



St. Joseph's Church **O'Connell Avenue, Limerick**

Church Notices, Sunday 30th August 2026

Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

Mass Times and Intentions

Day	Time	Name
Sun. Aug 30 th	10.30am	Jo Stack (4 th Anniversary) Charles Irwin (19 th Anniversary) Joe Casey (A) & deceased members of Casey and Fleming families
	12.30pm	Paul Hogan (Month's Mind) Mary Sheehy (Month's Mind) Tish Howard (Month's Mind) Rose Marie Elliot (4 th Anniversary), Margaret Elliot (66 th A) Sean Buckley (1 st Anniversary) Marie Daly (12 th Anniversary)
Mon. Aug 31 st	10.30am	Intentions of Clergy
Tue. Sept 1 st	10.30am	Intentions of Clergy
Wed. Sept 2 nd	10.30am	Intentions of Clergy
Thur. Sept 3 rd	10.30am	Intentions of Clergy
Fri. Sept 4 th	10.30am	Canon Sydney Mae Ewan, Monsignor McDonald, Fr Cletus Noone, Monsignor Liam Boyle
Sun. Sept 6 th	10.30am	Jimmy Fleming (5 th Anniversary) Michael Spillane (11 th Anniversary) Dermot Scott (22 nd Anniversary)
	12.30pm	Mary Brosnahan Cronin (MM) Brenda Ryan (6 th Anniversary)

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Back to School Prayer

Dear Lord, As our students begin a new school year, I pray that you will keep them in your care. Send your Spirit to open their minds to all that is true and beautiful and good, Help them to see the gifts and talents you have given them and to use them well. Help them to grow in knowledge and wisdom. Help them to be kind to others and lead others to be kind to them. Give their teachers patience and understanding and help them teach what is just and true. Send your angels to guide and guard our children and to keep them from all harm. Open their young hearts to your presence and enfold them in your peace and protection. Hold them in the palm of your hand and bring them home safely at day's end. Amen.

Pilgrimage to Rome, Assisi & San Giovanni Rotondo

A fully escorted pilgrimage, accompanied by a Spiritual Director, will take place **from 29th September to 6th October 2026**. The cost is **€1,455pp** sharing (single room supplement €350). The pilgrimage includes visits to the shrines of **St. Pedre Pio, St. Francis, St. Clare, St. Michael the Archangel, and the Tomb of Blessed Carlo Acutis**. For further

information or to book, please contact **Mary Kelly on 065 6835519**. Full itinerary available at www.marian.ie

Free Talk on Bereavement

Following the death of someone close, we may experience strong and conflicting emotions. Grief can be power and feel overwhelming. The evening is designed to give general information on grief and bereavement to bereaved people, their family and friends. Date: **25th August 2026 at 7pm-8.30pm, Milford Care Centre, Education department, Castletroy, Limerick.**

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Ireland

Marriage Enrichment Weekend. Invest in your marriage. Strengthen your love. Couples are invited to a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend **from 2nd – 4th October 2026 at the Focolare Centre, Curryhills, Prosperous, Co. Kildare**. For details and to apply: www.marriagecounter.ie

St Joseph Men's Camino

A 25km, one day pilgrimage through the historic Boyne Valley, taking place on Saturday **12th September**, starting from Drogheda, Co. Louth. The pilgrimage is for men aged 18+ and includes Holy Mass Adoration, Confessions and Fraternity. There will also be an after dinner Mass from Fr Mark Quinn. Cost: €65 (including lunch and dinner), Students: €55. Organised by the Dominican Friars and Friends. For more details visit: Dominicans.ie

Blood Donation

Caherdavin Greenhills Hotel. Monday 31st August, 4:20pm – 7:40pm. New donors are always welcome! Book your appointment now by calling 1800 222 111 or go to www.giveblood.ie

Fundraiser Gala Concert

Join us for the return of Louise Morrissey & special guests. Fundraiser Gala Concert for St. Saviour's Dominican Church, Restoration Fund. Taking place **on Friday, 18th September at 8pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Limerick**. Tickets available in the parish office **from Mon-Fri 10am-2pm or on Eventbrite**. We hope to see you there!

Collection:

Sunday 23rd August: €738.85

Thank you for your generosity!



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