



ST NICHOLAS PARISH NEWS

3rd & 4th JUNE 2023

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Parish Office Opening Times



Monday & Thursday
 9.30am - 1.30pm
 for all church related queries.

If you wish to book a mass, order a cert or leave in your offerings to support your parish, the parish office is located in St Nicholas Church (access through the Prayer Chapel)

Email: saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com
 Phone: 061-341300

With Sympathy mass-cards, Christmas Mass & Bouquet cards are available from the Parish Office.

Weekday Mass Times

Monday to Wednesday 9.45am
 St Munchin's College Chapel.



Weekend Mass Times

Sat 6pm, Sun 10.30am, St Nicholas' Church
 Sun 12 noon St Munchin's College Chapel

Parish Live Streaming of Masses

Masses from St Nicholas Church can be viewed live via the parish webcam at the parish website www.saintnicholasparish.ie

or <https://www.churchservices.tv/limerickstnicholas>

You can download the free app from the App store and click on St Nicholas church in the Limerick section.



Items For Newsletter

We encourage local groups in the area to avail of the weekly newsletter to promote upcoming events.

Please send details to

saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com
 with NEWSLETTER in the heading

PARISH FACEBOOK:

www.facebook.com/Saintnicholasparish/

Parish Meditation Group

There will be no Parish Meditation Group during June, July and August. We will return in September

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

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and desire to receive you in 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




St Vincent DE Paul collection is after masses on the first weekend each month

St Nicholas Parish Pastoral Council

meet on a monthly basis. If you would like to raise any items/ issues or suggestions at a meeting you can email them to:
PPCStNicholas@gmail.com



 held every 2nd and 4th weekend.
 Saturday at 5pm in St. Nicholas Church
 Sunday at 1pm in St. Munchins College Chapel.

Contact the Parish Office for further details.

Weekly Collection

The total contribution for the week ending 28th May amounted to €1220.

Many thanks for your continued loyalty and support to the parish. Your donation is very much appreciated.

Mass Intentions

We remember our recently deceased
 Trevor Brewer Snr R.I.P.

St Nicholas Church

Saturday 6.00pm	Pro Populo
Sunday 10.30am	Pro Populo

St Munchins Colleege Chapel

Sunday 12noon	Fr George Byrne (R.I.P.) Margaret Hughes (Anniv) Christian Robert (Anniv)
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Mass Rescheduling.

We wish to thank sincerely, those who made written submissions to give us some insights as we prepare to decide on a new weekday/weekend Mass schedule going forward. The submissions were very respectful and understanding of the growing pressures we work under. Each Pastoral Council will now meet to consider the submissions made for their parish and the two Pastoral Councils will then come together for a facilitated meeting to discuss and reach an agreement. Again, we would just say, while change is always difficult, we are still in a fortunate position to have 2 priests and 4 weekend Masses going forward. We will have the new schedule communicated to you before the end of June. Sincere thanks, Fr. Richie and Fr. Gerard.

We remember in our prayers all the students who are preparing to sit exams, we wish them all the very best.

Prayer Before an Exam

Dear Lord, as I take this exam, I thank you that my value is not based on my performance, but on your great love for me.

Come into my heart so that we can walk through this time together.

As I take this exam, bring back to my mind everything I studied and be gracious with what I have overlooked.

Help me to remain focused and calm, confident in the facts and in my ability, and firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens today you are always here with me.

Amen.

Parteen Men's Shed

Will hold a collection next weekend 11th & 12th June (instead of the previous date advertised)



Massive Thank You to all who gave up their free time to come and clean our Church on Monday evening.

Thank you!



GLENSTAL ONE-DAY SUMMER RETREAT

Wednesday/Thursday 28/29 June

Relax, reflect, pray and enjoy the company of others in the peaceful and beautiful surrounds of Glenstal Abbey.

The day begins at 10am with tea/coffee at registration. It will include talks, Mass, lunch, Holy Hour with the option of Confession, and afternoon tea. The retreat day ends at 5pm but all are welcome to remain for Vespers at 6pm. Cost €50. To book, call Reception (061 621005) or email: events@glenstal.com

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