

Dromahair – Killargue - Newtownmanor **Sunday 19th August 2018 – 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

World Meeting of Families – Important Information

A group booking for 52 people has now been made by the parish, for individuals who are interested in attending the Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park, on Sunday 26th August 2018. Anyone who wishes to attend the Papal Mass by means of the chartered bus, at a cost of €15 per person. Please contact Anne Dolan on Mob: 086-224-2828, as soon as possible.

Places are still available. First come, first served.

Please note that to facilitate priests & parishioners attending the various events during Pope Francis' visit to Ireland next weekend, 25th & 26th August 2018, Sunday Mass times in the parish have been changed, as follows: Vigil Mass on Saturday 25th August in Killargue at 8.00pm (as usual). Mass on Sunday 26th August in Dromahair at 11.15am (as usual). Mass in Newtownmanor at 7.00pm on Saturday evening, 25th August. No Mass in Newtownmanor on Sunday.

Church Notices:

[A] Altar Servers for Dromahair August 2018 – Group 3

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

[B] The Diocesan Launch of the World Meeting of Families will be held in St Ninnidh's Church Derrylin on Tuesday

21st August at 7.30pm: Everyone is welcome to attend and every parish in the diocese is asked to be represented. Every parish will be presented with a sapling tree to be planted in memory of the Pope's visit to Ireland. The ceremony will take the form of a beautiful Evening Prayer Service led by Bishop Leo with the ringing of church bells throughout the Diocese to welcome the Opening of the World Meeting of Families. This will be followed by refreshments afterwards in St. Ninnidh's School.

[C] The Annual Kilmore Diocesan Collection to support Christians in the Holy Land Will be taken up after Holy Communion in all three churches on the weekend of Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd September 2018:

The Christian population is vital in preserving the Heritage and Patrimony of the Holy Land and the Holy Places. 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. *Thanks for your continuing generosity.*

[D] Pilgrimage to Medjugorje - 13th September 2018: 7 nights Half Board in Pansion Darko (or similar). Group Leader

- **Ann Kelly, accompanied by Spiritual Director.** Cost: €729 per person, inclusive of Group Travel Insurance. Full religious programme included. Flights ex-Knock Airport including return airport transfers to Medjugorje. Joe Walsh Tours Medjugorje Representative - Philip Ryan. Contact Ann Kelly on 086 1505298 for information

[E] Catholic Grandparents Association Annual National Grandparents Pilgrimage September 9th 2018, Knock Shrine

2.30pm: Everyone welcome to honour & thank Grandparents alive & dead for all they have done for us down through the ages. Chief Celebrant Archbishop Jude Thaddeus Okolo, Apostolic Nuncio - Combined Choirs of Knock Parish - The Tuttle Family - Dana sings 'Our Lady of Knock'.

[F] Holy Land Pilgrimage from 8th October to 5th Nov - 8 nights. Contact Ann Kelly on 086 1505298 for details.

[G] Pray for:

Fr Ray Hannon, Finglas, Dublin, brother of Fr Donald Hannon C.C., Arva, whose funeral took place on Wednesday 8th August & **Una Jordan (nee McGovern)**, sister of **Pat McGovern**, Malahide & Abbeyville, Dromahair, who died this week in England.

May they Rest in Peace

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:**

Christina Haddow, Drumlease, Mass on Sunday 19th August at 11.15am.

Dr. Michael Carney, England & Dromahair, Mass on Monday 20th August at 9.30am.

Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Tuesday 21st August at 9.30am.

The People of the Parish, Mass Wednesday 22nd August at 9.30am.

Tommie & Pauline Boles & deceased of Boles family, Carrickanurroo, Anniv. Mass on Friday 24th August at 8.00pm.

Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Sunday 26th August at 11.15am

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3. **Liturgy for August:** Reader; **Michael Costello.** Collectors; **Padraig Watters & Frank McGowan.** Altar Society; **Helen McGoldrick.**

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR

1. **Mass:** Sunday at 10.00am (19th Aug), Saturday 25th August, **Mass at 7.00pm <<<<N.B Please note change at time.**
2. **Pray for:**
Bridget, Thomas, Tessie & Sr. Pio Healy, Mass on Sunday 19th August at 10.00am.
Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Saturday 25th August at 7.00pm.
May they Rest in Peace.
3. **Liturgy for August:** Reader; **Gabrielle Fowley**. Collectors: **Thomas Healy & Martin Dolan**. Altar Society; **Patricia Dolan & Angela Loughlin**.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE

1. **Mass:** Friday at 7.00pm; Saturday (Vigil Mass) at 8.00pm.
2. **Pray for:**
Vincent, Mary & Derek McKeon, Soxline, Anniv. Mass on Saturday 18th August at 8.00pm.
Bernadette & Patrick Hugh McMorrow, Lisgorman, Anniv. Mass on Friday 24th August at 7.00pm.
Larry & Eileen Walpole, Corrasra, Anniv. Mass on Saturday 25th August at 8.00pm.
May they Rest in Peace
3. **Liturgy for August:** Readers; **Monica Giblin & Volunteer**. Collectors: **Pat Kerins & Pat Flanagan**. Altar Society; **Kathleen Gallagher**.

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, ladies, gents and children's, shoes (pairs, clean), handbags & leather belts, blankets, bed sheets & pillow cases - clean, soft toys, teddys - no batteries. **No duvets, pillows or cushions.** Thank you for your support.
3. **Dromahair Library:** Open on Tuesdays from 12.30 pm – 6.00pm & Fridays 2.30pm – 8.00pm (Closed 4 – 4.30 pm).
4. **Dromahair Afterschool:** Dromahair Afterschool are now enrolling for September 2018. We provide afterschool services from 2p.m. – 6p.m daily for Junior Infants to sixth class. If you are interested, please call 087 1686591 for enrollment forms.
5. **DDA Tidy Towns:** Judging will take place mid - August. For more information contact The Depot Office on 071 9134986 or 085 8017943. **Regular Weekly Clean-up at 7.30pm on Tuesday evenings. Meet outside The Depot.**
6. **Retrouvaille: A Lifeline for Marriage.** Is your marriage stressed, unloving, cold? Feeling alone or distant from your spouse? Have you separated, but want to try again? The Retrouvaille programme can help you recover your marriage. Next programme commences: 5th – 7th October 2018. Following Programme commences 8th – 10th February 2019. www.retrouvaille.ie Contact: Tony & Anne (01) 4953536/ 086-4135440 completely confidential.
7. **EXCITING new VTOS courses starting in Drumshanbo in September 2018:** QQI/FETAC Level 5 & 6 - Tourism with Business, Retail Sales, Business & IT, Traditional Irish Music and Advanced Business & IT. For more information, eligibility criteria and application forms please go to www.vtosleirim.ie or call Seán Bailey on 086-0624200.

