

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

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2010 ~ The 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time.**

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

- [A] **The Special Collection for the Holy Land takes place this Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September in all three church areas. It will be taken up after Communion.**  
The background to this collection is that Christians in the Holy Land are facing a time of crisis. Within the last 40 years the proportion of Christians has plummeted from 20% to as little as 1.4%. Soon there may not be sufficient Christians to look after the Holy Places. Local Christians are ethnically Arab and so are treated as potentially hostile by the Israeli state, religious tours have practically ended in Palestinian areas, Bethlehem now has very few visitors, hotels have closed and the local economy has been devastated. The separation wall further isolates or imprisons local communities.  
**Your contribution for the Holy Land will assist in the upkeep of churches & parish centres in Nazareth, Bethlehem & Jerusalem, schools in Bethlehem & homes for the elderly in Nazareth.**
- [B] **St. Michael's Family Life Centre, Church Hill, Sligo:** New Autumn / Winter brochure now available with daytime, evening & Saturday courses. Enrolment on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> September from 10.00am – 7.00pm. Contact the centre for details at 071 - 9170329. Some brochures have been left at the back of your church and there is a copy on the noticeboard.
- [C] **A final total of €3,819 has been sent to *Trócaire* from this parish to help the victims of the recent devastating flooding in Pakistan. Thanks to all who contributed so generously!**
- [D] **First Friday Visitation continues this week.** All those concerned will be contacted beforehand.
- [E] **We remember: Mae McGovern, Rathbawn, Dromahair, whose funeral took place on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September in Killenumery; Matt Regan, Tulsk (brother of Eileen Carney) whose funeral took place on Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> September & Joe Martin, Carrickfad, Fivemilebourne & St. Phelim's Nursing Home whose funeral took place last Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> August 2010.**  
***May they rest in peace.***

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

1. **Mass: Monday 9.30am; Tuesday ~ Mass in Drumlease N.S. ~ 10.00am; Wednesday 9.30am; Thursday ~ See *Newtownmanor*; Friday 8.00pm; Sunday 11.15am.**
2. **Pray for:-**  
**Mel Farrell**, Drumlease, Anniversary Mass Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 11.15am.  
**Triona Fowley**, Drumlease & Manorhamilton, Mass Friday 10<sup>th</sup> September at 8.00pm.  
**Brigid & James Harte**, Kilcoosey & grandson **Desmond Kelleher**, Bray, Mass Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> September at 11.15am.  
***May they rest in peace***
3. **Liturgy for September: Readers: Helen Mc Goldrick. Collectors: Michéal McGoldrick, Charles Sharkey, Michael Burns & Michéal Loughlin.**  
**Altar Society: Josephine Harvey & Sinead Diamond.**

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

1. **Mass: Thursday 8.00pm; Sunday 10.00am.**
2. **Pray for:-**  
**Winnie McDermott**, Moragh, Month's Memory Mass, Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 10.00am.  
**Deceased of Manor Area**, Mass Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 8.00pm.  
**Michael & Paul McDonald**, Gortnaskeagh, Anniversary Mass Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> September at 10.00am.  
***May they rest in peace.***
3. **Liturgy for September: Reader: Rosaleen & Roisin Bird.**  
**Collectors: Joseph McLoughlin & Frank Dolan. Altar Society: Michelle & Annie Comiskey.**