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# Sunday 25th September 2022 – The 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Day for Life 2022 – Caring for the Older Person**

*Day for Life* is celebrated annually by the Catholic Church in Ireland, Scotland, England and Wales. It is a day dedicated to raising awareness of the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. *This year’s Day for Life will be celebrated in Ireland on Sunday 2 October on the theme ‘Caring for the Older Person’.*  We invite people to think again about the value and worth of older persons in families and in society, and to make practical choices to build bridges between the generations. We call for people and parishes to devote quality time, energy and creativity in caring for the older persons in our communities. We invite engagement in political debate on providing adequately resourced care of older persons so that no-one feels like a burden in our society. Saint Joachim and Saint Anne – Pray for us!  To read the pastoral message for Day for Life in full, visit [www.councilforlife.ie](http://www.councilforlife.ie/)

**During the month of October, a volunteer from the congregation will lead the Rosary before Saturday evening & Sunday morning Masses in all three churches:** Those leading the Rosary are asked to begin twenty minutes before Mass. It would be nice if you could take a little time each day to recite the Rosary in honour of Our Blessed Virgin Mary.

**Safeguarding Sunday 25th Sept 2022**

This weekend is the 6th Safeguarding Sunday in our Diocese. Safeguarding is all about ensuring that children and vulnerable adults are safe and secure from harm while taking part in Church activities. The work of Safeguarding in the Church is never finished. It is constantly being reviewed to take account of new developments in society and in legislation. All updated policies and procedures are available to download from [www.kilmorediocese.ie](file:///C:\Users\jmcmo\Dropbox\Bulletins%202022\www.kilmorediocese.ie). It is very important that young people be involved in liturgies and in the life of the Church. Bishop Martin would like to thank all Safeguarding Personnel and all Church volunteers for your commitment and hard work during the year. There is a copy of the safeguarding Newsletter at the back of each Church and is also available to download from [www.kilmorediocese.ie](file:///C:\Users\jmcmo\Dropbox\Bulletins%202022\www.kilmorediocese.ie).

**Novena to Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary**

*(Church of Mary, Mother of God, Newtownmanor)*

Novena will be recited daily, commencing on **Saturday, 1st October at 8.00pm and continues on Sunday 2nd October at 9.30am (before Mass), Monday 3rd October, Tuesday 4th October, Wednesday 5th October at 8.00pm, Thursday, 6th October. at 7.30pm (before Mass), Friday, 7th October (Feast of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary), Saturday, 8th October at 8.00pm and concludes on Sunday 9th October at 9.30am (before Mass).** A special intention will be offered each day.

*Please join us as we turn to Our Heavenly Mother to ask her to intercede for us. We honour Our Lady particularly for the month of October which is dedicated to the Holy Rosary.*

**Recently Deceased: Collette Cummins**, Drumcliffe, Co. Sligo (mother of Gail McPartlin, Killargue), whose funeral took place on Monday last – 19th September, in St. Colmcille’s Church, Rathcormac.

***May she 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:**

**Sean McGowan,** Sligo.Mass on Sunday 25th September at 11.15am.

**Available for Intention.** Mass on Wednesday 28th September at 9.30am.

**Barney Kelly.** Spears Green. **Michael & Ellen Watters** & their son **Gerard.** Mass on Friday 30th September at 8.00pm.

**Patrick & Bridget McGowan & their daughters, Sheila & Mary.** Main Street. Mass on Sunday 2nd October at 11.15am.

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

1. **Liturgy for October:** Reader; Susan Kivlehan. Collectors; Michéal McGoldrick & Seán McGoldrick. Altar Society; Kathleen Watters & Christina Loughlin.

**CHURCH OF MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR:**

1. **Mass:** Thursday at 8.00pm; Sunday at 10.00am.
2. **Pray for:**

**John McDonald,** Drumlease, & **Deceased Family Members**. Mass on Sunday 25th September at 10.00am.

**Bridie McTiernan,** England, & **her daughter Mary.** Mass on Thursday 29th September at 8.00pm.

**Thomas & Elizabeth Rooney,** Banagher. **Grandson, Thomas & dec family members.** Mass on Sunday 2nd October at 10.00am.

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

1. **Liturgy for October**: Readers; Anne & John Longworth. Collectors; Tommy McGourty & Kevin Comiskey. Altar Society; Philomena Dolan & Margaret Banks.

**ST. BRIGID’S CHURCH, KILLARGUE:**

1. **Mass**: Tuesday at 8.00pm (followed by Rosary); (Vigil) Mass on Saturday at 8.00pm.
2. **Pray for:**

**Maureen Harkin,** Annagh. First Anniversary Mass on Saturday 24th September at 8.00pm.

**Available for Intention**. Mass on Tuesday 27th September at 8.00pm.

**Francis & Bridget McTernan,** Mullaghmore, and their daughters **Alice Brennan & Breege Coggins.**

**Patrick & Alice Fitzpatrick,** Boggaun. **Owen & Katie McBarron,** Kinawley, and their deceased children - **Sean, Sr. Kate, Josephine & Philomena.** Mass on Saturday 1st October at 8.00pm.

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

1. **Liturgy for October:** Readers; Pauric Fitzpatrick & Bernadette Feeney. Collector; Pauric Cullen. Altar Society: Bridget Fitzpatrick & Mary Cullen.

**Rosary Sunday in Knock:** Next Sunday October 2nd, 2022, is Rosary Sunday. A bus to Knock will be arranged, subject to numbers wishing to participate. A minimum of at least 20 individuals will be required to make the trip possible; potential cost would be at least 20 euros per person. The bus would travel from Newtownmanor to Knock, via Manorhamilton (leaving at 10-00am). If you would like to avail of this transport please contact Anne Dolan, as soon as possible, on Mob: 086-2242828.

**New Pastoral Council:** **Date for your Diary-**Training of Pastoral Councils from the three parishes of Drumlease-Killargue, Ballinaglera and Inishmagrath (Drumkeeran) **will take place on Wednesday 5th Oct at 8:00pm in Ballinaglera Hall.** Parishes in groups of three are being trained throughout the Diocese this Autumn.

**Kilmore Youth Ministry Youth Day** - will take place from **3.00-6.00pm on Saturday October 1st**.

Everyone is welcome. We have guest speakers, workshops, Mass and a group meal. For more information call 049-4375004.