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Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 21st February 2016~ The Second Sunday in Lent.

We have already started our Lenten Journey.

On this Second

Sunday in Lent, we continue our Pilgrimage in Faith ~ a journey which leads us to the Celebration of the Death & Resurrection of Jesus at Easter ~ our promise of eternal fulfillment.

For all of us, may Lent be a time to pray again as a family, a time to re-assess our own lives, to care for body and soul, a time to reach out to people in need too.

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

This Wednesday 24th February, there will be an early morning Mass in Dromahair Church at 7.00am.

During Lent, a volunteer from the congregation might lead the Rosary before Saturday Evening & Sunday Morning Masses in all three churches. Those leading the Rosary are asked to begin a full 20 minutes before Mass.

CHURCH NOTICES.

[A] Altar Servers for Dromahair

Sunday 21st February ~ Group 3: Melissa Rooney, Anna Quinn, Shane Conlon & Alan Kavanagh.

Sunday 28th February ~ Group 4: Niall Sweeney, Meabh Sweeney, Kelly Gallagher & Helen Sweeney.

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

[B] This coming Friday evening, there will be **Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Dromahair Church at 7.15pm followed by **Mass at 8.00pm.****

And this coming Thursday evening in **Newtownmanor Church** there will be **Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 7.15pm** followed by **Mass at 8.00pm.**

[C] First Confession: Congratulations to the children of Drumlease N.S. who celebrated the Sacrament of First Penance on Wednesday 17th February. Sincere thanks to their parents and teacher Mr. Taaffe and all the school staff for all their hard work in preparing the children for this Sacrament.

First Confession for the children of Leckaun N.S. will take place in St Mary's NS Leckaun on Friday 11th March at 11.30am

[D] Make your Lenten Pledge by visiting www.pioneerassociation.ie and join on line for the time of Lent

[E] Enrolment for courses in St Michael's Family Life Centre, Church Hill, Sligo is now on going and will continue while places are available. Check website www.stmichaelsfamilylife.com for full details of all courses and services.

Brochures now available and can be e mailed at stmichaelsfamilylife@eircom.net.

Contact 071 9170329 for further details of counseling services and support groups.

[F] Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cullies, Cavan

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Assisi and rome ~ limited number of places available on this Pilgrimage. Fare: €799 per person sharing. If interested, contact the Diocesan Pastoral centre on 049 4375004 as soon as possible.

World Youth Day 2016 ~ limited number of places available for those aged 18 – 35 on this Diocesan Pilgrimage to World Youth Day in Poland next July. Fare €800. If interested contact the Diocesan Pastoral Centre on 149 4375004 as soon as possible.

[G] We remember:

Edmond Hamilton, Corrasra, Killargue (brother of Tess Walpole, Corrasra). Removal to St. Brigid's Church, Killargue

on

Saturday 20th February at 8.00pm. Funeral Mass on Sunday at 11.00am with burial to Drumkeeran Cemetery afterwards.

John Sheridan, Cornamorriff, Killargue whose funeral took place on Monday 15th February.

May they rest in peace.

Dues Envelopes are being distributed at present. Please check in your church for your box of envelopes. If you have not received your box, please contact Fr. Anthony Fagan.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

1. Mass: Monday 9.30am, Tuesday 8.00pm <<<N.B., Wednesday 7.00am N.B.: Friday 8.00pm ~ preceded by Adoration at 7.15pm; Sunday Mass at 11.15am.

2. Pray for

Joseph, John, Brigid & Margaret Burke, Mayo, Mass Sunday 21st Feb at 11.15am.

The people of the parish, Mon 22nd at 9.30 p.m.

The intentions of the donor, Tues 23rd at 8 p.m.

The intentions of the donor, Wed 24th at 9.30 a.m.

Nan O Rourke, Market Street Dromahair, Friday 26th at 8 p.m.

Charlie and Maggie Mc Ternan, Drumlease; and Cathal and Kevin Mc Ternan, Sun 28th at 11.15 a.m. *May they rest in peace.*

3. Liturgy for February: Readers: Sinead Torsney McGoldrick & Michael Costello. Collectors Padraig Watters.

Altar Society: **Rosemary Bartlett.**

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. Mass: Thursday 8.00pm ~ preceded by Adoration at 7.15pm; Sunday Mass ~10.00am.

2. Pray for:

Francie & Cissy (Kate Anne) Dolan, Doonkelly, Mass Sun 21st Feb at 10.00am.

The intentions of the donor, thurs 25th at 8 p.m.

Grainne Kelly, Fivemilebourne, Sun 28th at 10 a.m.

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: Sunday ~ Funeral Mass 11.00am; Monday 7.00pm; Tuesday 7.00pm; Friday 7.00pm

Saturday ~ Vigil Mass at 7.00pm.

2. Pray for

Margaret and William Harkin, Townahoosey, Sat 20th at 7 p.m.

Funeral Mass Sunday 21st February at 11.00am.

Jim McGorin, Larkfield and deceased of McGorin family, Mass Friday 26th February at 7.00pm.

Andrew & Catherine Feeny, Lisgorman, Mass Saturday 27th February at 7.00pm.

May they rest in peace

3. Eucharistic Adoration: Continues in **Killargue Church** every Tuesday evening from 7.00pm and there will be mass this Tuesday followed by adoration until 8 p.m.

4. Liturgy for February: Readers: Monica McNulty & John McMorrow. Collectors: Joe McGowan, Margaret Sheridan, John Joe McNiffe & Bridget Fitzpatrick. Altar Society: Carmel Gallagher.

5. Collection on Saturday for Irish Pilgrimage Trust Fund to send Special Needs Children to Lourdes. Please support.

Community Notices.

1. Bingo: Every 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 much appreciated.**

2. Are you supporting someone close through a difficult time? Free listening support for carers, Relatives or Friends who support people going through mental health issues. Carers Liaison and Support Service (CLASS) provides free support through a team of trained volunteers who may have been through similar experience. This support is provided on a one to one basis in a safe, neutral and confidential environment. Areas covered are Sligo, Leitrim & South Donegal. Please contact Family Carers Ireland at 01 9143123 or 087 8188716 for more information.

3 Drumlease N.S. Enrolment September 2016: Enrolment Packs are now available from the school. Please call to the school or contact us on 071 9164586 or www.drumleasens.scoilnet.ie

4. Padre Pio Novena on Tuesdays in Killargue Church from 7 – 8 p.m. Everyone welcome to come along and join in the prayers

5 Gaelscoil Cluainin ~ Enrolment for the school year 2016/2017 is currently underway. Contact Máirín at the school office or 071 9856846 or at gaelscoilcluainin@eircom.net to receive an enrolment form which should be returned by February 22nd.

6. Clothing Collection Facility: There is a Clothing Collection Facility/Container inside the Depot Gate. If you have any old clothes for disposal, why not bring them there. Your contribution will go towards much needed funds for **Drumlease N.S.** Your support in filling this container is much appreciated.

7. Lough Gill Players presents the comedy *Wake in the West* by M.J. Ginnelly in Ballinagar Hall on Saturday 27th & Sunday 28th February at 8.30pm sharp; *The Glens Centre, Manorhamilton* on Thursday 3rd & Friday 4th March at 8.30pm sharp; *The Hawkswell Theatre, Sligo* on Sunday 6th March at 8.00pm sharp & on Thursday 10th & Friday 11th March ~ **The Blue Devon, Dromahair at 8.30pm sharp. This presentation will be in aid of North West Hospice and SHOUT. Please support this worthy cause.**

Sincere thanks to all who contributed to the Sunday Offertory Collections and the Dues during 2015.

Offertory Collection ~ day-to-day upkeep of each church, repair & refurbishment of parish buildings, churches and the running expenses of the relevant parish area during the year.

The Offertory Collection also makes a major contribution in topping up the shortfall in the Diocesan Services Collection from the parish.

Dues ~ support and upkeep of priests in parish and Diocese.