

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 17th August 2014 ~ The 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

CHURCH NOTICES.

[A] Thanks to all who made the preparations for the Mass at the Holy Well, Killargue on Friday 15th August, Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

A special word of thanks to all who were present for the Mass and all who helped out with the Liturgy.

[B] The Annual Special Kilmore Diocesan Collection to support Christians in the Holy Land will be taken up after Communion in all 3 churches on the weekend of Saturday 30th & Sunday 31st August 2014.

Christians in the Holy Land need our support. They comprised 40% of the population of the Holy Land less than 50 years ago and now make up just about 1.4%.

The Christian population is vital in preserving the Heritage and Patrimony of the Holy Land and the Holy Places.

The continuing conflict has badly affected all local Christians who are ethnically Arab and so are treated as hostile.

The increasing influence of many aspects of militant Islam has also made life more difficult, as has the decline of tourism to places like Bethlehem because of the on-going conflict and the separation wall.

Your contribution will help in many important ways, including the upkeep of Churches and the Parish Centres in Nazareth, Bethlehem & Jerusalem, schools in Bethlehem and homes for the elderly in Nazareth.

[C] Church Gate Collections: All those taking up Approved Church Gate Collections are asked to do so only after Mass. This applies in all 3 church areas. It is a long standing rule and collectors are asked to respect it.

Mass goers are hit for every collection. They at least deserve a break on their way into church!

[D] Getting Married in 2015?

Accord Marriage Preparation Courses ~ held in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cavan ~ are on the following dates in 2015: 30th – 31st January; 27th – 28th February; 27th – 28th March; 24th – 25th April & 9th - 10th October.

Courses are held from 7.30pm - 10.00pm on Friday evenings and continue on Saturday from 10.00am – 5.00pm.

Contact **Anne or Gráinne** on **049 - 4375004** for information or for your Pre-Marriage Application Form.

E - Mail: cavanaccord@eircom.net

Information on other Accord Centres can be obtained from: www.accord.ie Central Office: 01 – 5053112.

[E] Knock Pilgrimage Season: Continues until 12th October. For details of ceremonies ring 094 - 9388100 or consult the Website: www.knock-shrine.ie E-mail: info@knock-shrine.ie You will also find the full programme in ***Glad Tidings***.

Sunday Masses at 8.00am; 9.00am; 10.30am; 12.00 noon; 3.00pm concelebrated Mass and 7.30pm.

[F] Lough Derg: One Day Retreats recommence on Sunday 17th August 2014.

Contact: 071 – 9861518. **E – Mail:** info@loughderg.org

[G] First Friday Visitation continues during the week. All concerned will be contacted first.

[H] We remember: **Lena McTiernan, Larkfield, whose funeral took place on Wednesday 13th August;**

Bridget Scott, Ardakup, Dromahair whose funeral took place on Friday 8th August & **Kevin Bradley**, Tubbercurry

[brother of **Detta Mc Niffe**, Killargue] whose funeral took place on Saturday 26th July 2014.

May they rest in peace!

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

1. Mass: Tuesday & Wednesday **9.30am**; Friday **8.00pm**; Saturday **11.15am** <<<**N.B.**; Sunday ~**11.15am**

2. Pray for: -

Tommy & Pauline Boles, Carrickanerro and **Paddy Boles**, Geevagh, Mass Sunday 17th August at 11.15am.

Francis X Kelly, Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Friday 22nd August at 8.00pm.

Tom Hamilton, Fawn, First Anniversary Mass Saturday 23rd August at **11.15am** <<<<<<**N.B.**

Jack McGee, Gortlowan, Crossboy, First Anniversary Mass Sunday 24th August at 11.15am.

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CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

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

2. Pray fo

Winnie McDermott, Moragh, Anniversary Mass Sunday 17th August at 10.00am.

Patsy Diamond, Comalaughta, Seventh Anniversary Mass Sunday 24th August at 10.00am.

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