



CONGRATULATIONS CANON DES

We congratulate Canon Des who was appointed Canon by Bishop Brendan Leahy this week. We also congratulate him as he celebrates his Golden Jubilee, 50 years a priest of the diocese of Limerick this weekend.

Canon Des was ordained in Thurles on 8 June 1974. During his years in ministry he served as a curate in the Parishes of Christ the King, Mungret, and Bruff. He also served as P. P. to the parishes of St. Michaels and Christ the King and as Administrator of Rockhill/Bruree Parish before being appointed P.P. to Our Lady of the Rosary Parish in 2016.

On behalf of the parishioners of Our Lady of the Rosary we thank Canon Des for his years of dedication and service. We wish you every blessing and good health.

FAMILY MASS: We welcome our families to our June Family Mass this weekend at 11.30 am. This is the last Family Mass before the summer break. Please come to the Parish Centre for tea and chat afterwards. Thank you to Fr. Tom, Marian Vallely and Sr. Susan for organising the liturgy and the readings; to Colette, Elizabeth and Karen for the music which always enhances the liturgy and to Melanie and her team for organising the hospitality in the Parish Centre afterwards.

HOSPITALITY ON WEDNESDAYS: Please come for tea/coffee and a chat in the Parish Centre after the 10 am Mass on Wednesday. This is the last get together before the summer break. We hope you have enjoyed meeting up with your friends and neighbours. Hospitality on Wednesdays returns in September. Anne would like to thank all those who helped during the year. A special thank you to Anne for her work and dedication in organising the mornings.

DIOCESAN NEEDS: Please include your Diocesan Needs donation together with your weekly offering in the Basket this weekend.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: The PPC meets on **Wednesday 12 June** in the Parish Centre at 7.30pm. Please note the change of day.

NOVENA AT MOUNT ST. ALPHONSUS

The Annual Novena at Mount St. Alphonsus takes place this year from Friday 14 June to Saturday 24 June. There will be 6 sessions each day for the 9 days at 7.30am, 10am, 11.30am, 6pm, 7.30pm and 9pm. The Novena this year focuses on 'Creating a culture of care ... following the example of our compassionate God'

A Ukrainian celebration will take place on Saturday 22 June at 4pm and a Brazilian Celebration will take place on Sunday 16 June at 4pm. The Blessing of Families and Children will take place at every celebration on Sunday 16 June.

NOVENA	
<i>In honour of St Anthony</i>	
St John's Cathedral	
Wednesday 5 June – Thursday 13 June	
Mass each day at 10am & 5:45pm	
(Saturday 10 am & 6 pm) (Sunday 10:30 am only)	

LOUGH DERG PILGRIMAGE: Fitzpatrick's of Listowel are going to Lough Derg on 28 June to 30 June. Contact 087 3249822

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 8th	18:00	Áine Costello (2 nd A)
Sun 9th	10:00 11:30	Brian Healy (1 st A) Jerry McCabe (A) Jimmy Custy (A)
Mon 10th	10:00	Pro Popolo
Tues 11th	10:00	Fr. George O'Mahony (A)
Wed 12th	10:00	
Thurs 13th	10:00	
Fri 14th	10:00	Margaret Brosnan (Rec. Dec.)
Sat 15th	18:00	Vincent Lucey (Snr) (A) Vincent Lucey (Jnr) (A)
Sun 16th	10:00 11:30	Jim Coffey (A) Jimmy & Peggy McCarthy (A)

<p>Mass Times: Daily Mass – Mon to Fri – 10:00 Sat Vigil & Eve of Holy Day – 18:00 Sunday & Holy Day – 10:00 & 11:30</p> <p>Baptisms: Sat 17:00 & Sun 12:15 by appointment</p> <p>Marriages: by appointment</p>	<p>Priests: Fr. Des McAuliffe P.P. tel - 061 324825 Fr. Tom Ryan C.C. tel - 087 2997733</p> <p>Adoration: First Friday after 10:00 Mass. During Lent: 9:15, every Friday.</p> <p>Parish Website: www.ourladyoftherosaryparishlimerick.ie</p>	<p>Parish Clerk: Margaret Clifford at Church Sacristy tel - 061 325 288</p> <p>Office Hours: Mon - Fri 09:00 to 09:45 & Sunday from 09:00 to 12:30</p> <p>Church Open for Private Prayer: Mon – Sat from 09:30 to 15:00</p>
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