

Galway Cathedral Newsletter

21 July 2024 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

CATHEDRAL NEWS

Last Sunday's Offertory Collection amounted to €1,962.41: we are very grateful for your continued support.

Hierarchy Commissions Collection — There is a second collection at all Sunday masses next weekend, in aid of the various commissions run by the Irish bishops (catachetics, ecumenism, liturgy, etc.).

Celebrations this Week — Feasts of St Mary Magdalene (22 July), St Bridget of Sweden, religious, patron of Europe (23 July), and St James, Apostle (25 July); memorial of Ss Joachim & Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary (26 July); optional memorials of St Sharbel Makhlūf, priest (24 July), and St Declan, bishop (24 July; a feast in the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore). St Lawrence of Brindisi, priest & doctor of the Church (21 July), is not celebrated this year as the Sunday takes precedence.



The Cathedral's annual concert season continues next Thursday, 25 July, at 8:00pm: **Joonho Park**, from South Korea, plays Liszt's wonderful *Fantasia & Fugue on the Chorale "Ad nos, ad salutarem undam"* as well as music by Bach, Durufle and Vierne.

31st international season • 4 July – 8 August • https://recitals.galwaycathedral.ie

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An **INDUCTION LOOP SYSTEM** for those using hearing aids is now available throughout the Cathedral – please set your hearing aid to the "T" position.



MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

- Sat6:00Jim & Mary MurphySun10:30Fr Philip McShane12:30Tom McGrath6:00Juana HernandezMon6:00Seán ClarkeTue11:00Michael & Bernadette Gibbons6:00Sr Alberta LallyWed6:00Kevin O'BrienThur6:00Martin NeugentFri11:00Thomas Sweeney
- 6:00 Golden Book of Remembrance Sat 11:00 Ina, Michael & Michael Francis Kyne; Grace Lemass 6:00 Martin Keane Sun 10:30 Thomas Mullane
 - 12:30 Margaret Stewart (Month's Mind)
 - 6:00 Liam Molloy

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Clergy Mgr Peter Rabbitte Fr John Gerard Acton

Mass on Sunday

Saturday 6:00pm; Sunday 9:00am (Gaeilge) 10:30am (choir), 12:30pm, 6:00pm

Mass on Holy Days

Vigil mass at 6:00pm; mass on the day at 11:00am, 6:00pm

Mass on Weekdays 11:00am, 6:00pm

Marriage & Baptism

For details & requirements see www.galwaycathedral.ie/liturgy

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091–531433 • Monday–Saturday, 9:30am – 5:15pm; Sunday after each morning mass

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Diocesan Pastoral Centre 091– 575051