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Fr. John Mc Tiernan ~ 071 - 9164143 / Fr. John Sexton $\sim 071 - 9164131$.

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 1st February 2015 ~ The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary time.

Today Sunday, 1st February, is the Feast of St. Brigid ~ the Second Patron of Ireland. Feasts falling on a Sunday are not formally celebrated.

Tomorrow, Monday 2nd February, is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord and Candlemas Day. It is also World Day for Consecrated Religious Life. We celebrate Christ as the Light of the World.

Candles for home and church use will be blessed at all Masses in the parish on Monday. Dromahair: 11.15am & 8.00pm; Killargue: 7.00pm; Newtownmanor: 7.00pm.

Throats will also be blessed at the Masses in Dromahair at 11.15am & 8.00pm and in Newtownmanor at 7.00pm on **Monday 1st February &**

Killargue only on Tuesday 2nd February at 7.00pm ~ the Feast of St. Blaise.

You may wish to get candles blessed for home and church use on Monday, Candlemas Day. Candles should be left on the table before the Altar.

Please put your name on the pack and indicate which are for home or church use. Candles are available in your local Mc Goldrick's Centra store.

CHURCH NOTICES.

- [A] Catholic Schools Week ends today. We acknowledge with thankfulness the great contribution that our Catholic Primary & Post Primary Schools make to Irish Society and Gospel values. We pray for our teachers, parents and parish, that, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we may share the responsibility of furthering God's work. It is a time to say thanks for all who Nurture our Christian Faith and hand it on at home, in school and in the parish. Catholic Schools endeavour to be a light for parents, pupils, staff and society in every generation. Each school has at its heart the mission of Jesus Christ, builds an environment of care and concern for others and is an inclusive and respectful community, welcoming students of all denominations and none.
- [B] Kilmore Lourdes Pilgrimage Invalid Fund: The special Collection in aid of the Fund takes place this weekend, Saturday 31st January/Sunday 1st February, after **Communion** at all **Masses.** Please support this worthy cause. If you forgot, please put your contribution in an envelope marked **Lourdes Fund** and hand it in next Sunday.
- [C] Getting Married in 2015? The Diocese requests that all couples do the ACCORD Course.

Accord Marriage Preparation Courses ~ held in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cavan ~ are on the following dates in 2015: 27th - 28th February; 27th - 28th March; 24th - 25th April & 9th - 10th October.

Courses are held from 7.30pm - 10.00pm on Friday evenings and continue on Saturday from 10.00am - 5.00pm. Contact Anne or Grainne on 049 - 4375004 for information or for your Pre-Marriage Application Form.

E - Mail: cavanaccord@eircom.net

Information on other Accord Centres can be obtained from: www.accord.ie Central Office: 01 - 5053112.

- [D] Parish Pastoral Council: Next Meeting on Tuesday 24th February at 8.30pm in the Depot
- [E] First Friday. Visitation will not commence until Monday 16th February. All concerned will be contacted prior to any visit.
- [F] We remember: Jackie (Jack) Healy, 'Rusheen', Urlar, Carney (father of Gemma Nicholson & Derrick Healey, Dromahair) whose funeral took place on Friday 30th May he rest in peace!

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

- 1. Mass: Monday, 11.15am & 8.00pm ~ Blessing of Candles & Throats at both Masses; Sunday ~11.15am.
- 2. Pray for:

Elizabeth Bird, Banagher, Fivemilebourne, Anniversary Mass Sunday 1st February at 11.15am.

John Madden, Market Street, Mass Monday 2nd February at 11.15am.

Jack Healey, Carney, Mass Monday 2nd February at 8.00pm.

James & Mary Ann Mc Sharry, Dromahair and their son John McSharry, Yorkshire, Mass Sunday 8th February at 1.15am.

May they rest in peace!

3. Liturgy for January: Readers: Sinead Torsney - Mc Goldrick & Michael Costello. Collectors: Padraig Watters. Altar Society: Annie McKenna & Rosemary Bartlett.

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

- 1. Mass: Monday 7.00pm ~ Blessing of Candles & Throats; Sunday 10.00am.
- 2. Pray for

John Fowley, Cornalaughta, Mass Sunday 1st February at 10.00am.

Phil & Nan McGoldrick, Towneymoyle, Anniversary Mass Sunday 8th February at 10.00am.

May they rest in peace!

3. Liturgy for January: Reader: Michael Comiskey. Collectors: Volunteers needed..

Altar Society: Elizabeth Comiskey & Minnie Healy.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

- 1. Mass: Monday 7.00pm ~ Blessing of Candles; Tuesday 7.00pm ~ Blessing of Throats; Friday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass at 7.00pm
- 2. Pray for

Hugh Mc Morrow, Gortnacarkogue & deceased members of the Mc Morrow Family, Mass Saturday 31st January at 7.00pm.

David Mellett and deceased of the Mellett family, Mass Tuesday 3rd February at 7.00pm.

Andrew & Catherine Feeney and deceased of the Feeney family, Mass Friday 6th February at 7.00pm.

John Kelly, Sweetwood, Anniversary Mass Saturday 7th February at 7.00pm.

May they rest in peace!

- 3. <u>Eucharistic Adoration</u>: Killargue Church on <u>Tuesday evenings</u> from <u>7.00pm 8.00pm</u>. <u>Padre Pio Novena</u> ~ First Tuesday of every month.
- 4. Liturgy for January: Readers: Monica McNulty & John McMorrow. Collectors: Joe McGowan, Margaret Sheridan, John Joe McNiffe & Bridget Fitzpatrick. Altar Society: Carmel Gallagher.

Community Notices.

- 1. <u>Bingo</u> Every Monday night at 9.00pm in <u>The Blue Devon.</u>
 All lines €30 except games 5 &10 which are €50. All houses €100 and last game €200. <u>Your support is much appreciated.</u>
- 2. Progressive 25 ~ Card Game: Every Friday night in Newtownmanor Hall at 9.00pm.
- 3. Extra copies of the 2015 Parish Calendar are available at the back of your church. Feel free to take one.
- 4. Dromahair Library: Open Tuesdays: 12.30 4.00 & 4.30 6.00 & Fridays: 2.30 8.00pm. Half-hour break at 4.00pm.
- 5. <u>The Wednesday Club</u> ~ Dromahair Active Age ~ at 10.00am every Wednesday in The Depot. All over 50 years ~ men & women ~ welcome. For further details contact: **087-9202220.**
- 6. HSE ~ ASIST ~ Training in Suicide Intervention ~ 2 Day Workshop: 17th and 18th February in Sligo.

 You can also do Safe TALK ~ a half day workshop in suicide awareness and alertness. It is not as advanced as ASIST. Contact Belinda Taylor, HSE Health Promotion Department on 071 9135061.
- 7. Ardvarney N.S. 50th Anniversary Celebration: Meeting in the school at 8.30pm on Tuesday 3rd February. The organizing committee would very much appreciate your support. Old school photos and memorabilia can be emailed to ardvarney50@gmail.com or dropped into the school c/o Paula Connaire or McGoldrick's Centra c/o Maggie McLoughlin or given to Maighread O'Leary
- 8. Dromahair Ladies & Men's GAA Club ~ Dinner Dance: Saturday 7th February 2015 in the Castle Dargan Hotel. Tickets available from Kieran, Mary, Josephine and Siobhán. A good night's entertainment guaranteed.

Dues & Offertory Collection Envelopes have been delivered in Dromahair & Killargue. Envelopes are now available for collection in Newtownmanor Church.

Parishioners wishing to receive envelopes should drop a note with their name and address into the Sunday Offertory Collection Basket or drop it in or post it to the Parochial House in Dromahair.

Please note that some parishioners in Killargue have been allocated new numbers.

The following are the names & phone numbers of local priests. Please keep them in case of need.

Rev. Fr. Gerry Alwill, Drumkeeran, 071 - 96 48025.

Rev. Fr. Maurice Mc Morrow, Ballinglera 071 - 9643014.

Rev. Fr. John Sexton, Killargue, 071 - 91 64131 ~ after 5.00pm only during school term.

Rev. Fr. Oliver Kelly, Manorhamilton, 071 - 98 55042.

Rev. Fr. Tom Mannion, Glencar, 071 - 9855433.

Rev. Fr. Vincent Connaughton, Killenummery, 071 - 91 64125.