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Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 10th April 2011 ~ The Fifth Sunday in Lent.

Next Sunday is Palm/Passion Sunday

Palms will be blessed before all Masses and it would be nice to do part of the blessing outside if weather permits.

On Wednesday next, 13th April, there will be an early morning Mass at 7.30am in Dromahair.

This is an opportunity to do something extra for Lent and to prepare for Easter.

Mass will finish by 7.50am at the latest.

Many people will then still have time to complete the journey to their place of work.

Time-Table for Holy Week ~ Easter Ceremonies

***Holy Thursday ~ Mass of the Lord's Supper: Newtownmanor 7.00pm;
Dromahair 8.00pm; Killargue 8.30pm.***

Good Friday: The Lord's Passion ~ Dromahair 3.00pm; Killargue 5.00pm; Newtownmanor 7.00pm.

Holy Saturday ~ Easter Vigil ~ Dromahair only at 9.00pm.

***Easter Sunday ~ Celebrating the Resurrection of the Lord ~ Mass in all 3 churches as follows:
Newtownmanor 10.00am; Killargue 10.30am; Dromahair 11.15am.***

GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

- [A] **A Date for your Diary: Sacrament of Reconciliation/Penitential Service for Easter:**
Dromahair Church, Tuesday 19th April at 8.30pm. **This service will follow the same pattern as our Christmas celebration and priests from outside the parish will be present.**
- [B] **Lent is a time to think of others who are less fortunate than we are.** One of the most practical ways is to contribute to Trócaire and the amount usually suggested is the cost of one family meal per week. **Trócaire Boxes ~ still available at the back of your church. Please take one!**
- [C] We offer our congratulations to all who received the ***Sacrament of Confirmation*** this Saturday 9th April in Dromahair. **Please remember them all ~ including our Bishop & Teachers ~ in your prayers.**
We express sincere thanks to our teachers for all their dedication and hard work.
- [D] **During Lent, The Rosary will be recited in Dromahair & Killargue after weekend Masses & 20 minutes before Sunday Mass in Newtownmanor ~ for those who wish to participate.**
- [E] **Kilmore Pilgrimage to Lourdes: 27th May – 1st June 2011. Hotel Pilgrims contact Mc Ginnity Travel 049 - 4331811. Assisted Pilgrims contact Fr. Kevin Fay 049 - 4330018 or 087 - 8579968.**

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

- 1. Mass: Monday See Killargue; Tuesday 9.30am; Wednesday ~ early morning Mass ~ 7.30am; Thursday ~ see Newtownmanor; Friday 8.00pm; Sunday 11.15am.**
- 2. Pray for:-**
Myles, Maura & Frances Meehan, Station Rd, Dromahair, Mass Sunday 10th April at 11.15am.
Maureen Mainwaring, Market St, and **Kathleen & Patrick Gallagher**, Bawn, Anniversary Mass Tuesday 11th April at 9.30am.

Maureen McGoldrick, Coredda, Mass Wednesday 13th April at 7.30am.
Pauline Boles, Carrickanarro, Month's Memory Mass Friday 15th April at 8.00pm.
[P]atrick Ward, Drumlease, Anniversary Mass Sunday 17th April at 11.15am.
May they rest in peace.

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. **Mass: Thursday 8.00pm; Sunday 10.00am.**
2. **Pray for:-**
Lorcan Feehily, Hill House, Leckaun, Anniversary Sunday 10th April at 10.00am.
For a special intention, Mass Sunday 17th April at 10.00am.
May they rest in peace.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. **Mass: Monday & Tuesday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 8.00pm <<<<<<<N.B.**
2. **Pray for:-**
Francis & Margaret McMorrow, Mullaghmore, Mass Saturday 9th April **8.00pm** <<<<N.B.
Tom Hannon, Gortgarrigan, Mass Saturday 16th April at 8.00pm.
May they rest in peace.
3. **Eucharistic Devotion:** Each Tuesday evening in Killargue Church from 7.00pm – 8.00pm.

Community Notices.

1. **Bingo this 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 appreciated!***
2. **The Lough Gill Players ~ cast and crew ~ would like to thank everyone who supported their recent production of Blithe Spirit over the last few weeks.** A special word of thanks to all the sponsors.
3. **St. Clare's Comprehensive, Manorhamilton ~ Fundraising Event:** 4k & 10k run/walk this Sunday 10th April commencing at 12.30pm. Entertainment and refreshments in the gym after the event. All proceeds go towards funding the athletic track. Details on school website: www.stclarescomprehensive.ie
4. **Niall Mellon Fundraising Race Night:** Gerard Fowley wishes to thank all those who supported his recent fundraiser. A special word of thanks to those who sponsored races, sold or bought horses and all who helped in any way to make this night such a great success. A total of **€6,940** was raised.
5. The **Dromahair Development Office** in **The Depot** is closed for the moment. For bookings or enquiries in the interim please ring 086 – 8521791.
6. **Gaelscoil Chluainín:** Open Day on Saturday 16th April from 12.00noon – 4.00pm. Lots of fun activities on the day.
7. **HSE Peer Education Programme ~ Women's Health ~ Information & Discussion on Common Female Cancers at 10.30am, Wednesday 30th March in St. Michael's family Life Centre, Church Hill, Sligo.** The programme is free. All women welcome. Tea & Coffee served. Contact number: 071 – 9170329.
8. **Please support Kevin Mc Dermott's Fundraising Event for the Niall Mellon Township Trust Fund with an Easter Cake Sale on Sunday 24th April in Newtownmanor Hall following 10.00am Mass.** Kevin is traveling to Cape Town to help build houses for some of the most deprived people in the world. Thanks for your generous support. It is greatly appreciated.

Towards Healing and Renewal ~ A Pastoral Response from the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference
Some copies of this Pastoral Letter are still available at the back and doors of your church.
Please take a copy!

First Communion for the children of Drumlease N.S. will be celebrated in **St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair** on **Saturday 21st May at 11.00am** and
First Communion for the children of Leckaun N.S. will be celebrated in **Newtownmanor Church** on **Saturday 11th June at 11.30am.**

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