

DROMAHAIR – KILLARGUE- NEWTOWNMANOR

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Sunday 10th October 2021 – 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Mission Sunday

October and World Mission Sunday is a time to the faithful of the world to show their appreciation towards the work of overseas missionaries. The generosity offered will be used to support missionary activities in over 1,100 struggling dioceses: mostly in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. **You can help right now. Please donate Four euro by texting the word ‘Mission’ to 50300, or bring you Mission Sunday envelopes to Mass on the Weekend 23rd/24th October.**

Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel

1. We often get satisfaction from the things we own, clothes, cars, homes, gadgets, or money. There would be something unnatural if we did not. But what happens to us when our possessions begin to ‘own’ us, when they take a hold us, when we become obsessed with them? Jesus seeks followers who have the freedom to let go of possessions in order to be a servant of others. In whom have you seen this freedom? When have you experienced it yourself?
2. Growth implies change. That change sometimes means letting go of something we have at this moment: job, status, home, security, or something else we value. There can be an apparent loss in letting go. Yet have you ever found that you gained by having the freedom to let go of something to which you had previously clung?
3. The disciples thought that Jesus was making impossible demands of people following him. He acknowledged that discipleship was impossible to us on our own efforts alone. How have you experienced the benefits of the help of others and of God when you were faced with difficulties in life?

Pope Francis is inviting all Catholics around the world....

to a **Conversation about what does** faith/church/religion mean to us. The term **Synod** is used for this. It is an opportunity to hear your views, to have your say, with the help of the Holy Spirit, to discover new ways of living our faith in our times. To see how you can have a say, go to **www.kilmorediocese.ie** for a presentation by Bishop Martin welcoming this opportunity and inviting your views.

First Holy Communion

Congratulations & God’s Blessing to the pupils from **Drumlease N.S.**, who received their First Holy Communion Saturday 9th October in Dromahair Church.

During the month of October, a volunteer from the congregation might lead the Rosary before Saturday evening & Sunday morning Masses in all three churches: Those leading the Rosary are asked to begin a full twenty minutes before Mass. It would be nice if you could take a little time each day to recite the Rosary in honour of Our Blessed Virgin Mary.

Recently Deceased: **Margaret (Peggy) Flannery (nee Gillhooly)**, Dromahair, whose funeral took place in Killenummery on Friday last – 8th October. **Margaret Elliott (nee Craig)**, Dromahair, whose funeral took place on Thursday last – 7th October. **Katie McMorrow (nee McGoey)**, Manorhamilton and formerly of Annaghboy, Killargue, whose funeral took place in Manorhamilton on Monday last – 4th October. **Maureen Harkin**, Annagh, Killargue, whose funeral took place on Tuesday 28th September. **Joseph Cox**, Ballintra, Donegal. Funeral took place on Tuesday, 21st September in St Brigid’s Church, Ballintra.

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

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR:

1. **Mass: No Mass on Monday's; No Mass on Wednesday at 9.30am;** Friday at 8.00pm; Sunday at 11.15am.
2. **Pray for:**
Michael James & Elizabeth Bird, Banagher. Mass on Sunday 10th October at 11.15am (*streamed live*).
No Mass on Wednesday 13th October.
The Kilmartin Family, Ballinagar, & Katie Jeiters. **Also,**
for a Special Intention. Mass on Friday 15th October at 8.00pm (*streamed live*).
Michael & Ellen Watters & their son Gerard. Jim Fowley, Michael & Kate Cunningham, Five-mile-bourne. Mass on Sunday 17th October at 11.15am (*streamed live*).

May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.
3. **Liturgy for October: Reader:** Susan Kivlehan. **Collectors:** Michéal McGoldrick & Seán McGoldrick. **Altar Society:** Ann O'Rourke & Breda Sweeney.

CHURCH OF MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR:

1. **Mass: No Mass on Thursday at 8.00pm;** Sunday at 10.00am.
2. **Pray for:**
Elizabeth Fowley, Corraghaun Mass on Sunday 10th October at 10.00am.
No Mass on Thursday 14th October.
Mass of appreciation for those who supported and helped the Dolan family on the death of Jimmy. Mass on Sunday 17th October at 10.00am.

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3. **Liturgy for October: Readers:** Anne & John Longworth. **Collectors:** Tommy McGourty & Kevin Comiskey. **Altar Society:** Philomena Dolan & Margaret Banks.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE:

1. **Mass: No Mass on Tuesday at 8.00pm;** Saturday (Vigil) at **8.00pm.**
2. **Pray for:**
Kathleen & Paddy Joe Gallagher, Corderry & **Deceased Family Members**, Mass on Saturday 9th October at 8.00pm.
No Mass on Tuesday 12th October.
Katie Harte, Cloonlougher, Months Memory Mass. **John Judge**, Tullinwillin. 25th Anniversary Mass, on Saturday 16th October at 8.00pm.

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3. **Liturgy for October: Readers:** Pauric Fitzpatrick & Bernadette Feeney. **Collector:** Pauric Cullen. **Altar Society:** Bridget Fitzpatrick & Mary Cullen.

Recent Baptism

We welcome to the Christian Community: **Amelia Gillmor**, daughter of Vernon & Sandra, who was baptized in St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair, on Saturday 18th September 2021.

Community Notices:

Classes in The Depot: Gardening on Mondays 10am, Active Age group recommencing Wed 20th October at 10.30am, Upcoming basic computers course to help with using Word, printing, internet access, social media etc. Contact Depot office Mon to Fri 071-09134986 085-8017943.

County Leitrim Decade of Centenaries Lecture with Dr. Pdraig McGarty; War of Independence County & Community Perspective at 9.00pm on Sunday 10th October in Bee Park Community Centre. Register to attend contact Gerry Creamer Tel; 086 3855090.

North-West STOP: ODD SOCKS DAY on 7th October (or between 3rd-10th): For a Fundraising Pack: Email: oddsocks4stop@gmail.com or Ph: 071 985 6070; **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** on Thursday 14th October at 7.30pm, The Glens Centre, New Line, Manorhamilton. Please confirm your attendance by 7th October if you wish to be included in the minutes. Ph: 071 985 6070; **MEMORIAL WALK** on Friday 15th October, 7pm, Castle Carpark, Manorhamilton. **PREVAILING COVID-19 GUIDELINES WILL APPLY TO ALL IN-PERSON EVENTS.**

