny Hudson (Anniv)



*We offer our condolences to the family of  
George Callanan R.I.P.  
Martin Bourke R.I.P.  
Antoinette Moore R.I.P.  
Mary Wallace R.I.P.  
May they rest in eternal peace, Amen*

### Mass Intentions St Mary's Church

#### Saturday 5.00pm

Helen Devlin R.I.P.

Vincent Quinn R.I.P.

#### Sunday 11.30am

May & Jimmy Hennessy (Anniv)

### Prayer for the sick:

Let us continue to pray for those who are ill at this  
time, those who are preparing for and awaiting  
results of tests and those in hospital. Lord Jesus, you  
are the true friend of all those who suffer anguish and  
pain in spirit, mind or body. Please share with them  
now the gift of your consoling love.

### *Prayer for when I can't receive communion*

## Act of Spiritual Communion

*My Jesus, I believe that You  
are in the Blessed Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I long for You in my soul.  
Since I cannot now receive You  
sacramentally, come at least  
spiritually into my heart.  
As though You have already  
come, I embrace You and unite  
myself entirely to You;  
never permit me to be  
separated from You. Amen.*

**Parish Pastoral Council** meet on a monthly basis. If you would like to raise any items/ issues or suggestions at a meeting, please send by email to the relevant Pastoral Council  
St Nicholas Parish Pastoral council email:  
[PPCStNicholas@gmail.com](mailto:PPCStNicholas@gmail.com)  
St Mary's Parish Pastoral Council email;  
[stmarysparishlk@outlook.com](mailto:stmarysparishlk@outlook.com)



The total collection in St Nicholas Church for weekend;  
30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> June amounted to €665 &  
6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> July amounted to €690 also  
€283.37 Peter's Pence collection

The total collection in St Mary's Church for weekend 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> July amounted to €1123.30

We are very thankful for your continued generosity, and grateful for your loyalty and support.

**Making a donation to the church by bank transfer**  
**St Mary's Church Account**

IBAN: IE11 AIBK 9352 4794 4621 73 BIC: AIBKIE2D

**St Nicholas Church Account**

IBAN: IE84 BOFI 9045 9525 8744 17 BIC: BOFIE2D

The **Peter's Pence** collection will be held this weekend in St Mary's Church. This collection has two main aims:

- **To support the Pope's mission**, which extends throughout the entire world, from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education, peace, and brotherhood among peoples: thanks also to the many activities of service carried out by the **dicasteries, bodies and organs of the Holy See** who assist him every day.
- **To support the numerous charitable works** in aid of people and families in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disasters and wars, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or support for development.  
**Your support is appreciated.**

**St Nicholas Parish Meditation Group**

Our meditation group is taking a break for the summer. We will return in September.  
The prayer chapel at St. Nicholas' church is open daily for private prayer.



**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

St Mary's Church  
Wednesday 10.30am-11.30am  
(after Mass)

**St. Nicholas Flame of Love Cenacle**

Tuesday evening 7.00-9.00pm

St Nicholas Prayer Chapel, Westbury.

New members welcome, under 18's cannot be facilitated until further notice.

For more information; [www.flameoflove.ie](http://www.flameoflove.ie) or call Rachel 0857536504.



**Irish Blood Transfusion Service**

A Pre-Amber Alert has been issued to all Irish Hospitals due to low blood stocks. Blood Donor Clinic will be held;  
**Caherdavin Greenhills Hotel**  
Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2024 4.20am - 7.40pm

**Crescent Shopping Centre Dooradoyle**

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July  
3.50pm - 7.10pm

(Unit inside entrance at Milano / Subway side - City Mall)

Phone 1800 222 111 for appointment.

Existing donors have the additional option of booking online.

**ONE DONATION CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

**Lough Derg 2024 Pilgrimage Season**

Three Day Pilgrimage / Quiet Day / Lakeshore Pilgrimage Sunday / Residential Retreat - For more information, contact;

[www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org) Telephone 071 98 61518

[info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

**MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES**

from APRIL - OCT 2024

7 Nights Apartment B&B from €273 per person sharing  
Airport transfer available on request.

Contact us for details and book the dates that suit you.  
Tel. 01 4434510 or website [www.med-irishcentre.com](http://www.med-irishcentre.com)

**REEK SUNDAY 2024**  
National Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick

*"In His hand are the depths of the earth,  
the heights of the mountains"*  
Psalm 95:4

**Sunday, July 28th**  
MASSES hourly on the summit  
from 8:00am to 2:00pm  
**CONFESSIONS**  
7:30am - 2:00pm

Please check our website at [westportparish.ie](http://westportparish.ie) or scan QR code for more details