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

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2012 ~ The 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time.**

### **Blessing & Visitation of Graves in Newtownmanor:**

Today, Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2012 beginning with Mass at 5.30pm,  
followed by the Blessing of Graves in Newtownmanor New Cemetery at 6.00pm and Carrickatemple  
Cemetery at 6.30pm approximately.

Please park cars facing downhill from the church ~ and on one side only, the left – hand side, of the road.

### **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> August is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary & a Holy Day of Obligation**

#### **Mass Times for the Feast are as follows:**

**Vigil Mass ~ Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> August ~ will be in Killargue at 8.00pm.**

**On the Feast Day itself ~ Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> August ~ Masses will be as follows:**

**Killargue ~ Mass at the Holy Well at **4.00pm**;**

**Newtownmanor ~ Mass at **7.00pm**;**

**Dromahair ~ Mass at **8.00pm**.**

If weather does not permit, the Holy Well Mass will be transferred to the Church.

**If heavy rain falls, the ground around the Holy Well can be  
quite dangerous and  
is most unsuitable for anyone with mobility problems. Please don't take the risk!**

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

**[A] A new *Parish Pastoral Council* must be elected soon ~ with at least 3 representatives from each church area.** All Parishioners over 16 years of age have a vote. In advance of the election, you are asked to start thinking now about those you would like to represent you. Make sure that one of your choices is under 30. Please note too that those who have served two consecutive terms of office are not eligible to serve a third consecutive term. **Ballot Papers will be made available in the second half of August**

**[B] A special request when visiting or caring for graves in any of our cemeteries ~ especially in the Abbey Cemeteries:**

Please bring a plastic bag with you when tidying a grave and take home broken wreaths, flower vases, dead plants and any other litter that belongs to you. There is no collection facility in these cemeteries. Do not throw discarded items into the ditches or into the grass where they are an absolute danger to those doing strimming and maintenance.

**And please do not let your dog off the lead in or near the cemeteries.** The Cemetery area and individual graves are constantly being fouled by dogs when people take them for a walk and let them loose where they should not be. We need to have more respect for the dead and their relatives who maintain the graves.

**Our cemeteries are sacred ground.**

**[C] Visitation of the Sick and Housebound.** Due to special circumstances **no further** visitation will take place until the week beginning on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> August. Anyone concerned will be contacted beforehand.

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

**1. Mass: Sunday 11.15am.**

**2. Pray for: -**

**Della Stanford - McGowan, Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August at 11.15am.**

**Mary & Martin Crowne, Kilcoosey and deceased of the Crowne, Feeney & O'Rourke families, Anniversary Mass Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August at 11.15am.**

**May they rest in peace!**

3. **Liturgy for August: Readers: Michael Costello & the McMahon family. Collectors: Sean Johnston, Sean Mc Goldrick & Padraig Watters. Altar Society: Volunteers needed.**

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

1. **Mass: Sunday ~ 10.00am.**

2. **Pray for:-**

**Winnie McDermott**, Moragh, Anniversary Mass Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August at 10.00am.

**The Faithful Departed**, Mass Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August at 5.30pm.

**Patsy Diamond**, Cornalaughta, Anniversary Mass Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August at 10.00am.

***May they rest in peace!***

3. **Liturgy for August: Reader: Deirdre McDermott. Collectors: Thomas Healy & Martin Dolan. Altar Society: Patricia Dolan & Angela Loughlin.**

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

1. **Mass: Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 8.00pm.**

2. **Pray for:-**

**Bill & Betty Cawley**, Oakfield Road, Sligo, Mass Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August at 8.00pm.

**Patrick Hugh McMorrow**, Lisgorman, Anniversary Mass Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> August at 8.00pm.

***May they rest in peace!***

3. **Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesdays 7.00pm - 8.00pm & Padre Pio Novena: First Tuesday of each month at 7.00pm.**

4. **Liturgy for August: Reader: Monica Giblin & Lauraine Walpole. Collectors: Pat Kerins, Pat Flanagan & John Flynn. Altar Society: Mae Gallagher & Kathleen Gallagher.**

### **Community Notices.**

1. **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 appreciated!***
2. **Manorhamilton Re-Cycling Centre: New opening hours on Friday from 11.00am – 2.00pm & 3.00pm – 6.00pm and on Saturday from 9.00am - 1.00pm & 2.00pm - 5.00pm. The charge is just €4. *Use it before we lose it!***
3. **Irish Heart Foundation ~ Church Gate Collection: Weekend of 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> August.**
4. **The Irish Wheelchair Association Resource Service are presently developing their Outreach Service in North Leitrim. For further information contact the Resource Centre, Carrick-on-Shannon at 071 9620569 or Angela Gavigan at 087 7403940.**
5. **GP Exercise Referral Programme: Physical exercise is important for your health. If you would like support in becoming more active, please ask your GP to refer you to one of the 5 local GP Exercise Referral Co-ordinators. Further information: [www.gpexercisereferral.ie](http://www.gpexercisereferral.ie) or contact Liz Martin, HSE Health Promotion Officer on **071 9135915**.**
6. ***Leitrim Third Level Initiative ~ Leitrim County Council Community & Economic Development Section:***  
A range of Third Level Courses will be offered in Carrick – on – Shannon this September.  
***Irish Academy of Public Relations Courses:*** Certificate in Journalism & Diploma in Event Management.  
***Athlone IT Validated Courses:*** Higher Certificate in Business, Certificate in Frontline Management, Certificates in Home Gardening, Photography & Learning to Learn.  
Further information from **Leitrim County Development Board at 071 – 9650496** or [www.leitrimthirdlevel.ie](http://www.leitrimthirdlevel.ie)
7. **NUI Maynooth ~ Certificate in Addiction Studies: New Course starts in St. Michael's Family Life Centre, Sligo in October. The Course is one evening per week and is suitable for anyone interested in or affected by addictions: family members, counselors, teachers, social workers, nurses or anyone actively working in the community. Ring 071 9170329 or 087 6341748 for further information.**
8. **Niall Mellon Township Trust: Kevin McDermott is holding a Fundraising event in the *Blue Devon Function Room*, Dromahair, this **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August at 10.00pm**. Music by the **Jesse Conlon Band**. Admission: €10. Spot prizes galore. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Do come along for a great night's entertainment!**

#### **DARC ~ Dromahair Arts & Recreation Centre.**

Representatives will be calling to homes in the Newtownmanor / Dromahair / Killargue / Ardvarney / Killenummery areas during the coming week in respect of the DARC project. Your support is appreciated

**The history of man from the beginning has been the history of the struggle for daily bread.**

*Jesue de Castro.*

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**We are always going to do better tomorrow, and we would too, if only we started today.** Anonymous.