

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 26th April 2009 ~ The 3rd Sunday of Easter.

The Saturday Evening Vigil Mass in Killargue will be celebrated at 8.00pm until the Autumn.

GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

[A] Trocaire: Have you helped out yet?

Any remaining **Trocaire Contributions** would be gratefully appreciated. The poorer people of the world need your help even more this year! Please put your contribution in the special **Trocaire Offertory Envelope** dated the 9th April, **Holy Thursday**, or if you don't have one you will find **Special Trocaire Envelopes** at the back of your church. **Or just use a plain envelope!**
Thanks to all who brought back their **Trócaire Box / Envelope** already.

[B] Kilmore Pilgrimage to Lourdes ~ 27th May – 1st June 2009. Hotel Pilgrims should contact Mc Ginnity Travel 049 – 4331811. Assisted Pilgrims contact Fr. Colm Hurley 049 – 4334155

[C] Friday next is the First Friday. Visitation will not start until Monday 4th May. All those concerned will be contacted by phone to arrange a suitable time.

Next Sunday, 3rd May is Vocation Sunday.

We pray that we may all live out our vocation to the full in family and community.
We pray too for vocations to the priesthood and religious life so that all may be nourished with God's Word.

This is also the Sunday when the **Annual Collection for Diocesan Services** is due.

You will find the red Diocesan Services Collection Envelope between your April & May Dues Envelope ~ but please note it has been incorrectly dated for the 26th April.

You will also find a letter from Bishop Leo explaining the need for this collection and the uses to which it is put in the Diocese, within Ireland and internationally.

Each parish is levied by **Kilmore Diocese** in accordance with its population ~ a contribution of €4 per head this year for every man, woman and child in the 3 parish areas ~ a total of €12 for a household of three.

Do your best to make your family contribution in accordance with these guidelines.

Thanks for your continuing generosity!

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

- 1. Mass: Friday 8.00pm; Saturday ~ Wedding Mass 1.30pm; Sunday 11.15am. Also see ~ Killargue.**
- 2. Pray for:-**
P. (Patrick) Ward, Drumlease & deceased family members, Anniversary Mass Sunday 26th April 11.15am.
Justin Stanford, Artane & Dromahair, Month's Memory Mass Sunday 3rd May at 11.15am.
May they rest in peace
- 3. Liturgy for May: Readers: Sarah Haddow & Martin Dolan. Collectors: John Mc Morrow, Kevin McGoldrick & Tommy Sweeney. Altar Society: Chris McGoldrick**

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

- 1. Mass: Sunday 10.00am. Also see ~ Killargue.**
- 2. Pray for:-**
John P. (Sonny) Reynolds & deceased family members, Anniversary Mass Sunday 26th April at 10.00am.
Deceased members of St. Felim's Sick & Infirm Priests' Society, Mass Sunday 3rd May at 10.00am.
May they rest in peace
- 3. Liturgy for May: Reader: Leckaun National School. Collectors: Hubert Loughlin & Paul McDermott. Altar Society: Bernadette Banks & Mai Devaney.**

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. **Mass: Tuesday 7.00pm; Friday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 8.00pm.**
2. **Pray for:-**
Mae Slevin, Lemascally, Month's Memory, Mass Saturday 25th April at 8.00pm.
Dora & John Cloherty, Drumany & Tommy Dolan, Tullinwillin, Mass Tuesday 28th April at 7.00pm.
Francis & Margaret Mc Morrow, Mullaghmore, Anniversary Mass Friday 1st May at 7.00pm.
Annie Teresa Harkin, Drumkeel, Anniversary Mass Saturday 2nd May at 8.00pm.
May they rest in peace.
3. **Liturgy for May: Readers: Mary McTiernan & Ed & Janice Conick; Collectors: John McMorrow, Mai Gallagher, Seamus Reynolds & Paddy Fahy.**
Altar Society: Patsy Mc Goey & Bernadette Feeney.

Community Notices.

1. **Support your Local Bingo every Monday night in the Abbey Manor Hotel at 9.00pm sharp.**
2. **Drumlease N.S. ~ Enrolment for September 2009:**
Parents wishing to enroll their child in Drumlease N.S. for September 2009 can pick up an enrolment pack by calling to the school from Wednesday 22nd April 2009. **All completed enrolment forms must be returned by Friday 1st May 2009.** The school can be contacted at 071 - 9164586.
3. **Congratulations to St. Patrick's GAA Club, Dromahair on achieving an excellent win over Rockwell Rovers in the Celebrity Bainisteoir Competition.**
Good luck in the All Ireland Final on Friday 8th May in Parnell Park, Dublin at 7.00pm.

The following are the names & phone numbers of local priests. Please keep them in case of emergency.

Rev Gerry Alwill, Drumkeeran, 071- 96 48025; Rev. Patrick Sullivan, Glencar, 071- 98 55433

Rev. Oliver Kelly, Manorhamilton, 071- 98 55042,

Rev. Rev. John Mc Mahon, Manorhamilton, 071- 98 56987; Rev Fr. John Sexton, Killargue 071 – 91 64131

Fr. Vincent Connaughton, Killenummery, 071- 91 64125 & Rev. Sean Burke, Ballintogher, 071- 91 64154.

Sincere thanks to all parents who encourage & have encouraged their children to serve at Mass.

However, to ensure best practice, it would be appreciated if parents could arrange among themselves that one of their number could be present in the sacristy before and after Mass

Having Marriage or family problems? Accord may be able to help.

For counselling appointments phone **Accord**, Sligo 071 – 9145641 & **Accord West** 1850 201 878.

Clothing Collection Facility

A **Container** has been placed in the grounds of **The Depot, Dromahair** for the collection of unwanted clothing ~ ladies', gents' and children's ~ shoes in pairs, leather goods, sheets, blankets & curtains.

Please put the above items in plastic bags.

Access to the facility is from the **Backline** and through the **steel door** leading into the **Depot** grounds. Only the right – hand door of the container opens. Turn the lever fully to the left before pulling the door open ~ and you'll need to use a little strength!

Proceeds from these collections will aid parish funds

Our Lord has written the Promise of the Resurrection in every leaf in springtime.

Martin Luther

If you have a drink problem, help is available.

Contact: Alcoholics Anonymous General Service Office at 01 – 842 0700.

E-mail: gso@alcoholicsanonymous or Connaught Telephone Service: 091 – 767777.

Never doubt in the dark what God told you in the light. V. Raymond Edman.