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**Shannon Parish Newsletter**



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**Office hours:** Tuesdays & Wednesdays 9.30am-5.30pm (lunch hour 12.30pm-1.30pm), Thursdays 9am-1pm

**Sunday Masses:** 8.45 at Airport Oratory 9am, 11am at Mary Immaculate Church 10am, 12.15pm at SS John & Paul Church

**Weekday Masses:** 9.15am at Mary Immaculate 10am at Skycourt Adoration Chapel 7pm at SS John & Paul (Thurs/Friday) **Saturday** 12 noon at Mary Immaculate, 6.30pm at SS John & Paul

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LIVE STREAMING FROM SS JOHN & PAUL CHURCH

**Priest on call this week (outside of Office Hours) – Fr. Francis 089 4494090**

### Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2019

### Dé Domhnach 3ú Márta 2019

Last Sunday's collection: €2,268



#### *We extend our Prayers & Sympathy:*

To the family of Brenda Collins, 12 Moy Park, whose burial took place in Askeaton, Co. Limerick, last Sunday. To Margaret McDonnell, Tullyglass Court on the recent death of her brother Bro. Philip Connor, Capuchin Friary, Kilkenny and late of Balivor, Co. Meath. To the family of Fr. Paddy Carmody, late Parish Priest of Cooraclare & to the Parishioners of Cooraclare. Fr. Paddy was buried on Wednesday.

*May they all rest in the gentle peace of Christ.*

#### **We pray for the following whose anniversaries are celebrated this week:**

Charlie Connolly, Geraldine Bunting, Julia Mullen, Michael & Mai Phelan, Paul O'Brien, Noreen Kenefick, Colm Mulkeen, Theresa Commins recently deceased, Michael O'Brien, Kitty Webb, Patrick Finucane, Paddy McKeown.

#### **First Anniversary Masses**

Next Thursday at 7pm for Capt. Ronan Collins, Malahide & Firgrove, Bunratty.  
Next Sunday at 10am for Nora Shanahan, Latteragh, Templederry, Co. Tipperary, mother of Gerry Shanahan, Coill Mhara.



#### **Women's World Day of Prayer**

This Sunday in The Jubilee Chapel of Mary Immaculate Church, at 3pm. This is an ecumenical service and everyone is welcome to attend and pray at this Women's World Day of Prayer!



### LENT 2019 IN SHANNON



Schedule of Masses for  
Ash Wednesday and the Season of Lent:

#### **Ash Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March**

8am – Convent Oratory  
9.05am – SS John & Paul Church  
9.15am- Mary Immaculate Church  
10am – Adoration Chapel  
1.05pm – Adoration Chapel  
7pm – SS John & Paul Church

**Ashes will be distributed at all Masses.**

#### **Lenten Masses Three daily Masses**

The following Mass schedule will apply after Ash Wednesday:

9.15am – Mary Immaculate Church  
10am – Adoration Chapel  
7pm – SS John & Paul Church

Please note there will be NO morning prayer or lunch-time Mass during the season of Lent.

#### **Lectio Divina (Reading the Words of Scripture)**

Lectio Divina will take place on the Wednesdays during Lent in Mary Immaculate Church at 9.45am.

#### **Stations of the Cross**

Every Friday of Lent after 7pm Mass.

**Trócaire boxes now available in Churches.**

#### **Tradaree Pastoral Area Mass Rotation**

We look forward to welcoming Fr. Tom Fitzpatrick & Fr. Harry, who will celebrate Masses in our Parish next weekend, as part of the ongoing Mass rotation in the Pastoral area.

*During the month of March, we are embracing the Irish Language in our Liturgies. Labhair Gaelige Linn!*

#### **TRÓCAIRE**

#### **Overseas development Agency of the Catholic Church in Ireland:**

Your kind donation to Trócaire this Lent which is focused on Uganda, assists all the children and families worldwide who are in dire need of support and resources. Please do what you can to help those in need with your Trocaire box.



#### **Non Nobis Choir**

The Non Nobis Domine Choir, with conductor Clem Garvey, will participate at the 6.30pm Mass next Saturday evening.

#### **Shannon Family Resource Centre:**

Creative Writing for beginners on Monday mornings from 10.30am to 12pm. Coffee Morning in aid of the Shannon Family Resource Centre on Monday March 4th from 11am to 1pm. Refreshments and entertainment provided.

**Shannon Comhaltas** monthly session on Wed 6th March at 9.30pm in Wolfe Tones GAA Club. All welcome!



#### **Just a Thought!**

*The Season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday. The ashes imparted on our forehead are a reminder of our mortality and need for God in our lives. May this Lent be a time when in small ways we can grow in faith.*  
Fr. Arnie.