

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 26th May 2013 ~ Feast of the Most Holy Trinity.

Family & Youth Mass in Dromahair

Next **Sunday 2nd June 2013** at **11.15am** we celebrate a **Family & Youth Mass** in **Dromahair Church.**

It will also be a **Special Mass** for all those sitting **Examinations** and their families.

We hope to have many young people taking part.

Please put this date in your diary and try and make it a special family event. See you all there hopefully!

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And there is also a **Special Mass in Killargue Church** at **8.00pm** the previous evening  
**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> May** for all **Examination Students.**

### **GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.**

[A] A Meeting of the Incoming and Outgoing Parish Child Protection Representatives will take place in the Depot on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 8.30pm

[B] A Meeting for the parents of all new and current Mass servers ~ *from all parish areas* ~ will take place in the Depot on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 8.30pm. It is important that parents are present on the night so that they may be acquainted or re – acquainted with **Child Protection Policies** and all that is required of the young people and the parents who have volunteered to help out.

[C] **ACCORD ~ Cavan:** Getting married in 2013 or 2014? Contact **ACCORD** for your Pre-Marriage Application Form. Courses should be undertaken at least 6 months or preferably one year before your marriage. **ACCORD** also offers **Marriage & Relationship Counselling** in strict confidence. To book your Pre-Marriage Course or speak with a Counsellor, please contact Anne or Gráinne on 049 - 4375004. E-mail: [cavanaccord@eircom.net](mailto:cavanaccord@eircom.net)

[D] **Knock Pilgrimage Season:** April 28<sup>th</sup> – October 13<sup>th</sup> 2013. See your church notice - board for details.

[E] **Year of Faith ~ Lough Derg ~ Pilgrimages & Retreats:**

Why not take part in a **1,000 year old tradition** celebrating your Faith with people from every parish in Ireland? Contact your Diocesan representative, Fr. Michael Router, 049 - 4375004 or Email: [pastoralcentre@kilmorediocese.ie](mailto:pastoralcentre@kilmorediocese.ie)  
You can also contact Maureen in the **Lough Derg Office** at 071- 9861518 or **E – mail:** [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

[F] **Vigil for Life ~ Merrion Square, Dublin on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June from 3.00pm – 4.00pm.** The organizers hope you can give your support to the Pro – Life Campaign message about safeguarding the lives of mothers and babies in pregnancy. Posters will be provided on the day. **To organize a bus** or to get bus details, telephone **087 – 266 8702.**

[G] **We remember: Tony Mullen,** Drumlease, who died on Thursday. Funeral Mass in Collooney, Monday at 11.00am.

### **ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.**

1. **Mass:** Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9.30am; Friday 8.00pm; Sunday ~ 11.15am;  
Next Sunday 11.15am ~ **Family & Youth / Examination Mass.**

2. **Pray for: -**

**Pakie McKenna,** Carrickacroghery, Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 11.15am.

**Martin Sweeney,** Caddagh, Mass Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 9.30am.

**Eugene Kelly,** Aughameelta & Dungarvan, Aniv Mass Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May at 9.30am.

**Patrick Whyms,** Mass Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May at 9.30am.

**Frank & Mary Creed,** Mass Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May at 8.00pm.

***May they rest in peace!***

3. **Liturgy for June:** **Readers:** **Caroline McHugh.** **Collectors:** **Joseph McGoldrick.** **Altar Society:** **Josephine & Orla Harvey.**

### **CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.**

1. **Mass:** Sunday ~ 10.00am.

2. **Pray for:-**

**Tom & Elizabeth Rooney,** Friarstown & deceased family members, Mass Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00am.

**Michael Cunningham,** Fawnlion, Fivemileboure, son **Michael & Molly Cunningham,** Mass Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June at 10.00am.

***May they rest in peace!***

3. **Liturgy for June:** **Reader:** **Sarah Comiskey & Gary Comiskey.** **Collectors:** **Michael comiskey & Liam Martin.**  
**Altar Society:** **Hilary McDermott.**

## **ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.**

1. **Mass:** *Tuesday & Wednesday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ Special Mass for Examination Students ~ 8.00pm.*
2. **Pray for:-**  
**Sonny & Mary Feeney,** Curry, Mass Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00pm.  
**Seamus Harkin,** Annagh, Anniversary Mass Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May at 7.00pm.  
*May they rest in peace!*
3. **Eucharistic Adoration:** Killargue Church on Tuesday evenings from **7.00pm – 8.00pm.**  
**Padre Pio Novena ~ First Tuesday** of every month.
4. **Killargue Apostolic Society:** Cake Sale after 8.00pm Mass on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May in the Killargue Church grounds.  
The Annual Raffle will take place in the Community Centre directly after the Cake Sale for a Crochet Bedspread, Patchwork cot quilt, fruit hamper and box of chocolates. Lines for the Raffle will be on sale from any of the Apostolic members.  
**All proceeds go to the Missions. Your support is greatly appreciated.**
5. **Liturgy for June:** Readers: **Bridget Fitzpatrick.** Collectors: **Michéal Donaghue & Joseph Giblin.** Altar Society: **Bridie Boles.**

## **~~~~~ 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. **Newtownmanor Hall ~ Progressive 25 Card Game every Friday night at 9.00pm.** All welcome.
3. **The Depot, Dromahair:** Office open every morning ~ except Thursday ~ for typing, photocopying, faxing and internet access.  
There are also **On - Going Classes in The Depot:** Karate on Monday & Friday; Boxercise & Aerobics on Monday & Thursday; Parent & Toddler Group on Tuesday & The Wednesday Club ~ Active Age on Wednesday morning.  
See **notice-board** outside Depot or call 071 - 9134986. E-mail: [dda.tidytowns@gmail.com](mailto:dda.tidytowns@gmail.com)
4. **Lough Allen College, Drumkeeran ~ PLC Centre:** Office Administration & Business PLC Course with a wide range of choices including ECDL ~ FETAC Level 5 & 6. Funding available includes **Back to Education Allowance & PLC Maintenance Grant.**  
**Details/ Applications: 071 – 9648017 / 9648163. Web: [www.loughallencollege.ie](http://www.loughallencollege.ie) E - mail: [principal@loughallencollege.ie](mailto:principal@loughallencollege.ie)**
5. **Local Garda Services:** Members of An Garda Síochána will be in attendance in the Depot, Dromahair on Monday evenings ~ maybe with the occasional exception ~ from 4.00pm to 5.00pm.  
Normal business ~ such as form filling & passport applications ~ will be transacted. Contact Sgt. Robert Conroy at 071 - 98 55041.
6. **Irish Cancer Society ~ Church Gate Collection 12<sup>th</sup> May:** Dromahair raised **€138.12** & Newtownmanor **€130.16.** Thanks!
7. **The Leitrim Observer** has been covering news & events, both national and local, for over **100years.**  
Micro film copies of editions between 1904 and 2007 are available to researchers at the **Local Studies Collection of Leitrim County Library.** Another option is to call into your **Local Library in Dromahair** for information and log onto [www.irishnewsarchive.com](http://www.irishnewsarchive.com) where you can search and browse the digital archive.  
**Dromahair Library Opening Hours:** Tuesday 12.30pm – 6.00pm & Friday 2.30pm – 8.00pm. **Closed:** 4.00pm - 4.30pm each day.
8. **Epilepsy Ireland ~ North West:** Sinead Murphy, Community Epilepsy Specialist Nurse will give a presentation on Epilepsy in the Clarion Hotel, Sligo at 7.30pm on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May. Sinead will talk about living well with epilepsy and covers such topics as women and epilepsy and medication. There will be time for questions. The event is free of charge. Refreshments served. All welcome. You can get further details from Agnes Mooney at 071 9141858.
9. **Tidy Towns ~ Appeal for Plants & Flowers:** It is coming up to Tidy Towns time of the year again.  
**Dromahair Development Association / Tidy Towns** urgently need and would greatly appreciate any donation of growing flowers or shrubs. This will help to keep Dromahair looking well for both visitors and residents.  
Please bring your donations to the Depot or telephone 071 – 9134986 for help or further information.

### **Blessing and Visitation of Graves 2013.**

**Killargue & Cloonlougher:** Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2013; **Newtownmanor:** Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August 2013.  
Fuller details will be given in Mid - June.

There was a meeting of the Board of Directors going on in Hell. Satan was concerned over the fact that business was not increasing. He wanted to reach as many people as possible and draw them into Hell.

One demon jumped up and said: ***I'll go back to earth and tell the people there is no Heaven***

***That won't do,*** said Satan. ***We've tried it before and it doesn't work.***

***I'll convince them there is no Hell,*** offered a second demon.

***No! That doesn't work either,*** said Satan.

A wise old veteran at the back of the room stood up and said:

***If you let me go back to earth, I can fill this place! I'll just convince them there is no hurry. There's lots of time.***

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Nothing is politically right which is morally wrong. **Daniel O' Connell.**

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Those who live in the Lord never see each other for the last time. **German Proverb.**