

<<< **Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor** >>>

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Sunday 3rd February 2008 ~ The Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

This Sunday is a Day of Prayer for Temperance.

GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

- [A] ***This weekend we combine the ceremonies associated with the Feast of the Presentation & the Feast of St Blaise with the Saturday Evening Vigil Mass in Killargue and the Sunday morning Masses in Newtownmanor & Dromahair.*** Before each Mass candles will be blessed for church & home use in recognition of ***Christ as The Light of the Nations*** and later in the Mass the blessing of throats takes place when we pray for the gift of good health and healing
- [B] Next **Wednesday 6th February is Ash Wednesday** ~ a Day of Fast & Abstinence ~ with **Mass in the evening** in all three churches. Times are given under each church area below!
- [C] **Having Marriage or Family problems?** *Accord* may be able to help.
For counseling appointments phone **Accord, Sligo** 071 9145641 & **Accord West** 1850 201 878
- [D] ***Life in the Spirit Seminar ~ Praising God in Prayer & Song with testimonies of lives transformed:***
St. Clare's Church, Manorhamilton continues next Friday night & up to and including 7th March 2008.
- [E] **Kilmore Cursillo Weekends:** From 28th February – 2nd March 2008 for men & from 6th – 9th March 2008 for women. **Venue:** Star of the Sea Retreat Centre, Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo. **Cursillo** provides gentle and helpful guidance in learning what it is to be a Christian in our modern world. Application forms ~ **with some facts on Cursillo** ~ available at the back of your church.
- [F] **First Friday Visitation** continues in Killargue this week from Monday 4th – Wednesday 6th February. Everyone concerned will be contacted by phone to arrange a suitable time & day.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

1. **Mass: Monday & Tuesday 9.30am; Wednesday ~ Ash Wednesday ~ 8.00pm; Friday 9.30am; Sunday 11.15am.**
2. **Pray for:-**
Elizabeth Bird, Banagher, Fivemilebourne. Anniversary Mass Sunday 3rd February at 11.15am.
John Fenton & Tessie O'Shea, Limerick, Anniversary Mass Monday 4th February at 9.30am.
Josephine King, London & Dromahair, Month's Memory Mass Wednesday 6th February at 8.00pm ~ Ash Wednesday
Harold Atkins, Lavally, Ballintogher, Anniversary Mass Sunday 10th February at 11.15am.
May they rest in peace
3. **Liturgy for February: Readers: Sinéad Torsney – McGoldrick & Michael Costello. Collectors: Patrick McKenna & Pdraig Watters. Altar Society: Annie McKenna & Rosemary Bartlett**

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. **Mass: Wednesday ~ Ash Wednesday ~ 7.00pm; Sunday 10.00am.**
2. **Pray for:-**
All the deceased members of St. Felim's Sick & Infirm Priests' Society, Mass Sunday 3rd February at 10.00am.
All the Faithful Departed, Mass Wednesday 6th February at 7.00pm. ~ Ash Wednesday.
Vincent Banks, Corrycullen, Anniversary Mass Sunday 10th February at 10.00am.
May they rest in peace
3. **Liturgy for February: Readers: Micheal Comiskey. Collectors: Eddie Boylan & Mary Mc Morrow. Altar Society: Elizabeth Healy & Minnie Healy.**

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. **Mass: Monday 7.00pm; Wednesday ~ Ash Wednesday ~ 7.00pm; Friday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 7.00pm.**

2. Pray for:-

Hugh Mc Morrow, Gortnacarkogue & **deceased family members**, Anniversary Mass Saturday 2nd February at 7.00pm.
Delia & Mattie Sheridan, Gortermone, Killargue, Anniversary Mass Monday 4th February at 7.00pm.
James McNulty, Larkfield, Anniversary Mass Wednesday 6th February at 7.00pm ~ Ash Wednesday.
Deceased of the Dolan & Gurrin family, Larkfield, Anniversary Mass Friday 8th February at 7.00pm.
Thomas & Kate Ann Kelly, Gortgarrigan, Anniversary Mass Saturday 9th February at 7.00pm.

May they rest in peace.

3. **Liturgy for February: Readers: Monica Mc Nulty & John Mc Morrow.**

Collectors: Joseph McGowan, Margaret Sheridan, John Joe McNiffe & Bridget Fitzpatrick.

Altar Society: Lena Mc Ternan & Monica Mc Nulty.

Community Notices.

1. **Bingo, every Monday night, in the Abbey Manor Hotel at 9.00pm sharp.**
Come along and win some excellent prizes.

2. **Newtownmanor Community Development Group: A sponsored walk will take place on**
Sunday 10th February ~ starting at 2.30pm ~ in aid of Manor Hall renovations.

Why not come along and bring the kids. So get out your walking shoes ~ preferably MBT!

Sponsorship cards available from Ann Dolan at 086 – 2242828 or any Committee member.

Refreshments served. And on **Wednesday 29th March** there will be a **Race Night** in the **Blue Devon**.

3. Are you interested in getting **Broadband** in the Newtownmanor area?

Please contact **Niamh O'Brien** at **087 - 2294500**.

4. **Active Age Group ~ Dromahair:** Meetings every **Wednesday morning** from 10.30am – 12.30pm in the Depot. Old and new members are most welcome.

5 **Thinking about giving up smoking?**

For a free appointment with a trained Smoking Cessation Advisor, ring Lo-Call 1850 200 687.

6. **St. Michael's Family Life Centre, Church Hill, Sligo** will shortly be running two special programmes for those who suffered loss or bereavement:- (A) **Rainbows for Children & Teenagers** starting on **Tuesday 5th February** & (B) **Journey Through Grief** ~ a programme for adults starts on **Thursday 14th February** at 8.00pm. Details/Booking 071 9170329.

7. **Creevelea N.S. celebrates its 75th Anniversary in September.** The Board of Management would like to mark the occasion with a special celebration for all associated with the school over the years ~ and invites volunteers to help organize the event. If you are interested, please contact the Principal, Ms Aisling Tighe at 071 9648223. Please let friends at home and abroad know about this proposal.

8. **Leitrim IFA & Drumshanbo Mart** have organized a **livestock meeting** for **Friday 8th February** at **8.30pm** in **Berry's Tavern, Drumshanbo**. This meeting will deal with the new €80 Suckler Cow Welfare & Quality Scheme, cattle price prospects, new live movement system, Brazil imports. Specialist speakers from IFA, Farmers' Journal, Teagasc & Drumshanbo Livestock Mart.

9. **Newtownmanor Hall ~ Aerobic classes for beginners** ~ starting **Tuesday 26th February** at 9.00pm. Contact 086 2542505 for further details.

10. **Step - by - Step Committee** needs participants for **Sponsored Walk** in aid of **North West Stroke Support Group** at 2.00pm on 24th February from **Rosses Point** to **Sligo**. Sponsorship cards available from **John O'Hara** at 071 9167999 or **Mary Gilmartin**, **Ballisodare** at 086 8143414.

11. **Pilgrimage to Medjugorje** ~ Duration 7 Nights ~ **Flight from Knock** on **22nd March 2008**. Contact Group Leader **Ann Kelly** at **086 1505298** or **071 9164296** for details.

You can't direct the wind but you can re - adjust your sails.