

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 6th & Sunday 7th June 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-2.30pm

Email: saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com

Phone: 061-341300

St Mary's Parish Office

Open Thursday 9.30-2.30pm

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

Michael (Larkin) McNamara R.I.P.

Stephen Carroll R.I.P.

Mary Nesbitt née Hanley R.I.P.

Nuala O'Brien R.I.P.

Anne Reid R.I.P.

Mary Keane née Stack R.I.P.

May they rest in eternal peace, Amen

Mass Intentions St Mary's Church

Saturday 5.00pm

Barbara O'Regan (M.M.)

Paddy Cantillon (Anniv) & Paddy Fitzgerald (Anniv)

Sunday 11.30am

Baby Cillian Power (M.M.)

Carol Casey (1st Anniv)

Pat McComiskey (17th Anniv)

Breda Dallman (8th Anniv)

Martin Lyons (27th Anniv)

Alan Thomas Kelly (Anniv)

Cathy Cusack (Anniv)

Mary O'Connell née Keane (4th Anniv)

Catherine & Page Stanley (Anniv)

Stan Stockil (Birthday Remb)

Mass Intentions St Nicholas Church

Sunday 10.00am

Sean Timothy (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.

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 total collection for weekend 30th & 31st May amounted to €1583.08 in St Mary's Church and €525.00 in St Nicholas Church

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: BOFIE2D

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

St Mary's Church

Wednesday 10.30am-11.30am (after Mass)

All Ireland Rosary Rally 2026

The 41st All Ireland Rosary Rally will take place on Saturday, 6th June 2026 at Knock Shrine. The event will include prayer, quest speakers with buses traveling from across Ireland. For more information visit AllirelandRosaryRally.com

Novena in Honour of St Anthony in St John's Cathedral
Friday 5th - Saturday 13th June

Mass each day at 10.00am & 5.45pm

Saturday; 10.00am & 6.00pm - Sunday 10.30am

Thursday 11th: Prayers for Expectant Mothers

Friday 12th: Prayers for the Sick

Saturday 13th: Blessing of Lillie's

Maranatha afternoon of Prayer at

St. Michael's Church

with beautiful music/song at 2.30pm

followed by Mass at 4.30pm on Sunday 14th June.

Children welcome with parents.

Looking forward to seeing everyone

We pray God's Blessings on our Leaving and Junior Certificate students currently sitting exams.

Prayer for those preparing for exams

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.

Help me, not only with this test, but the many tests of life that are sure to come my way.

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 there with me. Amen.

A Prayer for Students taking Exams

God love them and sustain them;

Renew and support them with your strength;

Pour out your spirit of wisdom on them;

Help them to remain calm and to attend carefully to the questions asked;

Help them to think clearly, to remember accurately and to express themselves well.

May they reflect the best of the work they have done and the best of the teaching they have received.

May your love be upon them O Lord as they place all their trust in you.

May the power of your love enable them to accomplish what is right and good. Amen.

The annual Limerick Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Saturday, 11th July 2026.

Arrive in Knock between 12noon to 12:30pm.

For more information regarding the pilgrimage and booking a seat on the bus, please contact;

Louise in St Lelia's Parish Office

Tel No.: 061-328577

Mon to Fri 9.00am-4.30pm (excluding Thurs)

GLENSTAL SUMMER RETREAT These one-day Summer Retreat is on Wednesday 24 June & Thursday 25 June. Registration with tea/coffee begins at 10am, the day includes talks, Mass, lunch, Holy Hour (with the option of Confession) and afternoon tea. The day ends at 5pm but all are welcome to stay for Vespers at 6pm. Holding the retreat in a space accessible to all means numbers will be limited. The cost is €50, To book or for more information contact;

events@glenstal.com or 061 621005

Westbury Preschool

Free ECCE preschool places

Contact Catherine Hickey

087 411 6563

You can also check us out on <https://westburypreschool.com>