

Reflection: Whenever we read a story or an episode from the Gospels we do so as human men and women, with our strengths and weaknesses, our virtues and sins, our moods, our pride, our anger and so much more. That seems so obvious that it is hardly worth saying. However, all the characters we meet in today's Gospels are also human (including Jesus), and, while the world we inhabit is a totally different place to that which Jesus inhabited - science, technology, medicine, travel, education, to mention but a few, our deepest instincts, needs, hopes and dreams are the same. All the people in the Gospels had hopes and dreams just like we do. They too had their moods, their good and bad days, their successes and failures, their joys and sorrows.

We all come into this world trusting, needing love and responding to it, open, tolerant, accepting. That's what humanity is at its best and it lives in each one of us. It is only what Jesus demands of us!

"Unless you become like little children you cannot enter the Kingdom of God."



St. John's Girls' and Infant Boys' School

Now accepting applications for
2025/2026 School Year



Closing date for applications for Junior Infants:

Wednesday 5th March 2025

Application Forms available from school office /school website

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Split the Pot

Congratulations to
Marie

winner of last weekend's draw..
All proceeds of the draw go towards maintenance of the Cathedral.

Priests of the Parish

Canon Gerard Garrett
Fr Leo McDonnell
Canon John Daly
Fr Peter Claver Emeke Eze
Fr Daniel Tomasik

Parish Office

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Mass Times

Mon—Fri 10am, 5.45pm
Sat 10am & 6pm Vigil
Sun 8am, 10.30am, 12 noon

Holy Days

Vigil Weekdays 5.45pm
Weekdays 10am, 5.45pm

Confessions

Saturday 10.30am

Baptisms

Saturday 4.30pm

Recent Baptisms

We welcome to the Christian community
Archie James Kelly
We wish Archie & his family every blessing.

Recently Deceased

We pray for the happy repose of the soul of:
Mary McGarry RIP
Who's funeral mass took place in the Cathedral.

Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays 4pm—5.30pm
In the adoration chapel.
All are welcome.

Bereavement Support Information Talk

will take place in **Milford Care Centre, V94 H795,**

Education Dept on **Tue 25th Feb 2025 from 7pm - 8.30pm.**

The Bereavement Information Talk is designed to give general information on grief and bereavement to bereaved people, their family and friends. Members of the Bereavement Service will be present to provide general information on Grief and Bereavement.

The evening will comprise of: Short talk by a Bereavement Counsellor, Different experiences of Grief, Services available, Question Time.

HOLY HOUR
FOR
VOCATIONS
PRIESTHOOD - MARRIAGE - RELIGIOUS LIFE

**ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL
LIMERICK**
7:30-8:30pm
19 FEBRUARY
19 MARCH
30 APRIL
21 MAY
vocations@limerickdiocese.org

Educators Jubilee Pilgrimage
Oct 28 - Nov 1, 2025
diocese of limerick
our catholic community
JUBILEE 2025
PILGRIMS OF HOPE

Diocese of Limerick Educators Jubilee Pilgrimage
€ 845 per person

- Staying 4 nights in Rome on B&B basis.
- 2 dinners organised in local restaurants
- Participating in the Jubilee of Education events
- St Peter's Basilica and Holy Door
- St John Lateran and St Mary Major
- St Paul's Outside the Walls
- Catacombs
- San Clemente, Piazza Navona, Colosseum
- Coach tour by night
- Day trip to Assisi
- 10kg checked-in luggage plus small bag
- Full religious programme organised

HOW TO BOOK
A 300 euro non-refundable deposit per person is due at time of booking.
Remaining balance due by Aug 5th, 2025.
To book your place:
Phone Myriam Tours at 057 93 55050,
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