

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 13th & Sunday 20th September 2015 ~ 24th & 25th Sunday's in Ordinary Time.

CHURCH NOTICES.

- [A] **Did you make a contribution to the Holy Land Collection?** You can still make a contribution and put it in the Collection Basket next weekend. Your contribution is much appreciated and badly needed
- [B] **Padre Pio Weekend ~ Knock:** The Annual Padre Pio weekend takes place in Knock on the 19th & 20th September. A bus will leave from St. Clare's Church Car Park on Saturday 19th September at 10am via Killargue & Dromahair. For further information please contact 071 9164270 or 089 2216168.
- [C] **National Eucharistic Congress: This event takes place in Knock, Co. Mayo on September 26th & 27th.** Its theme "*Christ our Hope*" invites us to think about hope in our lives. This week, take time to think about the moments when you were given reason to hope ~ perhaps what you needed came your way. Remember to be thankful!
- [D] **One Day Retreats ~ Lough Derg: Retreats are available in September on 14th, 15th, 19th & 20th.** The Retreat follows a set programme of prayer and reflection. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available but optional. The Day concludes with the Celebration of Mass. A light lunch is served and pilgrims keep footwear on. Come to a place of welcome where everyone is equal. Boats daily from 9.15am and return from the island at 4.00pm. Contact: **Maureen or Lorraine on 071 - 9861518.** E – Mail: info@loughderg.org Advance Booking essential.
- [E] **The Knock Pilgrimage Season continues until Sunday 11th October.** Public Ceremonies on Sundays are as follows: **Anointing of the Sick ~ 2.30pm; Con-celebrated Mass** followed by **Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary Procession** to the Shrine & **Blessing of Religious Objects ~ 3.00pm.** For details of week - day Ceremonies consult the poster which is on your church notice - board.
- [F] **The National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock:** Today, Sunday 13th September. Bishop Brendan Leahy of Limerick will be the chief celebrant.
- [G] **Annual Novena to St. Therese ~ St. Therese's Church, Ballintogher:** Thursday 24th September – Friday 2nd October commencing at 7.30pm each evening. The Novena has a good line up of speakers and all are very welcome.
- [H] **A.S.I.S.T ~ Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training:** A Training Course developed for both members of the public and professionals and particularly those people whose work brings them into contact with people who may be vulnerable or at risk of suicide. Forthcoming Training Dates: 17th & 18th November ~ ASIST ~ Mohill, Co. Leitrim. Training is from 9am – 5pm. To book a place or for further information contact: Belinda Taylor, Health Promotion 071 9135061.
- [I] **North West Hospice ~ Dromahair Support Group:** Annual Coffee Morning, Thursday 17th September 2015 in the Depot from 10.00am – 2.00pm. Please support.
- [J] **SafeTalk ~ a half –day training programme that prepares participants to identify persons with thoughts of suicide and connect them to suicide first aid resources.** For more information and course dates and venues contact Belinda Taylor, Health Promotion at 071 9135061
- [K] **First Friday Visitation: Fr. Anthony will be in contact with all concerned when he gets settled in.** It will obviously take some time.
- [L] *We remember:*
Gillian Clarke, Hillside View, Killargue and formerly Rockvalley, Dromahair who funeral took place during the week.
May she rest in peace.
- ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.**
1. **Mass: Friday 18th Sept 8.00pm; Sunday Mass at 11.15am.**
2. *Pray for*
John & Alice O'Brien, Drumkeel & Drumlease, Anniv Mass Sunday 13th September at 11.15am.
Christina Haddow, Months Memory Mass Friday 18th September at 8.00pm.
Tom & Elizabeth Rooney, Friarstown and **deceased family members**, Mass Sunday 20th September at 11.15am.
May they rest in peace!
3. **Liturgy for September: Readers: Helen McGoldrick. Collectors: Micheál McGoldrick, Charles Sharkey & Micheál Loughlin.**
Altar Society: Josephine Harvey & Sinéad Diamond.

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. **Mass: Sunday Mass ~10.00am.**

2. **Pray for:**

John McDonald, Drumlease and deceased family members, Anniv Mass Sunday 13th September at 10.00am.

Mary Kate, Patrick & Betty McTernan, Moragh, Anniv Mass Sunday 20th September at 10.00am.

Paddy & Sarah Eames, Moragh, Anniv Mass Sunday 27th September at 10.00am.

May they rest in peace!

3. **Liturgy for September Reader: Rosaleen Bird. Collectors: Joseph Loughlin & Frank Dolan.**

Altar Society: Michelle Comiskey.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. **Mass: Saturday ~ Vigil Mass at 8.00pm.**

2. **Pray for**

Deceased members of the Gallagher family, Gortahork, and the Feely Family, Tullywillian Mass Saturday 12th September at 8.00pm.

Joe Walpole, Corrasra, Anniv Mass Saturday 19th September at 8.00pm.

Alice and Patrick Fitzpatrick, Boggaun, Mass Mon 21st Sept at 7 p.m.

Matt & Mollie Twomey, Dromahair, Anniv Mass Saturday 26th September at 8.00pm.

May they rest in peace

3. **Eucharistic Adoration: Continues in Killargue Church every Tuesday evening from 7.00pm.**

4. **Liturgy for September: Readers: Taheny Family & Marie Sheridan. Collectors: Carmel Feeney, Brian Harte & Carmel Loughlin. Altar Society: Catherine Sweeney & Detta Mc Niffe.**

Community Notices.

1. **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. **Just come right in and find out more about Dromahair Library.** The Library has received quite a number of **New Children's Books**. They are just in time for the final weeks of the **Summer Reading Tree Project**. If you have signed up, come along and check out our new books. Open Tuesdays from 12.30pm – 6.00pm and on Friday from 2.30pm – 8.00pm. Closed for a mini break on both days from 4.00pm – 4.30pm.

3. **Dromahair Development is compiling a Local Directory of businesses and services.** Your business or service can be included free of charge. Contact the Depot immediately on 071 - 9134986. E - Mail: dda.tidytowns@gmail.com

4. **Cosy up to Console ~ The National Suicide Prevention, Intervention & Bereavement Charity ~ Awareness Campaign:** Knit a Cosy! Create Awareness! Host an Afternoon Tea Party! **Info: www.console.ie**
For enquiries or to pledge support: anne.lynych@console.ie or Telephone: **087 - 1955990.**

5. **The 2014 Financial Statement of Account for your Parish Area is now displayed on your Church notice - board.**

6. **Dromahair Active Age Group ~** continues every Wednesday from 10.30am – 12.30pm. New members welcome so please come along. Contact Mary on 086 3408235 for further details.

7. **Maps with details of grave plots in Newtownmanor New Cemetery & Carricktemple are now ready and will be put in place soon. They will be a helpful guide for visitors and those tracing relatives.**

8. **In the event of a funeral or emergency please contact Padraig Watters at 087 6209656 071 9164898 who will make necessary arrangements.**

The following are the names & phone numbers of local priests. Please keep them in case of need.

Rev. Fr. Gerry Alwill, Drumkeeran, 071 - 96 48025.

Rev. Fr. Maurice Mc Morrow, Ballinglera 071 - 9643014.

Rev. Fr. John Sexton, Killargue, 071 - 91 64131 ~ **after 5.00pm only during school term.**

Rev. Fr. Oliver Kelly, Manorhamilton, 071 - 98 55042.

Rev. Fr. Tom Mannion, Glencar, 071 - 9855433.

Rev. Fr. Vincent Connaughton, Killenummery, 071 - 91 64125

Clothing Collection Facility

There is a Clothes Bank / Container inside the Depot Gate.

If you have old clothes for disposal, why not bring them there. Your contribution will help the parish and various charities.

Currently people are leaving out bags of clothes at their houses to be collected by purely commercial operators & they rarely help significantly any worthy cause ~ despite what a few advertise!

And other clothes banks in the village contribute only a very small amount to the charities they advertise.

Please do not bring books, toys or any items other than clothes!