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Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 7th February 2010 ~ The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Sunday Next is Valentine's Day.

There will be a blessing for all couples at Masses next weekend.

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GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

- A Date for Your Diary: Ash Wednesday is on the 17th February this year. [A] Details concerning blessing & distribution of ashes and Mass times will be given next week.
- St. Michael's family Life Centre, Church Hill, Sligo: Telephone 071 9170329. [B] A *Parenting Course* dealing with children of all ages begins this Tuesday 9th February at 10.00am. If you have suffered loss or bereavement, you may be interested in **Journey through Grief**, a course that aims to help you cope in times of loneliness and pain. Excellent morning and night programmes also. Web- site: stmichaelsfamilylifecentre@eircom.net
- Alcoholic Anonymous ~ Open Public Meeting: Bee Park Centre (Conference Room 1) [C] Manorhamilton, Co. Leitrim on Wednesday 10th February at 8.00pm. All invited to attend this information evening on Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon. Refreshments served.
- First Friday Visitation ~ Killargue area: Monday 8th, Tuesday 9th & Wednesday 10th February. [D] All concerned will be contacted to arrange a suitable time.
- [E] We remember Margaret (Margie) Mather (sister of P.J.Devaney, Corrigeencor & Eileen Coen, Sligo) whose funeral took place in Newcastle, England on Tuesday 26th January. May she rest in peace.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

- 1. Mass: Monday 9.30am; Tuesday 9.30am; Wednesday 9.30am; Friday 8.00pm; **Sunday 11.15am.**
- 2. Pray for:-

Harold Atkins, Lavally, Ballintogher & deceased family, Mass Sunday 7th February at 11.15am. Enda Moore, Garda Síochana, Drumshanbo, Mass Monday 8th February at 9.30am. Beryl & Michael Mc Goldrick, Kilmore, Fivemilebourne, Mass Sunday 14th February at 11.15am. May they rest in peace.

3. Liturgy for February: Readers: Sinead Torsney - Mc Goldrick & Michael Costello. Collectors: Padraig Watters. Altar Society: Annie Mc Kenna & Rosemary Bartlett.

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

- 1. Mass: Sunday 10.00am.
- 2. Pray for:-

Deceased of St. Felim's Sick & Infirm Priests' Society, Mass Sunday 7th February at 10.00am. Vincent Banks, Corrycullen, Anniversary Mass Sunday 14th February at 10.00am.

May they rest in peace

3. Liturgy for February: Reader: Michael Comiskey. Collectors: Mary Mc Morrow. Altar Society: Elizabeth Healy & Minnie Healy.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

- 1. Mass: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 7.00pm.
- 2. Pray for:-

Thomas Breddy Rooney, Tullycreevy, Anniversary Mass Saturday 6th February at 7.00pm. Hugh Mc Morrow, Gortnacarkogue & deceased family members, Mass Saturday 13th February at 7.00pm. May they rest in peace

3. Liturgy for February: Reader: Monica Mc Nulty & John Mc Morrow.

Collectors: Joseph Mc Gowan, Margaret Sheridan, John Joe Mc Niffe & Bridget Fitzpatrick. Altar Society: Lena Mc Ternan & Monica Mc Nulty.

Community Notices.

- 1. Bingo continues each Monday night at 9.00pm in <u>The Blue Devon.</u>
 All lines €30, except games 5 &10 which are €50; all houses €100 and last game €200.
 Your support is appreciated!
- 2. Worried? Lonely? Under Stress? The <u>Samaritans</u> offer confidential emotional support on their 24 hour helpline: 1 850 60 90 90. www.samaritans.ie & jo@samaritans.org
- 3. Do you have a <u>Smoke Alarm</u> in your home? This cheap device could save your life. It is also important to have a <u>Carbon Monoxide Monitor</u> especially if you use oil, gas or coal. You should never block an air vent in a room where you are burning gas, oil or coal as fuel.
- **4.** Blotto Draw: <u>Stanford's Inn</u> on Saturday night, 20th February 2010. Jackpot: €3,900. Dromahair Development will contribute all proceeds to the Haiti earthquake victims.
- 5. Extra copies of the 2010 Parish Calendar are now available at back of your church.
- **6. Rural Lift:** A time-table and application forms is now available in the Depot office for anyone who wishes to avail of this service.
- 7. Killargue Community Development: AGM in Community Centre Monday 8th February 8.30pm.
- 8. The <u>Lough Gill Players</u> celebrate their 21st birthday this year. A celebratory Three Act Play ~ <u>The Memory of Water</u> ~ directed by Gerard Mc Kenna will be performed in March. The play revolves around three sisters and their partners who gather at the home of their recently deceased mother and revisit the past in poignant and often hilarious ways.

 <u>Venues:</u> Newtownmanor Hall ~ Sunday 7th March; Blue Devon Function Room ~ Friday 12th & Sunday 14th March; The Hawk's Well Theatre, Sligo ~ Tuesday 16th March & The Glens' Centre, Manorhamilton ~ Tuesday 23rd March 2010. Your support is appreciated.
- 9. Dromahair Summer Festival: A Public Meeting to get ideas for this event will be held in the Depot at 9.00pm on Wednesday 10th February. All welcome. Contact John at 086 8565649.
- 10.Dromahair Development Association ~ Public Meeting: On <u>Thursday</u> 11th February at <u>9.00pm in The Depot</u>, Dromahair. This meeting will discuss issues arising from the recent freeze up and work left unfinished in estates.
- 11.Table Quiz ~ Blue Devon ~ at 8.30pm on Friday 12th March. All proceeds will be channeled through *GOAL* to aid the *Haiti earthquake* victims.

Offertory & Dues Envelopes

If you have not yet received your official envelopes, please put your contribution in an ordinary envelope carrying your name and address ~ and number where known.

Clothing Collection Facility

A <u>Container</u> has been placed in the grounds of <u>The Depot, Dromahair</u> for the collection of unwanted clothing ~ ladies', gents' and children's ~ shoes in pairs, leather goods, sheets, blankets & curtains.

Please put the above items in plastic bags.

Access to the facility is from the <u>Backline</u> and through the <u>steel door</u> leading into the <u>Depot</u> grounds.

Only the <u>right – hand door</u> of the container opens. Turn the lever fully to the left before pulling the door open ~ and you'll need to use a little strength!

Proceeds from these collections will aid parish funds