RECOMMENDED FEES

Couples are kindly requested to make a contribution towards the maintenance of the church.

The following contribution is recommended:

- Church €400.00
 (€200.00 Deposit to be paid when booking and balance due week before wedding to be paid in Parish Office)
- It is customary to give an offering of your choice to the priest who celebrates the ceremony and sacristan.

OTHER ITEMS

Papal Blessing

• If desired, allow minimum of **three months** to process. Written recommendation from a priest is required.

Flowers

- Please provide name of flower arranger to the Sacristan.
- If you require any information re flowers/flower arrangers etc., please contact Tracey in the Parish Office. Mon-Thurs 9.30-1.30pm. 0504 35772 or email tckparish@gmail.com.

Confetti

• Please do not use in the church, doorways, or churchyard.

Photography

- Flash photography and recording to be carried our discreetly.
- Sacred character of marriage ceremony in church is paramount consideration.



Templemore, Clonmore & Killea Parish

Arranging Your Marriage



TO THE ENGAGED COUPLE

Congratulations on your forthcoming marriage. May you enjoy happiness and every blessing in your married life.

The following details are designed to assist you in arranging your marriage ceremony and ensuring that your wedding day is a pleasant and memorable one.

Should you have any queries, the priests of the parish will be happy to assist you.

CHURCH REQUIREMENTS

- Minimum of <u>THREE MONTHS</u> notice of marriage to be given in the parish of <u>each</u> partner.
- Certificate of Attendance at a recognised Marriage Preparation Course.
- Pre-Nuptial Form for each partner to be completed with a priest of his/her parish.
- Baptismal Certificate, issued within <u>SIX MONTHS</u> of proposed date of marriage.
- Confirmation Certificate.
- Letter of Freedom may be required.

STATE REQUIREMENTS

Minimum of <u>THREE MONTHS</u> Notice of Marriage to be given to the local Registrar Imelda Byrne at: Civil Registration Office, Thurles Primary Care Centre, Mitchell St, Thurles, Co. Tipperary. E41 R1X3 . 0504 25806.

PRACTICAL ARRANGEMENTS

Date and Time of Marriage Ceremony

- Consult with priest that you wish to perform ceremony so that he can record dates and details etc.
 - **Please note:** No Marriages on Sundays and Holy Days.
- Please contact Tracey in Parish Office Mon Thurs 9.30am-1.30pm 0504 35772 or email tckparish@gmail.com regarding booking of church with date and time of wedding.

Scripture Readings, Marriage Rites and Prayers of the faithful

• To be selected in consultation with priest who presides at the marriage ceremony.

Music

- Appropriate church music and hymns to be selected.
- If engaging outside musicians or cantors, please ensure they are competent in liturgical music.
- If you would like to book the church organist for your wedding day, please contact Tracey in Parish Office. Mon-Thurs 9.30am -1.30pm. 0504 35772 or email tckparish@gmail.com.