

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

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2014 ~ Third Sunday of Easter.**

### **CHURCH NOTICES.**

**[A] (i). Next Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May is Vocations Sunday.** We are all asked to pray for Vocations. There will be Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Dromahair Church from 2.00pm – 5.00pm on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May. You will find a list for names of those willing to spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament on the table at the back of your church. Please sign your name for a time that suits you.

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**(ii).** The Special Annual **Diocesan Vocations & Support Services Collection** is due next Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2014. You will find the Pink **Diocesan Services Collection Envelope** between your **April & May Dues Envelopes**. **However, this envelope has been incorrectly dated 27<sup>th</sup> April ~ but should carry May 11<sup>th</sup> on it.**

You will also find a flyer in your Dues Pack detailing the uses to which this Collection is put.

You may of course use an ordinary envelope marked **Diocesan Services** ~ if you haven't a dedicated envelope!

**[B] Trócaire:** Thanks to all who brought in their **Trócaire Envelope / Box** already or contributed to the **Special Collection on Easter Sunday.**

If you have not already made a contribution, it is still **most welcome** and **badly needed.**

There is a special **Trócaire Offertory Envelope** for **Holy Thursday** in your Offertory Collection Pack.

There are also dedicated **Blue Trócaire Envelopes** at the back of your church.

**Please place your envelope in the Offertory Collection Basket today or next Sunday.**

**[C] Getting married in 2014 or 2015?** Contact **ACCORD** for your Pre-Marriage Application Form. Courses should be undertaken at least 6 months or preferably one year before your marriage. **ACCORD** also offers **Marriage & Relationship Counselling** in strict confidence. To book your **Pre-Marriage Course** or speak with a **Counsellor**, please contact **Anne or Gráinne** on **049 - 4375004**. E-mail: [cavanaccord@eircom.net](mailto:cavanaccord@eircom.net) Information on other **Accord Centres** can be obtained from: [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie) Central Office: 01 – 5053112.

**[D] Parish Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick this Bank Holiday Monday, 5<sup>th</sup> May 2014:** We meet the bus at **Dromahair Post Office** at **9.00am**. Bring a snack and water. We have no sherpas! Dress for the weather too and bring along a staff, blackthorn stick or ski pole for support ~ especially on the descent for those who succeeded in the ascent! Broomsticks are probably inappropriate since we hope to make the ascent on foot!  
**21 people are travelling ~ but we can still take a few more.** Ring Frances at **071 - 9164106** for details.

**[E] Kilmore Pilgrimage to Lourdes led by Bishop Leo O'Reilly from Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2014.** Hotel Pilgrims: €690 / €710; Ring Mc Ginnity Travel **049 - 4331811** for details. Assisted Pilgrims stay in Accueil Notre Dame. Fare €520. Contact Fr. Kevin Fay on 049 - 4330018. Mobile: 087 8579968.

**[F] First Friday.** In most cases visitation will not begin until Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May. All concerned will be contacted beforehand.

**[G] We remember:** **John James Gilmartin**, Sligo & Ballinagar (brother of the **late Katie Jeiter**, Dromahair) whose funeral took place on Friday;  
**Sheila Hamilton**, Carrowcrin (aunt of **Christina Loughlin, Drumlease**) whose funeral took place on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May;  
**Batty Ballantine**, Riverstown (father of **Dr Gerry Ballantine**) whose funeral took place in Riverstown on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April &  
**Ray Rock**, Bournemouth (husband of **Bridie Gilbride, Edergole**) who died on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April.  
**May they rest in peace.**

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

**1. Mass:** Tuesday 9.30am; Wednesday 9.30am; Friday 8.00pm; Sunday ~ **11.15am.**

**2. Pray for: -**

**Tom & Katie Gallagher, Tom Mc Morrow and deceased family members**, Mass Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May at 11.15am.

**Sarah Brennan**, Moneyduff, Mass Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May at 9.30am.

**Paddy O'Hara**, Sheskin, Killargue, Mass Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May at 9.30am.

**Marian McDonald**, Shannon, Sligo (niece of **Margaret Mc Goldrick**, Kilcoosey), Mass Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00pm.

**P(atr)ick Ward**, Drumlease, Anniversary Mass Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May at 11.15am.

**May they rest in peace!**

**3. Liturgy for May:** **Reader:** Sarah Haddow & Martin Dolan. **Collectors:** John Mc Morrow, Kevin Mc Goldrick & Tommy Sweeney. **Altar Society:** Chris Mc Goldrick.

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

1. **Mass:** Saturday 12.00 noon; Sunday 10.00am.

2. **Pray for**

**Gráinne Kelly**, Magurk, Sligo & Belfast, Anniversary Mass Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00am.

**Mattie Dolan**, Doonkelly, Month's Memory Mass, Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May at 12.00noon.

**James & Margaret Rooney**, Gortnaskeagh, Anniversary Mass Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00am.

**May they rest in peace!**

3. **Liturgy for May:** Reader: **Leckaun National School.** Collectors: **Hubert Loughlin & Paul McDermott.**

Altar Society: **Bernadette Banks & Mai Devaney.**

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

1. **Mass:** Monday & Tuesday 7.00pm; Friday 7.00pm; Saturday Vigil Mass 8.00pm.

2. **Pray for:**

**William & Margaret Harkin**, Towneyhousey, Anniversary Mass Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at **8.00pm.**

**Paddy O'Hara**, Sheskin, Month's Memory Mass Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May at 7.00pm.

**Dora & John Cloherty**, Drumany & **Tommy Dolan**, Tullinwillan, Mass Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May at 7.00pm.

**Francis & Margaret Mc Morrow**, Mullaghmore, Mass Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00pm.

**May they rest in peace!**

3. **Liturgy for May:** Readers: **Áine Mc Morrow & Carmel Loughlin.** Collectors: **John Mc Morrow, Mai Gallagher,**

**Seamus Reynolds & Paddy Fahy.** Altar Society: **Patsy Mc Goey & Bernadette Feeney.**

## **Community Notices.**

1. **Bingo:** Bingo every Monday night at 9.00pm in **The Blue Devon.**

All lines €30 except games 5 & 10 which are €50. All houses €100 and last game €200. **Your support is much appreciated**

2. **Irish Cancer Society Church Gate Collection:** This Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> & Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May.

3. **Notices should not be posted in any of the churches without obtaining permission first.**

**A name & contact number must accompany all items handed in for publication in the parish newsletter.**

4. **Co. Leitrim Job Club is running a Job Seeking Skills Course in the Depot, starting Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May for four weeks.**

The course also covers basic computer skills. Contact Martina or Mary: 071- 9641770 or 086- 0306565. E - Mail: [leitrimjobclub@ldco.ie](mailto:leitrimjobclub@ldco.ie)

5. **Active Age ~ Temporary change of venue to Stanford's for a few weeks: Details from Philomena Clancy 087 - 9202220.**

6. **Dromahair Development / Tidy Towns:** Next Meeting this Tuesday night 6<sup>th</sup> May at 9.00pm in the Depot.

7. **Speech & Drama Classes in Newtownmanor Hall on Wednesdays:** Junior class from 4 – 7 yrs at 6.00pm and senior Class from 8 – 12 yrs at 7.00pm. € 8 per class but there are special family rates. Contact Mary at 086 - 3776337 or Catherine at 087 - 2518011.

8. **No Parent & Toddler Group during May due to unavailability of the Depot. Resumes 3<sup>rd</sup> June at 11.00am. Details: 086 6070745.**

9. **Want to get players or family back home? Play your part by attending a local event focusing on creating employment in the Longford Arms Hotel at 8.00pm on 8<sup>th</sup> May. Discussion on using your connections abroad to bring jobs to the North West.**

See [www.leitrim.ie](http://www.leitrim.ie) for information or call 071 - 9650496.

Thanks to everyone who helped out in all **Three Church Areas** during **Holy Week & Easter:**  
Organists, Musical Directors, Choir, Folk Group, Servers, Sacristans, Altar Societies, all who prepared the churches, readers, collectors, all who helped in the Presentation to the Liturgy or assisted in any way during the Holy Week & Easter.  
**Míle Buíochas agus Beannacht Dé! All the Blessings of Easter!**

## **Parish Timetable 2014**

### **First Communion**

**Drumlease N.S. ~ Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2014 at 11.00am ~ St Patrick's Church, Dromahair.**

**Leckaun N.S. ~ Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2014 at 11.30am ~ Church of Mary, Mother of God, in Newtownmanor.**

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### **Visitation and Blessing of Graves**

**Killargue & Cloonlougher ~ Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2014**

**Newtownmanor ~ Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2014.**

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**Father:** Don't you think our son got his brains from me?

**Mother:** Probably, dear. I still have all of mine!