



Museum of Newport Irish History
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Dear Fellow Members,

This brief newsletter provides important updates regarding our Interpretive Center and our 19th Annual Michael F. Crowley Lecture Series.

Please be on the lookout for all the details regarding the Sept. 24 "virtual" Crowley Lecture, announced below, to arrive shortly in the U.S. Mail. Details will also be posted on our website "Lectures" page and the talk will be the subject of our next e-newsletter.

Stay well,

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INTERPRETIVE CENTER UPDATE

While our Interpretive Center on Lower Thames Street remains closed to the public due to the pandemic, we are pleased to announce the availability of **visits by appointment.**



To arrange a private visit for up to 2 guests, please email:

NewportIrishHistory@gmail.com

and include your name, phone, the number in the party, and preferred date(s) and time. We'll get back to you swiftly.

Masks will be required and social distancing protocols will be in place. You can also enjoy a 'virtual tour' of the Center by clicking **[HERE](#)**.

CROWLEY LECTURE SERIES KICK-OFF

We are pleased to announce the first talk of the new Michael F. Crowley Lecture Series-- our 19th Annual --- for **Sept. 24 at 6pm.** Our guest speaker will be **Steve Marino**, who will give his much-anticipated talk originally announced for March 24, but cancelled at the onset of the pandemic. The subject is **Newport's early Irish community and Rhode Island's first Catholic church.**

Continuing Covid-19 restrictions and concern for the safety of our members preclude us from returning to in-person events at this time, therefore, **Steve's talk will be presented "virtually" via Zoom**, a popular online platform, which many of you may have already experienced. The presentation will also be taped with a link posted on our [website "Lectures" page](#) for those who are not able to join us "live" on Sept. 24.

A flyer with all the details will be going out to all members in the U.S. Mail shortly, and the information will also be provided via this system and on our website. Should you have questions in the meantime, please contact Ann at tpm1@earthlink.net or at (401) 841-5493

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