

DROMAHAIR – KILLARGUE - NEWTOWNMANOR

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Sunday 20th March 2022 – The 3rd Sunday of Lent

Trócaire Boxes are available at the back of each church. Please take one home.

St. Patrick's Day Collection: Your contribution to the St. Patrick's Day Collection, which is still welcome and needed, will help (1) educate African priests, three of whom work in our diocese (2) support Irish Missionaries working in African countries (3) provide support to the Irish Emigrant Chaplaincy abroad. We would appeal for your continued generosity in this year's collection. For a breakdown of all parish contributions in the past two years and the way this money has been used, please see your Church Notice Board. Drumlease-Killargue Parish contributed €567.00 in 2020 and €869.00 in 2021.

The crisis in Ukraine is a devastating humanitarian disaster, which people in Ireland are responding to with deep compassion. The most effective way to provide support to the people of Ukraine is to donate money to humanitarian agencies that are working on the ground in Ukraine and Poland, like Trócaire.

Trócaire is working with Caritas Ukraine and Caritas Poland, who are supporting people both within Ukraine and people who have managed to cross the border. They are providing shelter and essential supplies, including food, blankets, and hygiene supplies.

Trócaire also supports millions of people in countries such as South Sudan, Somalia, and the Democratic Republic of Congo are displaced by conflict, and some are facing famine. **Trócaire's Lenten campaign supports** people living through these forgotten crises. Trócaire also has a separate and specific appeal for Ukraine.

Special Collection for Ukraine – Next Weekend: The Irish Bishops have asked for a **Special Collection to be taken up at all Masses next weekend - 26th & 27th March** to support humanitarian efforts in Ukraine and especially the families and children who have had to flee their homeland in advance of the Russian invasion. The proceeds of this Special Collection will be directed to Caritas Internationalis, which is the helping hand of the Church on the ground in the Ukraine and the surrounding region. **Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.**

A Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your spirit of comfort would draw near to them,

We pray for those with power over war and peace, for wisdom, discernment, and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. **Amen.**

Pastoral Council Meeting: A meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council will take place this Wednesday, 23rd March at 8pm in Fr Paul's House. All members please attend. Thank you.

Recently Deceased: Breege Coggins (nee McTernan), Drum Road, Rathcormac, Sligo, and formerly of Mullaghmore, Killargue, whose funeral took place in St. Colmcille's Church, Rathcormac on Saturday 19th March. **Sean McMorrow**, Keadue, Boyle, (brother of Frank McMorrow, Cornamorriff, Killargue), whose funeral took place in Keadue on Tuesday 15th March. **Maggie McSharry (nee Brennan)**, McDermott Tce., Manorhamilton (sister of Seanie Brennan, Aughameelta), whose funeral took place in Manorhamilton on Tuesday 15th March.

May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR:

1. **Mass: No Mass on Monday's;** Wednesday at **9.30am**; Friday at **8.00pm**; Sunday at **11.15am**.
2. **Pray for:**
Philomena Clancy, Ardakip. Anniv. Mass on Sunday 20th March at **11.15am**.
Mary O'Rourke, Carrickmacross. Who is sick at moment Mass on Wed 23rd Mar at **9.30am**.
Available for Intention. Mass on Friday 25th March at **8.00pm**.
Special Intention, & Dermot Beattie, Scotshouse. Memorial Mass on Sun 27th Mar at **11.15am**.
May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.
3. **Liturgy for March:** Readers – Sadie & Maria Foley; Collectors - Michael McGoldrick, Frank McGowan & Bernadette Conlon; Altar Society – Pauline Egan & Susan Kivlehan.

CHURCH OF MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR:

1. **Mass:** Thursday at **8.00pm**; Sunday at **10.00am**.
2. **Pray for:**
Eddie & Clara Boylan. Cornalaughta. Mass on Sunday 20th March at **10.00am**.
Winifred Sweeney & her daughter Betty, Son Bartley, & Grandchildren Sarah & Philip. Mass on Thursday 24th March at **8.00pm**.
James Fowley, Corraghaun. Anniversary Mass on Sunday 27th March at **10.00am**.
May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.
3. **Liturgy for March:** Readers – Eileen & Patricia Cunningham; Collectors - Seamus Fowley & Cathal O'Conallain; Altar Society – Maggie McLoughlin & Deidre/Lisa McGourty.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE:

1. **Mass:** Tuesday at **7.00pm** (followed for Rosary); Saturday (Vigil Mass) at **8.00pm**.
2. **Pray for:**
Thomas & Tommie Gallagher, Cornamorriff and **Bernard & Bridget Dolan**, Corrasra. (Vigil) Mass on Saturday 19th March at **8.00pm**.
Jack, Annie & John Walpole. Mass on Tuesday 22nd March at **7.00pm**.
James & Josie Feeney, their son Hubert & granddaughter Deirdre. John & Winnie McNulty. Katie Feeney & Deceased Family Members of all the aforementioned. Mass on Saturday 26th March at **8.00pm**.
May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.
3. **Liturgy for March:** Readers – Pauric Cullen & Carmel Loughlin; Collectors - Dessie Hannon, Vincent Feeney & Hughie Harte; Altar Society - Josie Feeney.

Drumlease N.S. Enrolment September 2022: Enrolment Packs for September 2022 are now available from the school office. Please call in-person or phone the school on 071-9164586. You may also email your request for packs on drumleasens.ias@gmail.com. An Induction Day will take place in June - date to be confirmed later. **Closing date for return of applications 31st Mar 2022.**

Dromahair Clothes Container is open daily beside the Depot for depositing your old clean clothes, shoes or handbags. You are asked to abide by the guidelines. **NO duvets, pillows or other household items.** This is totally for recycling clothes.

Forgive us for war, O Lord.

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on us sinners!

Lord Jesus, born in the shadows of bombs falling on Kyiv, have mercy on us!

Lord Jesus, who died in a mother's arms in a bunker in Kharkiv, have mercy on us!

Lord Jesus, a 20-year-old sent to the frontlines, have mercy on us!

Lord Jesus, who still behold armed hands in the shadow of your Cross, have mercy on us! Forgive us, O Lord. (Pope Francis)

