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**Sunday 11th June 2023 – Feast of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ**

**DROMAHAIR – KILLARGUE - NEWTOWNMANOR**

**Corpus Christi – Points to Ponder**

**The feast of Corpus Christi, the Body and Blood of Christ,** focuses us on the meaning of the Eucharist. Recall some of the words of Pope Francis in his homily for this feast in 2021: The Eucharist wants to nourish those who are tired and hungry along the way, let us not forget that! A Church of the pure and perfect is a room with no place for anyone; the Church with open doors, which gathers and celebrates around Christ, is instead a great hall where everyone all, righteous and sinners can enter.

**In the Eucharist, we contemplate and worship the God of love.** The Lord who breaks no one yet allows himself to be broken. The Lord who does not demand sacrifices but sacrifices himself. The Lord who asks nothing but gives everything.

**In celebrating and experiencing the Eucharist, we too are called to share in this love.** For we cannot break bread on Sunday if our hearts are closed to our brothers and sisters. We cannot partake of that Bread if we do not give bread to the hungry. We cannot share that Bread unless we share the sufferings of our brothers and sisters in need.

**In the end, and the end of our solemn Eucharistic liturgies as well, only love will remain.** Even now, our Eucharistic celebrations are transforming the world to the extent that we are allowing ourselves to be transformed and to become bread broken for others. (*Donal Neary SJ (Editor, Sacred Heart Messenger)*

**St. Peregrine:**Fr Paul will celebrate the St Peregrine Mass for the sick, in St. Brigid’s Church, Killargue, on the second Tuesday of each month, at 8.00pm. The Mass will be preceded by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 7.15pm to 8.00pm. **The next Mass will be on Tuesday 13th June at 8.00pm.** St. Peregrine is the patron saint of cancer patients. Blessing with St Peregrine oil will be offered.

**Visitation & Blessing of Graves 2023:**

**Killargue:** Sunday - 25th June, beginning with Mass in St. Brigid’s Church, at **2.30pm,** followed by Blessing of Graves in the ***Old Cemetery*** after Mass at **3.15pm** and continuing to the ***New Cemetery*** for **3.45pm**. **Cloonlougher Cemetery** will also take place on Sunday 25th June at **4.30pm** approximately.

**Newtownmanor** on Sunday, 6th August beginning with Mass in the Church **at 3pm** with blessing afterwards.

**Carrickatemple Cemetery** on 6th August immediately after the Newtownmanor prayers. **Approx. 4.30pm**

# Creevelea Abbey -- Blessing of the Graves: Will take place on Friday next – 16th June at 7.30pm. Mass will be celebrated, followed by the blessing of the graves.

# There will be no Mass in Dromahair that evening.

**Newtownmanor Church is closed for renovations until the middle of June.** Masses will be celebrated on **Sundays at 10.00am in Newtownmanor Hall** and on **Thursdays at 8.00pm in Dromahair Church**, during the closed period. Any Funeral Masses that may occur in the Newtownmanor area will be celebrated in either Dromahair or Killargue Churches.

# The Missionary Sisters of St. Peter Claver - wish to express their heartfelt thanks for your generosity during their Parish Mission Promotion visit on the weekend of 27th & 28th May. The proceeds of their appeal amounted to €920.95. Monthly Masses are offered for the deceased and the living Friends and Benefactors of their Congregation.

# Recently Deceased: Breege Murphy (nee Dolan), Calry, and formerly of Cornalaughta, Leckaun, whose Funeral Mass was celebrated on Thursday last – 8th June, in St. Colmcille’s Church, Rathcormac.

# May she Rest in Peace. Amen.

# ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR:

1. **Mass: No Mass on Monday’s;** Wed at 9.30am; **No Mass on Thursday or Friday at 8pm;** Sunday at 11.15am.

### Pray for:

**Kate Ann & Thomas McGoldrick & their sons, Martin & Tommy,** Killaleen. **Eileen O’Loughlin,** Friarstown, **Prayers for a Special Intention.** Masson Sunday 11th June at 11.15pm.

**Special intention.** Mass on Wednesday 14th June at 9.30am

**No Mass on Thursday, 15th June at 8.00pm.**

**No Mass on Friday 16th June at 8.00pm (Cemetery Mass in Creevelea Abbey at 7.30pm).**

**Vincent O’Loughlin,** Tully. **Jimmy McHugh & his daughter, Kathleen.** Aughameelta.

Mass on Sunday 18th June at 11.15am.

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

1. **Liturgy for June:** Reader; Emer Clancy.Collectors; Joseph McGoldrick, Frances & Tommy Dolan;Altar Society – Josephine Harvey & Mary McMahon.

**CHURCH OF MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR:**

1. **Mass:** **Sunday (in Newtownmanor Hall) at 10.00am.**

### Pray for:

**Available for Intention. Mass in Newtownmanor Hall on Sunday 11th June at 10.00am.**

**No Mass in Dromahair on Thursday 15th June at 8.00pm.**

**Annie Comiskey,** Doonkelly.  **Mass in Newtownmanor Hall on Sunday 18h June at 10.00am.**

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

1. **Liturgy for June**: Readers; Lisa McGourty & Seamus Storey.Collectors;Michael Comiskey & Liam Martin; Altar Society – Hillary McDermott & Una Dolan.

**ST. BRIGID’S CHURCH, KILLARGUE:**

1. **Mass**: **Tuesday at 8.00pm (Adoration 7.15pm to 8.00pm);** Saturday (Vigil) Mass at 8.00pm.

### Pray for:

**Deceased of the Forde Family,** Gortnacarkogue.(Vigil) Mass on Saturday 10th June at 8.00pm.

**Private/Special Intentions.** Mass on Tuesday 13th June at 8.00pm **(including St. Peregrine Prayers for the Sick).** **Adoration 7.15pm to 8.00pm.**

**Jim Boles,** Gortnacarkogue, (Vigil) Mass on Saturday 17th June at 8.00pm.

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

1. **Liturgy for June:** Readers – Diarmuid Giblin & Sharon Thornton; Collectors – Michael Donoghue & Joe Giblin; Altar Society – Christina & Shauna Loughlin.

**Novena Prayer to the Sacred Heart**

O Divine Jesus, who said, “Ask and you shall receive”,
I kneel at your feet.
From whom shall I ask if not from you, whose heart is the source of all blessings.
With a lively faith in you, I come to ask…

*(share your petitions silently with the Sacred Heart)*
I admit I am most unworthy of your favours, Jesus,

but this is not a reason for me to be discouraged.
You are the God of mercies and you will not refuse a contrite heart.
Look with pity on me, I beg you, and your compassionate Heart
will find in my weakness a motive for granting my request.
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on me. **Amen.**

*NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART*

*Thursday 8th June to Friday 16th June (Feast of the Sacred Heart)*

**Our Congratulations to Kevin Comiskey -** who on Thursday last – 8th June, was elected as **Vice President of Copa – Congeca,** the united voice for farmers and Agri – Co-operatives in the European Union. He will bring a lot of experience to the position; we wish him the very best in his new role.

**Would there be any interest in Keyboard Lessons in The Depot, Dromahair?** Keyboards & Tutor available in September.  All levels, children & adults. Please contact us on 085-8017943 if interested.