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## ***Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor***

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2011 ~ The Second Sunday after Christmas.**

**This coming Thursday ~ 6<sup>th</sup> January 2011 ~ is the Feast of the Epiphany.**

On the Feast of the Epiphany we celebrate the revelation of who Christ is.  
The visit of the Three Wise Men ~ ***The Magi*** ~ reminds us that Jesus came to save all nations and to bring God's love to the entire World.

### **Masses for the Feast of the Epiphany:**

***Killargue*** ~ Vigil Mass ~ Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm

***Newtownmanor*** ~ Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm

***Dromahair*** ~ Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January at 8.00pm.

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### **GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.**

- [A] We wish all our parishioners in ***Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor***, those who joined the parish this year, attend our churches from adjoining parishes, those home on holidays, all our visitors and friends, ***Peace, Happiness and Every Blessing*** as we begin the New Year.  
**Greetings and Best Wishes to our good neighbours in Drumlease Parish Church.**

***Ath-bhliain faoi sheán is faoi mhaise daoibh go léir!  
Happy New Year! Bonne Année! Gluckliches Neujahr! Feliz Ano Nuevo!  
Gelukkig Nieuwjaar! Szczesliwego Nowego Roku!***

- [B] Given below are the amounts from the ***Mission Sunday Collection*** from Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October:

***Dromahair*** ~ €680 [€663]; ***Killargue*** ~ €640 [€695]; ***Newtownmanor*** ~ €485 [€525].  
Amounts for last year are given in brackets. ***Thanks for your unfailing generosity!***

- [C] **First Friday Calls:** Visitation will take place over the next two weeks. All concerned will be contacted beforehand.

- [D] We remember in our prayers :

***Bridie Sharkey, Annagry, Co. Donegal, sister – in – law of Charlie Sharkey, whose funeral took place on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> December 2010;***

***John Joe Mc Connell, late of Dromahair and brother of Betty Purvis, whose funeral took place on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> December 2010 in Mohill &***

***Joe Toolan, Rockvalley, Dromahair whose funeral took place on Christmas Eve.***

***May they rest in peace.***

### **ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.**

1. **Mass:** Monday 11.30am; Wednesday ~ see Killargue; Thursday ~ ***Feast of the Epiphany*** ~ 8.00pm; Friday 9.30am; Sunday 11.15am.

2. ***Pray for:-***

**Daniel Hannon**, Shriff and deceased family members, Anniversary Mass Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> January at 11.15am.

**P(eter) Speers**, Cornaneane, Manorhamilton & Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January at 8.00pm.

**Triona Fowley**, Mass Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January at 9.30am.

**Garry McTernan**, Market St., Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> January at 11.15am.

***May they rest in peace.***

3. **Liturgy for January:** Readers: **Mary Brodie & Paul Jordan.** Collectors: **Tommy Smith.**  
Altar Society: **Rosaleen Maguire & Joey Kelly.**

## **CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.**

1. **Mass: Thursday ~ Feast of the Epiphany ~ 7.00pm; Sunday 10.00am.**
2. **Pray for:-**  
**Deceased members of St. Felim's Society, Mass Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> January at 10.00am.**  
**Joseph & Brigid Darcy, Moneyduff, Mass Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm.**  
**Tom & Jack Feehily, Peter & Maura and Nan Scanlon, Anniversary Mass Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> January at 10.00am.**  
***May they rest in peace.***
3. **Liturgy for January: Reader: Sarah Comiskey. Collectors: Jim Banks & Paddy Devaney.**  
**Altar Society: Kathleen Mc Goldrick & Mary Fowley.**

## **ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.**

1. **Mass: Wednesday ~ Vigil Mass of the Feast of the Epiphany ~ 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 7.00pm.**
2. **Pray for:-**  
**Kitty McTigue, Larkfield, Mass Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm.**  
**Johnny & Winfred McGovern, Mullaghmore, Mass Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm.**  
***May they rest in peace***
3. **Eucharistic Devotion: Each Tuesday evening in Killargue Church from 7.00pm – 8.00pm.**
4. **Liturgy for January: Readers: Shane Cullen & Josie Feeney. Collectors: Mary Mc Govern, Brian Dolan & Tommy Gallagher. Altar Society: Tess Walpole & Áine Mc Morrow.**
5. **Due to the large number of people seeking to book the Saturday Evening Vigil Mass for deceased relatives, it may be necessary on occasion to share Masses.**  
**Regarding week – day masses, although they may be booked well in advance, they will sometimes have to be re-scheduled since Fr. John Sexton often has other commitments which he may not know about at the time Mass is booked. Your understanding in these matters is greatly appreciated.**

## **Community Notices.**

1. **Bingo resumes this Monday Night in the Blue Devon at 9.00pm.** And at last you'll have an opportunity to win the special Christmas prizes! Your support would be appreciated.
2. **Progressive 25 Card – Game ~ Newtownmanor Hall ~ every Friday night at 9.00pm.**  
New faces – young and old – most welcome. Come along for great fun!
3. Our local **Food – Stores** served us well during the recent period of bad weather ~ when travel was not possible. We should support them during the time ahead, so that they will be there for us all in the future. They need some regular support during the year.

**Thanks to all who contributed to the Sunday Offertory Collections and the Dues during 2010.**

**Offertory Collection** = Day – to – Day upkeep of each church, repair and refurbishment of parish buildings, churches and the **running expenses of the relevant parish area** during the year.

**Dues** = Support and upkeep of the **priests** of the parish during the year.

***Thanks to the people of all three parish areas ~ particularly all those who helped in such a variety of ways, cared for each church, contributed financially, took up collections, were active in the altar society, gave contributions for flowers, did beautiful floral arrangements, took part in the Liturgy, sang in the choirs and provided musical accompaniment, our soloists and instrumentalists ~***  
***for your generosity and support throughout the year.***

A special word of thanks to the Parish Pastoral Council and Finance Committee.

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God loved the world so much that he gave us his Son, Jesus, entrusting Him to Mary.  
To prove his Father's love for the world, Jesus became so small, so helpless, that he had to have a mother to look after him.  
And at the foot of the cross, Mary became our mother too. Just before he died, Jesus gave his mother to St. John and St. John to his mother. And so, all of us became her children. ***Mother Teresa.***