

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



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>

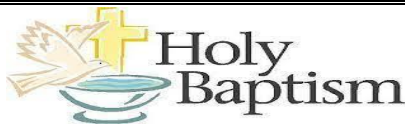
Saturday 8th & Sunday 9th June 2024

Clergy Contacts

Fr Richie Davern 0872977500

Fr Gerard O'Leary 0879378685

Salesian Sisters 061-348510



Baptisms are held in **St Nicholas Church** on the 4th Saturday in the month.

Baptisms are held in **St Mary's Church** on the 1st & 3rd 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
Phone: 061-341300

St Mary's Parish Office

Open Wednesday & Friday 10.30am-1.00pm
Email: 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/
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

Please send details for both parishes to 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 or by calling TUSLA at +353818445500

PARISH NEWS



We offer our condolences to the families of
Kathleen Moloney R.I.P.
Sr. Sheila Kinsella R.I.P.
Marion Bridgeman R.I.P.
May they rest in eternal peace, Amen

Mass Intentions St Nicholas Church

Saturday 6.30pm

Paddy Cantillon (3rd Anniv)

Paddy Fitzgerald (3rd Anniv)

Sunday 10.00am

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We offer our condolences to the families of
Sr. Clare Stapleton R.I.P.
Eileen Whelan R.I.P.
Gerard 'Gerry' Spillane R.I.P.
Anthony Keane R.I.P.
Marie Sheehy R.I.P.
May they rest in eternal peace, Amen

Mass Intentions St Mary's Church

Saturday 5.00pm

Gerard Liddane (M.M.)

Tammie Ryan (M.M.)

Tim Kerley (1st Anniv)

Patrick Hennessy (10th Anniv)

Sunday 11.30am

Eta Valley (M.M.)

Mary O'Connell (2nd Anniv)

Pat McComiskey (15th Anniv)

Breda Dallman (6th 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
 St Mary's Parish Pastoral Council email: stmarysparishlk@outlook.com

St. Nicholas Flame of Love cenacle is held every Tuesday evening at 7pm in St Nicholas Prayer Chapel, Westbury. We welcome new members, especially members of the parish, to be part of this powerful movement. Under 18's cannot be facilitated until further notice. Details about the movement can be found on www.flameoflove.ie
 Further details contact Rachel 0857536504.



The collection for the weekend 1st & 2nd June amounted to €1437 in St Mary's Church (this includes donations to Shrines)
The figure for St Nicholas Church collection will be available next week



Limerick Blood Donation Clinic
 Caherdavin Greenhills Hotel
 10th & 11th June 2024
 4.20 pm - 7.40 pm
 New Donors welcome
 Phone 1800 222111 for appointment.

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



Anam Cara
 Supporting Parents After Bereavement
 Upcoming Bereavement Information Evening.
 This **online** event will take place on **Thursday 13th June** at 7pm.
 This will be our last online evening until September.
 Anam Cara Parental Bereavement Support contact numbers: Office 01 4045378 & 085 2888 888
 Web Address www.anamcara.ie

Making a donation to the church by bank transfer St Mary's Church Account
 IBAN: IE11 AIBK 93524794462173 BIC: AIBKIE2D
St Nicholas Church Account
 IBAN: IE84 BOFI 90459525874417 BIC: BOFIE2D

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.

READERS AT ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH
 Parish Mass book year B vol 2 (blue cover) is now available for collection in the parish centre.
 Please return all other parish mass books.



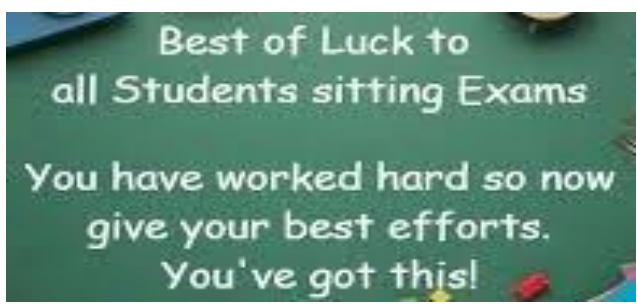
Limerick's Novena
 at Mount St. Alphonsus
6 times daily 14th - 22nd June
 Daily at 7.30am, 10am, 11.30am, 6pm, 7.30pm, 9pm

THIS YEAR'S PREACHERS
 Fr. Gerard Moloney CSsR, Fr. Tadhg Herbert CSsR & Fr. Ryan Holovlasky CSsR

Blessing of Families and Children
 At every celebration on June 16th
 Novena Celebration for First Communion
 Classes: Monday June 17th @ 11:30am

Novena Counselling Service
 June 17th to 21st
 9:30am - 12:30pm
 5:30pm - 8pm
 Parlour 4 in the Monastery

Limerick Social Service annual collection will be held this weekend. The **Limerick Social Service Council (LSSC)** is a leading voluntary service, working in communities in Limerick for over five decades. They deliver their services at the LSSC Centre in Henry Street, Limerick and at different locations throughout Limerick City and County.



PRAYER BEFORE EXAMS
 Loving God, be with me now as I prepare for my exams. Thank you for the many talents and gifts you have given me and for the opportunity of education. Calm my nerves and anxiety, help me to remember all that I have studied, to express it clearly and to answer the questions to the very best that I can. Holy Spirit, sit with me in my exam - and always. Amen

WORRY IS A CONVERSATION YOU HAVE WITH YOURSELF ABOUT THINGS YOU CANNOT CHANGE. PRAYER IS A CONVERSATION YOU HAVE WITH GOD ABOUT THINGS HE CAN CHANGE.