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Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 5th October 2014 ~ The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Today, Sunday 5th October 2014, has been designated Day for Life.

It is a day dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage.

Pope Francis tells us that being a protector of life is about *Protecting all Creation, the*Beauty of the Created WorldIt means respecting each of God's creatures and respecting the environment in which we live.

The whole world has been entrusted to our care and all of us are responsible for it.

Let's protect and choose Life.

See www.catholicbishops.ie or Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference on Facebook for more information.

Day for Life Prayer

We thank you Lord for the gift of Life

Holy Mary, Mother of Love, holding in your arms the fruit of your womb, Graciously look upon our earth and remove from it all that hardens our hearts and dims our eyes to the preciousness of human life, from the moment of conception to natural death.

Through the example of your tenderness, teach us the ways of compassion and love, that we may build up the civilization of love among us and a society that is truly worthy of the human person.

Help us to reject all that contributes to a culture of death, and to work with others of goodwill in promoting the culture of life.

Bring us ever closer to your Son, so that we may know the fullness of life that he offers us, and come to know that life more perfectly with you, and all the angels and saints in the eternal life of Heaven. Amen.

CHURCH NOTICES.

[A] Kilmore Diocesan Assembly ~ <u>Walking Together, Building the Kingdom, Professing Our Faith</u> ~ takes place on Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th October in St. Patrick's College, Cavan.

Over 300 delegates from all the parishes in Kilmore, together with the Bishop and priests will discuss the future direction of the Church in the Diocese. Areas for discussion are: ministry to those on the margins, to young people & sacramental practice ~ and the increasing shortage of priests.

You are asked to pray for the guidance of the Holy Spirit for all taking part and for the success of this important event.

- [B] St. Michael's Family Life Centre, Church Hill, Sligo: Beginning Experience Information Night on Tuesday 7th October. This is a special programme which helps separated and widowed people make a new beginning in life.

 Contact 071 9170329. E Mail: stmichaelsfamilylifecentre@eircom.net or www.stmichaelscentre.wordpress.com
- [C] First Friday. Visitation of the sick and housebound will continue on Monday, Friday & Saturday of next week. There will be no visitation on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday due to the <u>Kilmore Diocesan Theology Course</u> which take place on those days. All concerned will be contacted beforehand.
- [D] <u>We remember:</u> Patrick Hugh Keaveney, Killeen, Dromahair, whose funeral took place on Wednesday 1st October; Pauline Kennedy (Sister of the late Edward Boylan, Cornalaughta & Dolly Lynch, Larkfield) whose death occurred on Monday 29th September in Brighton;

Fr. Samuel Holmes, former parish priest of Killenummery, whose funeral took place in Letterkenny on Friday 26th September & **Paddy Joe Cosgrave,** Castleore, Ballintogher, whose funeral took place on Thursday 25th September.

May they rest in peace!

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

- 1. Mass: Monday 9.30am; Friday 7.00pm ~ Retirement Mass <<<<< N.B; Sunday ~11.15am
- 2. Pray for:

Mary Elizabeth (Sis) Johnston, Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Sunday 5th October at 11.15am.

Mary & Frank McGloin, Killargue, Anniversary Mass Monday 6th October at 9.30am.

Matt Bird, Corrigeencor, Month's Memory Mass Sunday 12th October at 11.15am.

May they rest in peace!

3. Liturgy for October: Readers: Susan Kivlehan, Collectors: Charlie McGowan, Michéal McGoldrick & Sean McGoldrick.

Altar Society: Ann O'Rourke & Breda Sweeney.

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. Mass: Sunday 10.00am.

2. Pray for:

Sr. Pio Healy, Knock and Fawnlion, Fivemilebourne Anniversary Mass Sunday 5th October at 10.00am.

Elizabeth Fowley, Corraghaun, Anniversary Mass Sunday 12th October at 10.00am.

May they rest in peace!

3. Liturgy for October: Reader: Padraig McGoldrick. Collectors: Tommy Mc Gourty.

Altar Society: Philomena Dolan & Margaret Banks.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. Mass: Monday 7.00pm; Saturday Evening ~ Vigil Mass at 8.00pm.

2. Pray for:

Paul Bird, Carrigeencor, Anniversary Mass Saturday 4th October at 8.00pm.

Sean Thornton, Cloonlougher, Anniversary Mass Saturday 11th October at 8.00pm.

May they rest in peace!

3. Eucharistic Adoration: Killargue Church on Tuesday evenings from 7.00pm - 8.00pm.

Padre Pio Novena ~ First Tuesday of every month.

4. <u>Liturgy for October:</u> Readers: Bridget Fitzpatrick & Bernadette Feeney. <u>Collectors</u>: Patrick Shanley & Pauric Cullen. <u>Altar Society</u>: Bridget Fitzpatrick & Mary Cullen.

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 much appreciated.

2. Dromahair Library opening hours: Tuesdays 12.30pm – 4.00pm & 4.30pm – 6.00pm and on Fridays from 2.30pm – 4.00pm & 4.30pm – 8.00pm. There is a short break from 4.00pm - 4.30pm each day. Do come along and meet Deirdre who will be looking after you this year in Dromahair Library. Everyone welcome!

3. Programmes in the Depot:

The Wednesday Club ~ Dromahair Active Age ~ Meeting on Wednesdays in <u>The Depot.</u> Time: 10.30am - 12.30pm.

All over 50 years of age welcome. **Details from Philomena Clancy: 087 - 9202220.**

Green Dragon Karate: Classes each Friday. For further information call Michael on 087 - 9011233.

Aerobics & Boxercise with Sue; On Mondays. Ring 086 - 2542505 for more information.

Parent & Toddler Group: On Tuesdays. Ring Sandy at 086 - 6070745.

B # Sharp Guitar Lessons: Dates to be determined. Ring **John** at **086 - 1529429.**

AED Training: Ring Tommy at 086 - 3365753.

- 4. Speech & Drama Classes ~ Newtownmanor Hall ~ every Wednesday: Juniors 4 7 years from 6.00pm ~ 7.00pm; Seniors 8 13 years from 7.00pm 8.00pm. Contact Mairéad on 087 3874522 or Mary on 086 3776337.
- 5. Guitar Lessons ~ Newtownmanor Hall ~ on Saturday mornings: Beginners from 10.00am 11.00am and Improvers from 11.00am 12.00 noon. New and continuing members welcome. Ring Catherine on 087 2518011.
- 6. Charity Walk ~ in aid of Irish Cancer Society's <u>Action Breast Cancer</u> on Sunday 12th October 2014. Walk starts at 3.00pm from Mc Goldrick's Centra Foodstore, Dromahair. Your support is much appreciated!
- 7. Progressive 25 ~ Card Game: Resumes this Friday night in Newtownmanor Hall at 9.00pm. All welcome.

Retirement Mass for Mrs. Carmel Harvey & Mrs. Maura O'Brien ~ Friday 10th October at 7.00pm: St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair.

This is an opportunity for the **<u>Drumlease School Community</u>** and the **<u>Parish</u>** to say thanks for the many years of wonderful service by two of the most dedicated teachers.

We congratulate them both and wish them many happy years of active and fulfilling retirement.

Refreshments will be served after the Mass in Drumlease N.S.

All welcome, especially any past pupils, who wish to come along.

St. Patrick's GAA Club ~ Intermediate County Final against Ballinamore.

At 3.30pm on Sunday 5th October in Páirc Seán Mac Dhiarmada, Carrick-on-Shannon.

Please come along and support your local team. Good Luck in the Final!

Drumlease Parish, Dromahair

Harvest Dance at 10.00pm on Friday 10th October 2014 in Ballinagar Hall. Live music from Vincie Carr. Spot prizes and raffie on the night. Tickets €10. Proceeds to Drumlease Parish Funds.

The Dance will be preceded by an Ecumenical Church Service ~ Harvest Thanksgiving ~ in Drumlease Parish Church, Dromahair at 8.00pm.

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