

# DROMAHAIR – KILLARGUE- NEWTOWNMANOR

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**Sunday 26th December 2021 – Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph**

## **CHRISTMAS GREETINGS FROM FR PAUL**

Thank you for your prayers, patience, perseverance, and generosity to me and to the parish during the year. May the gentle God of Christmas *fill your heart and you home* with the **gifts of peace, love and hope** this Christmas and during the New Year.

**HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO YOU ALL.**

## **Arrangements for Christmas**

Christmas Eve Masses; - **Killargue at 6.00pm; Dromahair at 7.30pm; Newtownmanor at 9.00pm.**

Christmas Morning Masses: **Killargue 8.30am. Newtownmanor at 10.00am; Dromahair at 11.15am.**

While Covid-19 still remains a threat, we all need to continue to be respectful and protective of the well-being of others, taking sensible precautions, wearing face-coverings, sanitizing and allowing space to those around us. Holy Communion will continue to be received on the hand only.

*The list of Masses for Christmas is dependent on current regulations being unchanged.*

**As always, we depend on a high degree of personal responsibility and care.**

- **Important to keep in mind**, that all Christmas Masses will be streamed live from the webcam in Dromahair, as follows: <https://churchtv.ie/dromahair.html>

**Please note: Additional Stewards & Eucharistic Ministers required for all Christmas Eve & Christmas Day Masses. Thank You.**

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December (St. Stephen's Day) is also the Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph.** Mass times are as follows: Newtownmanor at 10.00am; Dromahair at 11.15am.

**Please note there will be no Vigil Mass in Killargue on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Day) at 8.00pm.**

## **The Irish Catholic**

**Copies of The Irish Catholic are available at the back of each church – Price €2.50.** The Irish Catholic is Ireland's biggest and best-selling religious newspaper. The newspaper, published weekly, provides a lively mix of news, analysis and informed commentary about the Church and social issues as they affect Ireland and the wider world.

**Recently Deceased:** Kathleen McGoldrick, Ballintogher. Funeral took place on Thursday last 23<sup>rd</sup> December. **Tom Conlon**, Aughameelta, whose funeral will take place in St. Patrick's Church on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December at 2.00pm.

**May they rest in the peace and love of God.**

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

1. Friday (Christmas Eve) at **7.30pm**; Saturday (Christmas Day) at **11.15am**; Sunday at **11.15am**: Wednesday – **No Mass**; Thursday at **6.00pm**; Friday – **No Mass**; Saturday (New Years Day) at **12.00 noon**; Sunday at **11.15am**.
2. **Pray for:**  
**Padraig O'Rourke**. Kilcoosey. **Special Intention**. Mass on Fri 24<sup>th</sup> Dec (Christmas Eve) **7.30pm**. **Special Intention & The People of the Parish**. Mass on Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Dec (Christmas Day) **11.15am**. **Available for Intention**. Mass on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December at 11.15am.  
**Tom Conlon**, Aughameelta. Funeral Mass on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December at **2.00pm**.  
**No Mass** on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30am.  
**Kathleen Fenton**, Larkfield Lawns. First Anniversary Mass on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> December at **6.00pm**.  
**No Mass** on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> December at 8.00pm.  
**Mass for the Feast of Mary the Mother of God** on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> January at 12.00 noon.  
**Joe Toolan**, Rockvalley. Anniversary Mass on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> January at 11.15am.  
**May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.**
3. **Liturgy for January:** Readers – Paul Jordan & Mary Brodie; **Collectors** – Padraig Watters & Kevin McGoldrick; **Altar Society** – Rosaleen Maguire & Joey Kelly.

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

1. **Mass:** Friday (Christmas Eve) at **9.00pm**; Saturday (Christmas Day) at **10.00am**; Sunday at **10.00am**. Thursday – **No Mass**; Sunday at **10.00am**.
2. **Pray for:**  
**Special Intention**. Mass on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Eve) at **9.00pm**.  
**Special Intention**. Mass on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Day) at **10.00am**.  
**Available for Intention**. Mass on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December at 10.00am.  
**No Mass** on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> December at 8.00pm.  
**Available for Intention**. Mass on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> January at 10.00am.  
**May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.**
3. **Liturgy for January:** Readers – Martina Feeney & Deirdre McGourty; **Collectors** – Jim Banks & Volunteer; **Altar Society** – Bernie Boylan & Hazel Curry.

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

1. **Mass:** Friday (Christmas Eve) at **6.00pm**; Saturday (Christmas Day) at **8.30am**; **No Vigil Mass on Saturday (Christmas Day) at 8.00pm**; Tuesday – **No Mass**; Saturday (Vigil Mass) at **8.00pm**.
2. **Pray for:**  
**The People of the Parish**. Mass on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Eve) at **6.00pm**.  
**The People of the Parish**. Mass on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Day) at **8.30am**.  
**No (Vigil) Mass on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Day) at 8.00pm**.  
**No Mass** on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> December at 8.00pm.  
**Available for Intention**. Mass on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> January at **8.00pm**.  
**May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.**
3. **Liturgy for January:** Readers – Josie Feeney & Volunteer; **Collectors** – Tommy Gallagher; **Altar Society** – Marianne Feeney.

**Church Accounts 2021:** The Parish Finance Committee would like to thank you, the parishioners, for all your contributions to date. As the financial year ends on 31st December, please bring all outstanding dues etc. up to date. **Please make any cheque payments for dues to Dromahair/Killargue Priests Revenue Account. Donations made via the envelope system enable the parish to recoup tax refunds from Revenue.**

**Leckaun National School Parents Association Christmas Draw:** The Leckaun NS Parents Association recently held their Christmas Draw at Newtownmanor Hall. Huge thanks to all the Children & their families who enjoyed selling their €2 lines and making it a great success. A big thank you to all the local businesses who generously sponsored the prizes. **Happy Christmas to all in our community and wishing all the local businesses a prosperous Christmas & New Year.**

