

Dromahair ~ Killarogue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 15th August 2010 ~ Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady.

Special Collection next Weekend

We are all aware of the continuing crisis in Pakistan caused by disastrous flooding.

It is estimated that at least 14 million and possibly 20 million people are affected ~ a greater number than all those affected by the Asian tsunami or the Haitian earthquake combined!

Each Diocese in Ireland is holding a special collection for Trócaire' Pakistan Appeal at all masses next weekend.

This collection will be taken up in our 3 churches after Communion next Saturday & Sunday.

Please do your best in difficult times & thank you for your unfailing generosity!

GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

- [A] **Thanks to all who helped out at the Visitation & Blessing of Graves in the Newtownmanor Cemeteries last Sunday, 8th August 2010 and all who were present.**
- [B] **Today, Sunday, 15th August, is the Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady. There will be Mass at the Holy Well, Killarogue at 5.00pm ~ weather permitting. When heavy rain falls, the ground around the Holy Well can be quite dangerous and is most unsuitable for anyone with mobility problems. **Please don't take chances!****
- [C] **Diocese of Kilmore ~ Marriage Preparation Courses:** It is Diocesan policy that each couple attends an **ACCORD** Pre-Marriage Course. Facilitators giving these courses undergo continued in-service training and supervision. And the sacramental aspect of marriage receives appropriate attention. **It is a wise practice to do a course up to a year before the date of your marriage. Doing a course only weeks before your wedding makes little sense!**
All couples are asked to note this request and make suitable & timely arrangements.
- [D] **Thanks to all who contributed to the Collection in support of the Eucharistic Congress which takes place in 2012.**
**Amounts forwarded are as follows: Dromahair ~ €570.75;
Killarogue ~ €232.50; Newtownmanor ~ €243. Total €1,046.25.**
- [E] **Diocesan Services & Vocations Collection ~ The following amounts were contributed:**
Dromahair ~ €5,005; Killarogue ~ €3,066; Newtownmanor ~ €2, 503. Total: €10, 574.
- [F] **We remember Mary Keane (nee Ward) London and mother of Josephine Feeney, Killarogue who died suddenly on Thursday 12th August. Funeral arrangements later.**
Winnie Mc Dermott, Moragh, whose funeral took place last Sunday, 8th August 2010. Molly (Mary) Twomey, Market St, Dromahair, whose funeral took place on Tuesday 3rd August & Bridie Joy (neé Gallagher & sister of Rosaleen Byrne, Moneyduff) whose funeral was on Friday 30th July in Yorkshire. May they rest in peace.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

1. **Mass: Monday 9.30am, Tuesday 9.30am; Wednesday 8.00pm; Sunday 11.15am.**

2. **Pray for:-**

Agnes McGarry, Market St. & deceased family members, Anniversary Mass Sunday 15th August at 11.15am.

Eddie & Mary Loughlin, Drumlease, Anniversary Mass Wednesday 18th August at 8.00pm.

Michael, Margaret & Mai McGoldrick, Correda and deceased family members, Mass Sunday 22nd August at 11.15am.

May they rest in peace

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. **Mass: Sunday 10.00am.**
2. **Pray for:-**
Patsy Diamond, Cornalaughta, Mass Sunday 15th August at 10.00am.
May they rest in peace.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. **Mass: Sunday 15th August ~ Mass at Holy Well ~ 5.00pm;**
Friday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 8.00pm.
2. **Pray for:**
Jimmy & Josephine Feeney, Curry, Killargue, Mass Saturday 14th August at 8.00pm.
Kathleen Gallagher, Corderry, Month's Memory Mass Friday 20th August at 7.00pm.
Deceased members of the Gallagher family, Gortahork & **Feehily Family**, Tullinwillan, Mass Saturday 21st August at 8.00pm.
May they rest in peace

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. An **Open Meeting** will be held in **The Depot**, Dromahair on **Wednesday 18th August at 8.00pm** with a view to starting a **Local Guild of The Irish Countrywomen's Association ~ ICA**. Maura Faughnan, Leitrim Federation President will attend to advise on benefits, opportunities & set - up procedures. Enquiries / Expressions of Interest to Mary at 086 – 8039065.
3. Support the North – West Hospice by taking part in the N. Leitrim Glens Run/ Walk in Manorhamilton on Saturday 11th September 2010. Register by 25th August to get race T – Shirt in your size. Register now on www.northleitrimglensrun.com or Ring Betty at 086 -1799600 at 087 – 6471071. €20 for 10K & €30 full.
4. **Sligo Samaritans** in association with **Sligo Churches Together** invite all those in our community who have been touched by suicide to a **Service of Remembrance & Hope** on **Friday 20th August**. At 8.00pm – walk from Sligo County Offices, Riverside to The Model, The Mall. At 8.30pm - Service in The Model. Non – walkers go directly to The Model. Refreshments served.
5. **Dromahair Defibrillator Group:** Next Meeting on Friday 20th August at 8.00pm in the Depot.
6. **Annual Dromahair 4 – Mile Run / Walk:** Sunday 22nd August at 3.00pm. Proceeds in aid of STOP. Your support is appreciated.

Marino Restrepo ~ sometimes referred to as St. Paul for our times ~ will give testimony at 8.00pm on Friday 20th August, 2010 in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo. This famous musician and actor had a wonderful encounter with God during 6 months of captivity at the hands of FARC rebels in Colombia. He now speaks powerfully of his experience.

The Padre Pio Weekend takes place at Knock on the 18th / 19th September.
A bus will travel from this area on the Saturday.
The speakers are Fr. Brian Shortall & Fr. Richard Hendrick. A special new DVD will be shown.
Further information from 071 9164270 or 087 9134433.

National Public Novena in honour of Our Lady of Knock.

14th – 22nd August 2010.

Twice daily: Afternoon ~ 3.00pm & Evening ~ 8.30pm.

Theme: **The Path to Repentance, Healing & Renewal.**

A host of excellent speakers will be contributing. See notice - board in your church for details.

Faith is a little like electricity. You can't see it but you can see the light!