

Dromahair – Killargue - Newtownmanor

Sunday 17th February 2019 – 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lourdes Invalid Fund Collection – 2019

The Bi Annual Lourdes Invalid Fund Collection will be taken up after Holy Communion in all three churches in the parish next weekend - Saturday 23rd & Sunday 24th February. This collection helps to fund the costs of assisted pilgrims on our annual Kilmore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Please support this very worthy cause.

Church Notices:

[A] Altar Servers for Dromahair in February 2019 – Group 4.

Parents please note, if your child is unable to serve at Mass on any of the assigned dates, please arrange a replacement.

[B] Confirmation for the children of Drumlease N.S. & Leckaun N.S., will take place in St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair, on Sunday 12th May 2019 at 3.00pm.

[C] First Communion for the children from Drumlease N.S., will take place on Saturday 25th May 2019 at 11.00am in St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair.

[D] Parish Pastoral Council Meeting: Next Wednesday 20th February at 8.00pm in 'The Depot'.

[E] Following the success of 'The Backpack' in the autumn it has been decided that 'A Train the Trainer Course for The Backpack Program' will be run again for this term in Cavan Institute: This will begin in late February on Tuesday evenings for 2 hours over 8 weeks. For more information please call 083 487 7325 or email thebackpackprogram.life@gmail.com

[F] Prayer for all those who have suffered abuse:

Lord, we are sorry for what some of us did to your children; treated them so cruelly in their hour of need.

We have left them with a lifelong suffering.

This was not your plan for them or us.

Please help us to help them. Guide us Lord, Amen.

[G] Dues Envelopes are being distributed at the moment.

[H] Pray for:

Tom Steward, Glenfarne and late of Belcoo (**father of Geraldine Feehily & Nuala Hampson, Dromahair**), whose funeral took place on Saturday 9th February.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR

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

2. **Pray for:**

Ita Reynolds, Leckaun, Mass on Sunday 17th February at 11.15am.

Pee, John and grandson James McHugh, Drumlease, Longford & London, Mass on Monday 18th February at 9.30am.

The People of the Parish, Mass on Tuesday 19th February at 9.30am.

John Joe & Triona Fowley, Mass on Wednesday 20th February at 9.30am.

Ann (Nan) O'Rourke, Market Street, Mass on Friday 22nd February at 8.00pm.

Sean Clinton, Kilcoosey, his parents **Annie & John**, Mass on Sunday 24th February at 11.15am.

May they Rest in Peace.

3. **Liturgy for February:** Readers – Sinead Torsney-McGoldrick & Michael Costello; Collectors – Michael Loughlin & Padraig Watters; Altar Society – Rosemary Bartlett.

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR

1. **Mass:** Thursday at 8.00pm; Sunday at 10.00am.

2. **Pray for:**

Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Sunday 17th February at 10.00am.

Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Thursday 21st February at 8.00pm.

Kate & Alec Johnston, Magurk, Mass on Sunday 24th February at 10.00am.

May they Rest in Peace.

3. **Liturgy for February:** Reader – Michael Comiskey; Collectors – Kevin McDermott & Jim Loughlin; Altar Society – Elizabeth Comiskey & Minnie Healy.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE

1. **Mass:** Saturday (Vigil Mass) at 7.00pm.

2. **Pray for:**

Deceased of the Bird Family, Corrigeencor, Mass on Saturday 16th February at 7.00pm.

Margaret Sheridan, Carrickoghill, 1st Anniv. Mass on Saturday 23rd February at 7.00pm.

May they Rest in Peace.

3. **Liturgy for February:** Readers – John McMorow & Monica McNulty; Collectors – Joseph McGowan, Tommie Sheridan, John Joe McNiffe & Bridget Fitzpatrick; Altar Society – Carmel Gallagher.

4. **Eucharistic Adoration:** Cancelled for the Winter months and will resume in Spring 2019.

Community Notices:

1. **Bingo Every Monday 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. **Clothing collection facility in The Depot Gate.** Open all day, every day. New and used clean clothing, shoes (pairs, clean), handbags & leather belts, blankets, sheets & pillow cases, soft toys, teddys - no batteries. **No duvets, pillows or cushions.**
3. **Deadline for Notices for the Parish Bulletin:** 12.00noon on Thursdays. Email: drumahaire@kilmorediocese.ie
4. **Garda Community Information Centre;** opening in **The Depot every Monday from 2pm-4pm - except Bank Holidays.** General Garda Services and Information will be provided. This is a pilot scheme and its success depend on the support of the public. Please use the service when it's made available locally.
5. **Dromahair Library – Opening Hours:** Tues 12.30pm-6.00pm Fri 2.30pm – 8.00pm (Closed - mini break both days 4pm to 4.30pm).
6. **PREPARING FOR SUNDAYS** - Fr. Eamonn Bredin will lead a group discussion on the Mass readings for the following Sunday in the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cullies, Cavan, on Thursday evenings from 7:30p.m. to 9:30pm. All welcome. Cost: €5 per night.
7. **NW STOP (formerly STOP Suicide) provide FREE counselling:** Contact 086 777 2009 or 1850 211 877, if you or someone you know needs help.
10. **Breifne Historical Society - Bishop McKiernan Lecture:** Dr Bernadette Cunningham will deliver Bishop McKiernan Lecture ' Medieval Irish Pilgrims walking the Camino' on Tuesday 19th February at 7pm in Cavan Library. All welcome admission free.
11. **Day of Reflection on Caring for the Earth our Common Home:** A Day of Reflection on care for the earth and connecting spiritually with mother nature from a Christian perspective will be held in the **Pastoral Centre, Cavan, on Tuesday 5 March 2019 from 11am-4pm.**The day will be facilitated by Sr Nellie McLoughlin, a well-known speaker and author. Tea/coffee will be provided at 11am. Lunch 1-2.30 (bring a packed lunch or go into town) Voluntary donation collected on the day. To book a place phone the Pastoral Centre on 049-4375004 or email: pastoralcentre@kilmorediocese.ie. All welcome.
12. **Dromahair Development Association/Tidy Towns – AGM:** Will be held in 'The Depot' on Wednesday February 27th at 8.00pm. All welcome.
13. **Dromahair Active Age Group resumed after the Christmas break:** Please note change of day. The Group will now meet on Thursdays from February 21st. New members welcome. Contact Mary on 086 3408235.
14. **North Leitrim Macra Na Feirme Tractor Run:** Sunday 3rd of March. All proceeds going to the Paediatric Unit in Sligo General Hospital. Registration at 1pm, tractors leaving at 2pm. Departing from Drumkeeran Football Field.
15. **Can you make a Difference to North West Simon Community?** Calling all groups, offices, clubs or individual – would you like to host a Tea Day in aid of North West Simon Community on Thurs 21st Feb or anytime that suits. The VHI Women's Mini Marathon is on Sun 2nd June in Dublin, would you like to walk/run and raise money for NW Simon Community. If interested in either of the above, please contact Mary on 087 7708865 or email: mary@northwestsimon.ie.
16. **Towards Peace is a service offering spiritual support to those who have experienced abuse perpetrated by Church personnel, individually or institutionally:** The vision of Towards Peace is to provide a safe supportive space for people and their families, whose spiritual life has been damaged by abuse. It is also a response to the continually growing understanding of the spiritual impact of the trauma of abuse. Towards Peace provides spiritual support through one-to-one spiritual direction sessions, with a qualified spiritual companion. If you have been abused and would like a space to reflect on the impact of the trauma of abuse on your own relationship with God and spirituality, Towards Peace is here for you: www.towardspeace.ie; Tel: 01 505 3028; Mobile: 086 7710533. Up to twelve sessions are available and there is no fee.

Leckaun N.S. – Enrolment for September 2019: Enrolment for 2019/20 is open since Monday 4th February 2019. Application forms are available for collection from the school by calling 071 9164569 or by email: info@leckaunns.ie

Enrolment Packs for Drumlease N.S. for September 2019 are now available from the school: Please contact the school at 071 9164586 or just call to the school.
Open Evening for new enrollees and their parents on Wednesday 13th March from 2.30pm – 3.30pm in the school.

