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Dromahair - Killargue - Newtownmanor

Sunday 9th April 2017 – Palm/Passion Sunday

Change of Mass Times - Killargue Church

The Saturday Evening Vigil Mass in Killargue reverts to the later time of **8.00pm with effect from this Saturday 8th April 2017.**

Next Wednesday 12th April, there will be an early morning Mass in Dromahair Church at 7.00am.

Today - Sunday 9th April is Palm/Passion Sunday. Palms will be blessed at all Masses. Please remove Palm Branches and any smaller pieces, from around and underneath the seats as you leave the church after Mass.

Thank you for your co-operation.

CHURCH NOTICES

[A] Altar Servers for Dromahair:

April 2017 - Group 2: Emma Caprani, Ellie Keegan, Deirbhile Power & Dáithí Meehan.

Parents please note, if your child is unable to serve at Mass on any of the assigned dates, please arrange a replacement.

[B] Dates for your Diary!

Timetable for Holy Week & Easter Ceremonies

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Penitential Service for Easter: Wednesday 12th April in Dromahair Church at 8.00pm.

Holy Thursday - 13th April - Mass of the Lord's Supper: Newtownmanor at 7.00pm; Dromahair at 8.30pm <<<N.B: Killargue at 8.30pm. There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in all three churches on Holy Thursday starting immediately after Mass of the Lord's Supper. Exposition will conclude in Newtownmanor at 10.30pm; Dromahair at 11.00pm and Killargue at 12 midnight.

Good Friday - 14th April - The Lord's Passion: Dromahair at 3.00pm; Killargue at 5.00pm; Newtownmanor at 7.00pm. **There will be quiet Prayer before the Cross in Dromahair Church on Good Friday Night from 9.00pm - 10.30pm, with Stations of the Cross beginning at 9.15pm.**

Holy Saturday 15th April (Easter Vigil) - Dromahair only - at 9.00pm.

Easter Sunday 16th April (The Resurrection of the Lord) - Mass in all three Churches as follows: Newtownmanor 10.00am; Killargue 10.30am; Dromahair 11.15am.

[C] Confirmation - Sunday 14th May in St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair at 3.00pm.

First Holy Communion - Drumlease N.S. Saturday 20th May at 11.00am in St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair.

First Holy Communion - Leckaun N.S. Saturday 27th May at 11.30am in Newtownmanor Church.

Redemptorist Mission will take place in the Parish from 9th – 17th September 2017. More details later!

[D] Celebrate Easter at Dawn Mass - Creevelea Abbey: The Parish of Killenummery & Killery invite you to celebrate Easter with the **Dawn Mass at Creevelea Abbey which will be celebrated at 6.00am on Easter Sunday morning.** Please bring a torch.

[E] Dues & Offertory Collection Envelopes for Dromahair area are now available. If you have not yet received your pack or your pack is incorrect, please contact Fr. Anthony or the sacristan Pdraig Watters.

[F] Pope Francis has personally chosen Dublin to be the host Diocese for the World Meeting of Families from 21st – 26th August 2018. Hosting this important event requires an enormous amount of planning and funding. In this regard, a **National Collection** will be held in **this Parish this weekend - Saturday 8th & Sunday 9th April 2017 (Palm Sunday), after Holy Communion time in all three churches.**

[G] Bus to Knock for National Day of Adoration on Sun 30th April: Ceremonies start at 11am and conclude at 4pm. Bus leaving Killargue at 9am. More information Ann Dolan on 086 2242828

[H] St. Brigid's Church, Killargue: Twelve-hour Adoration in honour of St. Joseph, will take place this year on Tuesday 2nd May 2017, beginning with Mass at 8.00am and finishing with Mass at 8.00pm. More details later.

[I] Parish Pastoral Council Meeting on Thursday 20th April at 8.30pm in The Depot.

[J] First Friday Visitation will continue during the week. If there is anyone or you know of anyone who would like a visit, please contact Fr. Anthony on 071 9164143.

[K] **Pray for: John Harte, Gortnaskeagh, Leckaun PO** who has died. Funeral Mass on Monday at 11 am in Newtownmanor. Burial in Newtownmanor Cemetery.

Baby **Molly McNasser**, Fermoyle, Calry, whose funeral took place on Friday last. We remember especially her parents, **Sinead & Paul** at this sad time.

Vinnie Mc Veigh, KInlough and Kilcoon whose funeral took place this past week.

Eileen McGee (nee Madden), Gortlowan, Ballintogher and formerly of Market Street, Dromahair, whose funeral took place on Saturday 1st April.

May they rest in peace.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

1. Mass: Monday 9.30am; Tuesday 9.30am; Wednesday 7.00am; **Holy Thursday at 8.30pm <<<N.B ; Good Friday Liturgy at 3.00pm; Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil) at 9.00pm. Easter Sunday at 11.15pm.**
2. **Pray for:**
Annie McKenna & Packie McKenna, Carrickacrogghery, Mass on Sunday 9th April at 11.15am.
The People of the Parish, Mass Mon 10th April at 9.30am
Intentions of the Donor, Mass Tues 11th at 9.30am.
Intentions of the Donor, Mass Wed 12th April at 7.00am.
Intentions of the Donor, Mass Holy Thursday 13th April at **8.30pm <<<N.B..**
Intentions of the Donor, Mass Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil) 15th April at **9.00pm.**
Beryl & Michael McGoldrick, Kilmore, Mass Easter Sunday 16th April at **11.15pm.**

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3. Liturgy for April Readers: **Joe McGoldrick.** Collectors: **Domhnall McLoughlin & Noel Rooney.**
Altar Society **Kathleen Fenton, Catherine Haddow, Josephine Sweeney & Eileen Clinton.**

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. Mass: **Holy Thursday at 7.00pm; Good Friday Liturgy at 7.00pm; Easter Sunday at 10.00am.**
2. **Pray for:**
James Fowley, Corraghaun, Mass Sun 9th April at 10.00am.
Intentions of the Donor, Mass Holy Thurs 13th April at **7.00pm.**
The People of the Parish, Easter Sunday 16th April at 10.00am.

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3. Liturgy for April: Reader: **Frank Dolan.** Collectors **P.J. Martin & Jimmy Dolan.** Altar Society: **Kathy McMorrow & Lily Dolan.**

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE

1. Mass: **Holy Thursday at 8.30pm; Good Friday Liturgy at 5.00pm; Easter Sunday at 10.30am.**
 2. **Pray for:**
Paddy O'Hara, Pat and Margaret O'Hara, Shanacranaghy and **Pat Kerins, Soxline**, Mass on Saturday 8th April at **8.00pm.**
Joe & Dolly Lynch, Larkfield. Mass on **Holy Thursday at 8.30pm.**
Sonnie & Mary Feeney, Curry, and **Nellie Feeney.** Mass on **Easter Sunday at 10.30am.**
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3. Liturgy for April: Reader: **Dolan & Flanagan family.** Collectors: **Joe McTernan, Tony Feeney, Joe Sheridan & Joe Harkin.** Altar Society: **Marie Sheridan & Martina Hannon.**
 4. **No Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesday evening.** Exposition on Holy Thursday takes place after Mass of the Lord's Supper at **8.30pm until 12 Midnight.** Padre Pio Novena Prayers - First Tuesday of every month at 7.00pm.

Community Notices.

1. Bingo: 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 Development Association - Cake Sale in the Depot on Easter Sunday morning. Donations of Cakes, breads, jam etc would be most appreciated. Contact 071 9134986 or 085 8017943.**
3. **Sponsored Cycle –today, Sunday 9th April from the Depot at 10.00am.** 2 routes - 75km & 40km. All proceeds towards the footpath to the Park. Refreshments will be served. Contact Michéal on 086 3209198.
4. **Clothing Collection Facility There is a Clothing Bank/Container in The Depot Gate:** If you have any old clothes for disposal, why not bring them there. Your contribution will go towards helping the parish. Strictly no duvets or pillows.
5. **Leitrim County Council Smoke Alarm Scheme is providing 10-year-battery operated smoke alarms to vulnerable homes where there are currently no smoke alarms installed.** Priority will be given to households most in need. If you know of anyone who may need smoke alarms, please let them know about this scheme. **Tel: 071 9650400 - Ext 540 or 552.**
6. **Digital Skills for Citizens:** help with Computer Skills can be found in new course in The Depot in May 2017. For more details contact 071 9134986 or 085 8017943 any morning up until 1 pm.

The Permanent Diaconate A Programme for the training of men for the Permanent Diaconate will commence in St. Angela's College, Sligo in October 2017. The Diocese of Kilmore hope to send candidates from the Diocese for training. If there are any men between the ages of 35 -55 who feel that they may have a calling to this very important ministry, they are asked to ring Mr. Sean Coll at the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre on 049 4375004 before **Holy Thursday 13th April 2017.** An Information Evening for those interested will be arranged to let them know what is involved in the Training Programme and in the work of an Ordained Deacon.

