



St. Joseph's Church
O'Connell Avenue, Limerick
Church Notices, Sunday 6th July 2025

Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time

Mass Times and Intentions

Day	Time	Name
Sun. July 6 th	10.30am	Bríd Reidy (anniversary); Marian Roche (2 nd anniversary)
	12.30pm	Jim Brosnahan (birthday remembrance); John Coyne (13 th anniversary)
Mon. July 7 th	10.30am	Frank Harkins (birthday remembrance)
Tue. July 8 th	10.30am	Michael Donnellan
Wed. July 9 th	10.30am	Patrick Hayes (anniversary) & remembering his son Michael Hayes); Patrick Clancy (49 th anniversary)
Thur. July 10 th	10.30am	For the Good Estate of Fr Liam Enright
Fri July 11 th	10.30am	John Griffin (anniversary)
Sat. July 12 th	10.30am	Intention of Clergy
Sun. July 13 th	10.30am	Intention of Clergy
	12.30pm	Thomas (3 rd av.) & Bridie (15 th av.) Hartnett (late of Dromkeen, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick)

RECENTLY DECEASED

We extend our sympathy to her family, and pray for the repose of the soul of **Catherine Keating (née Ryan)** Verona Villas, O'Connell Avenue whose Requiem Mass was celebrated here last Friday 4th July. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

CANON O'MALLEY SAYS THANK YOU

Priesthood is a gift. To have had the privilege of exercising this sacrament for sixty years in Limerick and London parishes has been a particular privilege.

The gift of you, the people, is the other side of the gift. To be the Peoples Priest is the practical effect of the Sacrament of Ordination.

Last Sunday I had the joy of offering Mass with the current administrator of the parish Fr Liam Enright, family members and fellow parishioners, the baptised faithful to simply say thank you to God for the gifts of long life and the Sacrament of Priesthood.

The appreciation and thanks of all who attended is extended to the members of the hospitality committee of the parish for the wonderful reception they delivered. They truly made true the words of St Benedict "Make hospitality your special care".

With many thanks to all for your kindness.

Donough O'Malley

PSALM 55:22

When your heart is heavy and your steps are weary, know that God's arms are open, ready to carry you through the storm. Lean on Him, for He will not let you fall.

FAREWELL TO FATHER LIAM

Fr. Liam Enright will celebrate his final Mass as Parish Administrator here in St. Joseph's today, Sunday 6th July, at 12.30pm.

We gather with him in thanksgiving for his time in our Parish and we wish him well for the appointment he is taking up in the Shannon Pastoral Unit in West Limerick.

All are welcome to attend this celebration which will be followed by light refreshments in the Parish Centre

BE STRONG IN THE LORD!

Strengthen your Catholic faith on thirty-two county mission night in the year we celebrate 100 years of the feast of Christ the King! and 100 years of St Thérèse's canonisation! with International guest speaker: Fr Shenan Boquet (USA) - global president HLI.

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Plus! Venerate relics of St Thérèse & the holy face on Monday 14th July at Don Bosco Centre, Our Lady Help of Christians Parish, Milford, V94 DK44 (6:30 pm - 9:30pm)

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ACCORD MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMME

a two-day session has been arranged for the South Court Hotel, Raheen, Limerick V94 E77X on **Friday 22nd August (from 7 to 10pm)** and on **Saturday 23rd August (from 9am to 4pm)**.

Bookings can be made online at www.accord.ie

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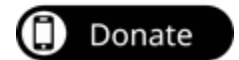
Jul 3: Let us #PrayTogether that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel. #PrayerIntention @clicktopray_en #ClickToPray

Jul 2: The theme of the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation is "Seeds of Peace and Hope." Environmental justice is an urgent need that involves much more than simply protecting the environment. It is a matter of justice – social, economic and human. <https://vatican.va/content/leo-xiv/en/messages/creation/documents/20250630-messaggio-giornata-curacreato.html>

Jul 1: We are witnessing with despair the iniquitous use of hunger as a weapon of war. Burning crops, stealing livestock, and blocking aid are tactics increasingly used by armed militias. As civilians languish in misery, political elites grow fat with impunity. It is time to sanction these abuses and hold accountable those who are responsible for it.

“Faith is to believe what you do not see. The reward of faith is to see what you believe.” St. Augustine of Hippo

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