



**St. Joseph's Church**  
**O'Connell Avenue, Limerick**  
**Church Notices, Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

**Fifth Week of Easter**

**Mass Times and Intentions**

Day	Time	Name
Sun. Apr. 28 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Nora Hanly (12 <sup>th</sup> anniversary)
	12.30pm	Sheila Stockil (7 <sup>th</sup> anniversary); Eithne Feighery (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniversary); Frederick (Freddie) Herriott (1 <sup>st</sup> anniversary)
	5.30pm	Intentions of Clergy
Mon. Apr. 29 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Jill & Annette Griffin, & deceased members of the Griffin family; Deceased members of Walsh & Ahern families
Tue. Apr. 30 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Lawrence Cree (birthday remembrance)
Wed. May 1 <sup>st</sup>	10.30am	Seán Mullen (1 <sup>st</sup> anniversary)
	7.00pm	<b>120<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Mass</b>
Thur. May 2 <sup>nd</sup>	10.30am	Katie Geoghogan (32 <sup>nd</sup> anniversary) & remembering her brother Shane who died in 2008.
Fri. May 3 <sup>rd</sup>	10.30am	Mary O'Connell & deceased members of the O'Connell family; Mary Connolly (birthday remembrance)
Sat. May 4 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Noel Flannery (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniversary)
Sun. May 5 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Catherine, William & Bernadette Fannon (anniv's.)
	12.30pm	Joan Savage, Marie Fitzpatrick & Noel Naughton
	5.30pm	Brosnahan family

**RECENTLY BAPTISED**

We welcome into our Christian Community baby **Fiadh Lauren Dera**, daughter of Pamela and Konrad. We pray that the Holy Family watch over and guide them and all of those whom we welcome into this Christian community.

**NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE FOR LIFE**

On Saturday next, 4<sup>th</sup> May, the first ever National Pilgrimage for Life, organised by the Bishops' Council for Life, will be celebrated at Ireland's International Eucharistic and Marian Shrine in Knock, Co Mayo, which is located in the Archdiocese of Tuam.

This novel pilgrimage will take place in Knock Basilica with Mass at 3.00pm. Anointing of the Sick will take place during Mass. Main celebrant and homilist will be Archbishop Francis Duffy of Tuam. Everyone is invited to join this pilgrimage to celebrate the gift of life and to pray for the protection of all human life.

Speaking ahead the pilgrimage, Bishop Kevin Doran, who is chairman of the Council for Life, said, "I very much look forward to this first National Pilgrimage for Life, which gives us all the opportunity, as advocates for life, to draw strength and inspiration from Mary, who is mother of Jesus and mother of the Church. Central to our pilgrimage will be the Eucharist which nourishes us through life as well as being a particular source of strength to the sick and the dying." <https://catholicnews.ie/all-welcome-to-attend-irelands-first-national-pilgrimage-for-life/>

**A PLACE OF WORSHIP FOR 120 YEARS**  
**This year, we are commemorating 120 years of God's faithfulness to us here at St. Joseph's. Please join us at 7.00pm on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May for the 120<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass which will be celebrated by Bishop Brendan Leahy.**

**This celebration will be followed by refreshments in our Parish Centre** which will be a great opportunity to welcome many of our friends who have attended St. Joseph's over the years and those within our Parish Community.

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**INFORMATION EVENING FOR BEREAVED PARENTS**

Milford Care Centre & Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents in the community, will host a Bereavement Information Evening on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 7:00pm in Milford Care Centre, Castletroy (Registration from 6:45pm). The occasion will give bereaved parents an opportunity to hear an experienced bereavement professional talk about the many challenges and milestones parents face into on their journey through grief after the death of a son or daughter.

Parents will also be able to find out information about Anam Cara and their online supports for parents in Limerick. The evening is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age of their child or the circumstances of their death. If you are a bereaved parent and would like to attend this free event please contact [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 085 288 8888.

**DIOCESAN FACEBOOK**

Practice the pause. When in doubt, pause. When angry, pause. When tired, pause. When stressed, pause. **And when you pause, pray.**

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