

DROMAHAIR – KILLARGUE- NEWTOWNMANOR

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Sunday 6th February 2022 – The 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

COVID 19 - Latest News

Despite the recent lifting of most restrictions, Covid-19 remains a threat, and so we will all need to continue to be respectful and protective of the well-being of others, taking sensible precautions. **When at Mass please remember the following: (1) Wear a face covering; (2) Sanitize your hands at the door; (3) Allow space to those around us.**

[Our hope is that more and more of our parishioners will feel confident in gathering again with their parish community, especially for the Sunday Mass.](#)

Blessing of Candles & General Blessing of Throats

Last Wednesday - 2nd February was the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord - Candlemas Day: Candles for church and home use will be blessed at the 8.00pm Vigil Mass in Killargue on Saturday 5th February. At 10.00am Mass in Newtownmanor and at 11.15am Mass in Dromahair on Sunday 6th February.

Last Thursday - 3rd February is the Feast of Saint Blaise: A General Blessing of Throats (not an individual Blessing) will take place at the 8.00pm Vigil Mass in Killargue on Saturday 5th February. At 10.00am Mass in Newtownmanor Church and at 11.15am Mass in Dromahair Church, on Sunday 6th February.

Recently Deceased: Rosaleen Maguire (nee Curran), Kilcoosey, Dromahair, whose funeral took place in St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair, on Thursday 27th January.

May she rest in the peace and love of God.

Kilmore Diocese Apostolic Work Missions Fundraising Draw: The January monthly draw took place recently. **First prize** was won by Chris O'Boy, Church St., Ballinamore; **Second prize** was won by Joan Smith, Alackin, Cavan.

Thanks again for your support.

Prayer for the people of Ukraine

*O God, creator of the world,
under whose governance the design of all the ages unfolds,
be attentive, we pray, to our petitions and grant to our times tranquillity and peace,
that we may exult with unceasing joy in praise of your great mercy.
We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.*

Supporting our Parish: Following the easing of restrictions, the basket collection will take place again at the Offertory of the Mass from this weekend. Thank You for your continued generosity.

The world tells us to seek success, power and money; God tells us to seek humility, service and love. Having faith does not mean having no difficulties, but having the strength to face them, knowing we are not alone. Pope Francis.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR:

1. **No Mass on Monday's;** Wednesday at **9.30am & 7.30pm;** Friday at **8.00pm;** Sunday at **11.15am.**
2. **Pray for:**
Hugh & Sarah Brennan, Shriff. Con Healy, Kilmore. 2nd Anniv. Mass on Sun 6th Feb at 11.15am.
Richard (Dick) Hickey. Carrick-on-Suir. Memorial Mass. Special Intention. on Wednesday 9th February at 9.30am.
First Communion & Confirmation Parents Preparation Mass Wed 9th February at 7.30pm.
Anna Mai Smith, Drumlease. Anniversary Mass on Friday 11th February at 8.00pm.
Ita Reynolds, Cornalaughta. Anniversary Mass on Sunday 13th February at 11.15am.

May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.

3. **Liturgy for February:** Readers –Michael Costello; Collectors – Michael Loughlin & Padraig Watters; Altar Society – Rosemary Bartlett.

CHURCH OF MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR:

1. **Mass:** Thursday at **8.00pm;** Sunday at **10.00am.**
2. **Pray for:**
Special Intention. Mass on Sunday 6th February at 10.00am.
Padraig Mularkey, Ballymote, Sligo. Memorial Mass on Thursday 10th February at 8.00pm. *We also welcome the First Holy Communion Children and their families.*
Available for Intention. Mass on Sunday 13th February at 10.00am.

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3. **Liturgy for February:** Reader – Michael Comiskey; Collectors – Kevin McDermott & Jim Loughlin; Altar Society – Elizabeth Comiskey & Minnie Healy.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE:

1. **Mass:** Tuesday at **8.00pm (followed by Rosary);** Saturday (Vigil Mass) at **8.00pm.**
2. **Pray for:**
Jimmy Kelly, Dublin & Townahoosey, Months Memory Mass on Saturday 5th February at 8.00pm.
James McNulty, Larkfield. Anniv. Mass on Tuesday 8th February at 8.00pm.
John Kelly, Lisgorman & Manorhamilton. 1st Anniv. Mass on Saturday 12th February at 8.00pm.

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3. **Liturgy for February:** Readers – John McMorrow & Monica McNulty; Collectors - Joseph McGowan, Tommie Sheridan; Altar Society – Carmel Gallagher.

The Irish Catholic

Copies of The Irish Catholic are available at the back of each church – Price €2.50. The Irish Catholic is Ireland's biggest and best-selling religious newspaper. The newspaper, published weekly, provides a lively mix of news, analysis and informed commentary about the Church and social issues as they affect Ireland and the wider world.

Drumlease N.S. Enrolment September 2022: Enrolment Packs for September 2022 are now available from the school office. Please call in-person or phone the school on 071 9164586. You may also email your request for packs on drumleasens.ias@gmail.com. An Induction Day will take place in June - date to be confirmed later. **Closing date for return of applications is Thursday 31st March 2022.**

Annual Bishop MacKiernan Memorial lecture: 'A Bishop for The Shortest Time, Bishop Bernard Finegan', by Fr. Fr. Liam Kelly. **Delivered online on Tuesday 8th February at 7.30pm.** Accessible on www.cavanlibrary.ie and facebook.com/CavanLibrary.

The Backpack for Adults - Night Class in Cavan Institute: Following on from the success of the The Backpack for Adults in previous years at Cavan Institute, the course will run again on Tuesday evenings from the 1st of March for 8 weeks. Participants acquire valuable skills which protect and increase mental health and wellbeing. The course contains topics such as: Dealing with Strong Emotions; Boundaries and Contemplative Prayer. For further information please email: contact@thebackpack.life or phone 083 4877325.

