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Parish Newsletter



Church of St. John the Baptist, Knock

St. Anne's Church, Shanvaghera

NEWSLETTER SUNDAY 19 JULY 2020. 16TH SUNDAY YEAR A

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## Mass Intentions for the Week

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<b>Saturday 18 July:</b>	7.30pm	Nellie McNamara, Derryclagh. Month's Mind.
<b>Monday 20 July:</b>	12noon	John and Winnie McDonagh.
	7.30pm	Michael and Mary Teresa Devine and Helen Van Boch and husband Mark, Rosebury Court.
<b>Tuesday 21 July:</b>	12noon	Stephen Shire. Anniv. and Hanora Therese Shire.
<b>Wednesday 22 July:</b>	12noon	Kathleen and Brian Hynes.
	7.30pm	Paddy Ward.
<b>Thursday 23 July:</b>	12noon	James and Ellen Johnston and deceased members of the Johnston Family, Cloonternane.
	7.30pm	John Joe and Annie Burke, Cloonlee. Anniv.
<b>Friday 24 July:</b>	12noon	Sr. Marie Louise Walsh, D.C.
	7.30pm	Aidan Keeley. 10th Anniv.
<b>Saturday 25 July:</b>	12noon	Thomas Brett, Barnagurry. Anniv. Margaret and Michael Kilduff, Sallyhernane. Hubert and Mary Carney and son Tommy Joe. Meeltrane.
	7.30pm	John Joe Fleming, Cloonterriff. Month's Mind.
<b>Shanvaghera;</b>		
<b>Sunday 19 July:</b>	10.00am	Teddy Campbell, Shanvaghera. Anniv.
<b>Sunday 26 July:</b>	10.00am	Terence and Lena Campbell, Shanaghmoyle. Anniv. and deceased members of the Campbell Family.

### Aghamore GAA

pleased to announce that nursery training for u6's has started at the pitch. We would welcome new children in the communities of Aghamore, Knock, Toureen & Kilkelly to come along and join up. Training is every Saturday morning from 10:00 – 11:15. Please contact Keith on 0857759195 or Joe on 0862938216 for details

### Prayers for the deceased

Please pray for the repose of the souls of  
**Mary Jo Cunnane, Kilgarriff**  
 who died during the week.  
**Eric Johnson**  
 who died in London recently.  
 Brother of Phyllis Hearne, Curraghtemore.

## Hello Everyone

From this coming Monday, 20th July we will be moving Masses to the Basilica to facilitate an increase in numbers attending Mass from 50 to 100 people. This is according to government guidelines given to the Church on the 3rd of July last. This is possible by having larger groups in pods (groups) of 50 people once each pod is 4 metres apart and the people in each pod are the usual 2 metres apart. We are delighted to tell you that these conditions have been met in the Basilica. We could fit 1 pod in each of our 5 chapels in the Basilica, but it is important and far safer for everyone to increase our numbers slowly and responsibly.

All Masses, funerals, weddings and baptisms will take place in the Basilica. This is due to the consideration that parishioners and pilgrims need a place for private prayer, which will take place in the parish church. As the Basilica must be cleaned between Masses, it will only open for Mass.

### **Mass times: Basilica**

12pm, 3pm and 7:30pm (with Rosary at 7.00 p.m). (Monday – Saturday)

Sunday 12noon 3pm (with Rosary at 2.30p.m). and Mass at 7.30pm

### **Funerals: Basilica**

An option of 10:30am or 1pm is available. The earlier time of 10:30am gives more time to families for the liturgy.

### **Weddings: Basilica or Shanvaghera**

1pm SHARP.

There can be no traditional delay of the bride arriving late to the church, this is being both safe and courteous to all involved. St Anne's church, Shanvaghera should also be thought of as a serious option as it gives more privacy. Only a max of 50 however can be seated with household (family) groups.

Masses will return to Shanvaghera on Sundays once we get volunteers up and running.

### **Baptisms: Basilica or Shanvaghera**

By appointment at the Shrine office

We thank you for your cooperation and patience as always and please remember that times and places can change due to the pandemic.

Keep well and safe,

Fr Richard

## **Jesuit Week (Online) 26 July – 2 August 2020**

Join us virtually for a week of prayer, meditation and scripture. Due to Covid-19 restrictions, Jesuit Week 2020 will take place online only. The week begins on Sunday 26 July with Retreat Introduction at 8.30pm.

There will be three 20 -minute sessions each day from 27 July – 2 August (inclusive) at the following times:

10.30 am – Introduction of the theme through story, prayer and scripture

4.00 pm – Guided Meditation

8.30 pm - A Guided Examen (review of the day)

To take part, simply tune in via the Knock Shrine Facebook page or visit [www.knockshrine.ie/watch](http://www.knockshrine.ie/watch) where each session will be streamed live. You do not need to register/book, the sessions are open to all. Find out more about Jesuit Week at [www.knockshrine.ie/news](http://www.knockshrine.ie/news)