

NEWSLETTER FOR PASTORAL UNIT 1



St Nicholas Parish

Mass Time
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

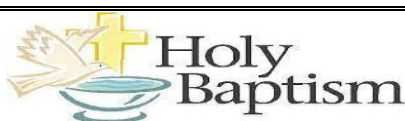
Saturday Vigil 5.00pm Sunday 11.30am
Monday to Friday Morning Mass 10.00am

Parish Live Streaming of Masses
from St Mary's Church; log onto

<https://www.churchservices.tv/limerickstmarys>

Saturday 22nd & Sunday 23rd August 2026

Clergy Contact Fr Richie Davern 0872977500
Salesian Sisters 061-348510



Baptisms are held at 4.00pm in both churches

St Mary's Church on the 1st & 3rd Saturday in the month
St Nicholas Church on the last Saturday in the month
Contact the Parish Office for more information and an
Enrolment form.



St Nicholas Parish Office

Open Monday 9.30am-2.00pm

Email: saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com

Phone: 061-341300

St Mary's Parish Office

Open Thursday 9.30-2.00pm

Email: stmarysparishlk@outlook.com

Phone: 061-416300

You can contact the office in person, by telephone and by
email 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

Parish News

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

To include your notice, please email details to

stmarysparishlk@outlook.com

with NEWSLETTER in the heading

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

Child Safeguarding

If during Mass or any other services in the church, a child needs to
use the bathroom, they must be accompanied by an adult member of
their own family. This is in clear compliance with church policy.

Information and Support for Birth Mothers whose babies were placed
for adoption may be found at www.birthinfo.ie or by calling TUSLA at
+353818445500



We extend our sympathy to their families, and pray
for the repose of the souls of

David Ryan R.I.P.

Francis 'Fra' Keane R.I.P.

Patricia 'Patsy' Devaney R.I.P.

Paul Edwards R.I.P.

May they rest in eternal peace, Amen

Mass Intentions St Mary's Church

Saturday 5.00pm

Majella Duffy (M.M.)

Martin Wallace (28th Anniv)

Rosaleen 'Rose' Duggan (1st Anniv)

Josephine, Paul & Nell Ryan,

Denis Ryan & grandson David (recently deceased)

Patrick Edwards (Anniv)

Sunday 11.30am

Kathleen O'Sullivan (8th Anniv)

Mass Intentions St Nicholas Church

Sunday 10.00am

Pro Populo

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.

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,

I believe that you are present in the most
Blessed Sacrament.

I love you above all things,
and I desire to receive you into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive you
sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace you as if you were already there
and unite myself wholly to you.
Never permit me to be separated from you.
Amen.

Live Streaming of ceremonies from St Mary's Church & from St Nicholas Church. This means your image will be broadcast live during a Mass service when you are near the Sanctuary and in particular if you sit in the front rows.

Parish Pastoral Council meet on a monthly basis. If you would like to raise any issues or suggestions at a meeting, please send by email to the relevant PC;

St Nicholas Parish Pastoral Council email:

ppcstnicholas@gmail.com

St Mary's Parish Pastoral Council email;

stmarysparishlk@outlook.com



The collection for weekend 15th & 16th August amounted to € 1322.30 in St Mary's Church and €144.60 Feast of the Assumption

€445.00 in St Nicholas Church
€239.75 Diocesan Needs

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

ST VINCENT DE PAUL collection is held after Mass on the first weekend each month

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: BOFIIIE2D

St. Nicholas Parish Meditation

Our meditation group has now finished for the Summer months. Group silent meditation will return Tuesday 8th September from 10;45am to 11;15am

St. Nicholas' Church and Prayer Room are open daily for private prayer.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in St Mary's Church will resume in September

'Embrace the Grace' Young Adult Catholic Conference, 29 August 2026 Legion of Mary 'Embrace the Grace' is a conference on faith and culture for young adults (18-40) with talks, prayer, Mass, confession, workshops, food and social in the historic Legion of Mary headquarters at De Montfort House, North Brunswick Street, Dublin 7. It will be a chance to build faith in friendship with young adults from across the country. This event takes place on Saturday 29th August from 9.30am to 6.00pm with a social afterward. Tickets cost €20 and can be booked on the Eventbrite website by looking up 'Embrace the Grace'. Any queries can be directed towards: deusetpatria@gmail.com

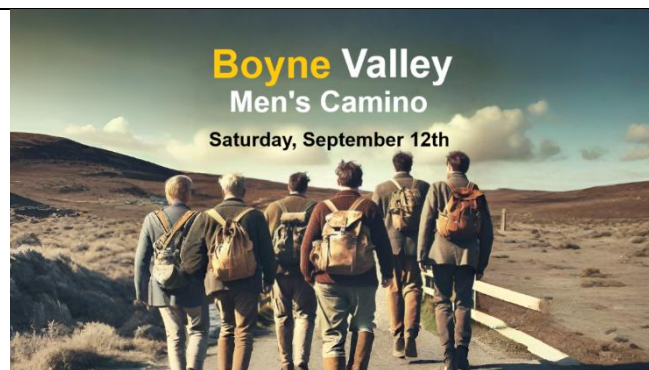
St Mary's/St Nicholas Day Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine Thursday, September 10th 2026

Please give your details to
Fr Richie or text him on 0872977500

Times and Itinerary to follow once we have secured enough people for the bus

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Ireland Marriage Enrichment Weekend. Invest in your marriage. Strengthen your love. Couples are invited to a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend from 2nd - 4th October 2026 at the Focolare Centre, Curryhills, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. For details and to apply: www.marriagecounter.ie

Free Talk on Bereavement Following the death of someone close, we may experience strong and conflicting emotions. Grief can be power and feel overwhelming. The evening is designed to give general information on grief and bereavement to bereaved people, their family and friends. Date: 25th August 2026 at 7pm-8.30pm, Milford Care Centre, Education department, Castletroy, Limerick.



St Joseph Men's Camino A 25km, one day pilgrimage through the historic Boyne Valley, taking place on Saturday 12th September, starting from Drogheda, Co. Louth. The pilgrimage is for men aged 18+ and includes Holy Mass Adoration, Confessions and Fraternity. There will also be an after dinner Mass from Fr Mark Quinn. Cost: €65 (including lunch and dinner), Students: €55. Organised by the Dominican Friars and Friends. For more details visit: Dominicans.ie

St Mary's Parish Office
Will be closed on Thursday 27th August 2026
St Nicholas Parish Office
Will be closed on Monday 31st August 2026