

## **Parish Newsletter**

# Sunday 20th November 2022



Twice a month it is hoped to have a new feature in the Newsletter called the Liturgy Corner. Items of interest about the liturgy will be featured and if you have any questions about the liturgy, you can send them via email to admin@stjohnscathedrallimerick.com or drop a note into the office or the sacristy.

*Liturgical Year* The liturgical year is somewhat different from the calendar year, it does not begin on January 1<sup>st</sup> but begins on the First Sunday of Advent, which this year is next Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The liturgical year is made up of six seasons and each season is a little different from the others.

**Advent** - four weeks of preparation before the celebration of Jesus' birth. **Christmas** - recalling the Nativity of Jesus and his appearance to the people of the world. **Lent** - a six-week period of penance and preparation for Easter

*Sacred Paschal Triduum* - the holiest "Three Days" of the Church's year, where the Christian people recall the suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus.

Easter - 50 days of joyful celebration of the Lord's resurrection from the dead and his sending forth of the Holy Spirit

**Ordinary Time** - divided into two sections (one span of 4-8 weeks after Christmas Time and another lasting about six months after Easter Time), during which we are invited to consider the fullness of Jesus' teachings and works among his people. Ordinary time comes to an end this weekend with the glorious feast of Christ the King.

The story of God's eternal love for us and the story of the life of Jesus Christ, unfold through the cycle of the year, and we are called to live in the way of the Lord in our own lives. This call is best illustrated in the lives of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the saints, celebrated by the Church throughout the year. Our Lady is joined by an inseparable bond to the saving work of her Son, and the feasts of all the saints proclaim the wonderful works of Christ in his servants

# <u>Pennywell Day Care Centre</u>

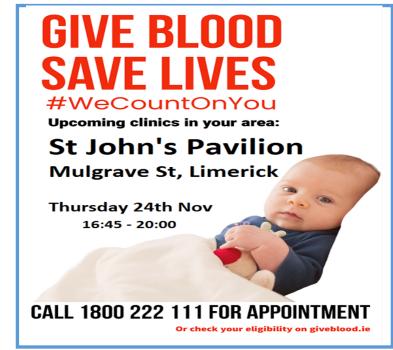


Wednesday 23rd November 2022

Pennywell Day Care Centre, Good Shepherd Ave, Between 10.30am & 12.30pm

The event will give you the opportunity to visit our facility, followed by a briefing by our staff on the services we offer to our clients.

Refreshments will be served.



#### **Recent Baptisms**

Welcome to God's Family Reid Moloney Walters Caelan Walsh Rian Cully

We offer our sympathies to the families and loved ones of the recently deceased.

Kevin O'Brien RIIP



Split the Pot

Congratulations to Chloe Doyle winner of last weekend's draw. (13/11).



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## Workshops

Discovering Beauty through Art & Music

Preparing your Home for Advent

Calm, Calligraphy & Card Making

Praying Write: write as you pray and pray as you write



**10am Registration** 10.30am Talk

11.30am Lectio Divina 1pm Mass

2pm Lunch

3pm Workshops

4.45pm Adoration, Confessions Vespers & Rosary

6.15pm Dinner 7.30pm Compline

All Meals Provided €30 Suggested Donation

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### ADVENT AT THE ABBEY 2022 BEGINNING ANEW

Sunday 27th Nov. Sunday 4th Dec. The Promise of Advent Luke Macnamara

Sunday 11 th Dec. Advent of Christ: A **Coming to Zion Chance for Renewal** Shouting for Joy Henry O'Shea Jarek Kurek

Sunday 18th Dec. Awakening to **God's Presence** ha McCann

Talks take place at 4:30pm in the Monastery Library followed by refreshments and Vespers at 6pm. Donation €20. Talks will also be live streamed and available as recordings.

For further details contact: events@glenstal.com or call: 061-621005

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