

# 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](http://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 28<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2025 Year of Hope*

**Clergy Contact** Fr Richie Davern 0872977500  
**Salesian Sisters** 061-348510



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

Baptisms are held in **St Mary's Church** on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in 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](mailto:saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com)  
Phone: 061-341300

### St Mary's Parish Office

Open Wednesday & Friday 10.30am-1.00pm  
Email: [stmarysparishlk@outlook.com](mailto: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 also available from the Parish Office

### PARISH FACEBOOK:

[www.facebook.com/Saintnicholasparish/](https://www.facebook.com/Saintnicholasparish/)  
[www.facebook.com/p/St-Marys-Catholic-Parish-Limerick](https://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 send details for both parishes to [saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com](mailto:saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com) with NEWSLETTER in the heading

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

Information and Support for Birth Mothers whose babies were placed for adoption may be found at [www.birthinfo.ie](http://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

*Celine Byrne R.I.P.*

*Carol Byrne R.I.P.*

*May they rest in eternal peace, Amen*

### Mass Intentions St Mary's Church

#### Saturday 5.00pm

John Cosgrove (M.M.)

Mary & Tom Wallace (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniv)

Isabelle & Thomas McCarthy & deceased family members

Ruby McCaffrey (Remem)

#### Sunday 11.30am

Patrick 'Pa' Ryan (M.M.)

Tom & Seamus McLoughlin (Anniv)

Phil Herbert (22<sup>nd</sup> Anniv)

Una O'Driscoll-O'Dwyer (Anniv) & her parents

Paul & Lily O'Driscoll (Remem)

### Mass Intentions St Nicholas Church

#### Sunday 10.00am

Liz Cunningham (16<sup>th</sup> Anniv)

Joe Rea (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 in operation

We live stream our ceremonies from  
St Mary's Church & from St Nicholas Church  
This means your image will be broadcast live during  
a Mass service, in particular if you sit in the front rows

**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](mailto:PPCStNicholas@gmail.com)  
St Mary's Parish Pastoral Council email:  
[stmarysparishlk@outlook.com](mailto:stmarysparishlk@outlook.com)



The total collection for weekend  
21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> June amounted to  
€1105 in St Mary's Church  
€408 Diocesan Needs,  
€990 in St Nicholas Church

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

Sincere thanks to all who have made a voluntary  
contribution to St Nicholas Church Refurbishment costs.  
To date the total contributions amounts to €2295.  
Thank you for your generosity

**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 Group

We are now on our summer break! Back in September  
Remember during the summer to  
"Sit a while and catch your breath".

## A PRAYER TO BEGIN SUMMER

For more light in the day, we thank you,  
For gentle mornings, we thank you,  
For night time conversations, we thank you  
For friends and family, we thank you,  
For gardens and all manner of creatures,  
we thank you

Help us, Creator and lover of our souls.

Help us love this earth.

Help us dwell wholeheartedly in our lives this day



## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**St Mary's Church**  
**Wednesday 10.30am-11.30am**  
**(after Mass)**

## St. Nicholas Flame of Love Cenacle

Tuesday 7.00-8.30pm St Nicholas Prayer Chapel  
New members welcome, under 18's cannot be  
facilitated until further notice. For more information;  
[www.flameoflove.ie](http://www.flameoflove.ie) or call Rachel 0857536504.

The annual **Peter's Pence** collection will be held  
this weekend. This collection is held worldwide and  
supports the humanitarian initiatives, social  
promotion projects and charitable work of Pope  
Leo XIV, particularly in response to emergencies  
and needs around the globe. This collection is a  
way for the faithful to express their communion  
with the Pope and participate in his ministry of  
proclaiming the Gospel, promoting peace, and  
spreading Christian charity.

Limerick welcomes  
Middletown Pipe Band Connecticut, USA

An evening of performances by  
City of Limerick Pipe Band,  
The Curraghgower Singers,  
St. Mary's Prize Band and  
Middletown Police Pipes and Drums.

**In St Mary's Cathedral**

**Bridge Street**

**On Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July at 7.30pm**

**This event is FREE**

## Pilgrimage of Hope

Our | Lady and St. Ita's  
Pastoral Units

### Pilgrimage of Hope

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 7.00pm from  
St. Ita's Shrine (Killeedy Graveyard)  
by way of Ballagh to Ashford Church  
Led by Bishop Brendan Leahy.  
All are welcome to join us in this time of  
prayer and hope.

## BE STRONG IN THE LORD! STRENGTHEN YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH

**32  
COUNTY  
MISSION  
NIGHT**

**WHAT WILL  
YOUR  
COUNTY DO?**



**100 YEARS OF  
FEAST OF CHRIST  
THE KING!**

**100 YEARS OF  
ST THERÈSE'S  
CANONISATION!**

**INTERNATIONAL GUEST SPEAKER:**  
**FR SHENAN BOQUET (USA) -**  
**GLOBAL PRESIDENT HLI**



**JOIN HLI IRELAND'S MISSION**  
**TO MAKE JESUS CHRIST KING OF IRELAND**  
**PLUS! VENERATE RELICS OF ST THERÈSE & THE HOLY FACE**

**LIMERICK, MONDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> JULY**

**DON BOSCO CENTRE, OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS  
PARISH, MILFORD, V94DK44 (6:30 PM - 9:30PM)**

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St Nicholas Parish Office will be  
closed on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June &  
Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.