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Sunday 27th August 2023 – 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



Back to School

As schools re-open this week, We wish every blessing to all involved in educating our youth and children.

Principals, Teachers, SNAs, Secretaries, School Staff, Parents,

Boards of Management members, and the young people themselves.

May God arise with you each morning,

May God travel with you throughout the day,

May God welcome you wherever you go,

May God be with you every day. Amen.

Congratulations to all who received their *Leaving Cert results* on Friday last. We wish you happiness and peace as you begin a new stage of your lives. May you be blessed by God in so many ways.

<u>The Annual Collection for Christians in the Holy Land is due next weekend – 2nd & 3rd Sept 2023</u>
You will find the <u>white/pink bar Holy Land Collection Envelope</u> in your pack. If you haven't got the <u>'official envelope'</u>, please put your contribution in an ordinary envelope marked - <u>'Holy Land Collection'</u>. Please include your name and address. <u>Thanks for your continuing generosity.</u>

Apostolic Society Display

Display of work in St. Brigid's Church, Killargue, on Saturday 9th September before and after the 8.00pm Vigil Mass. Also, this year, in Mary Mother of God Church, Newtownmanor on Sunday 17th September, before and after the 10.00am Mass. The usual collection will be taken up.

Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Monthly Visitation of the Sick and Housebound on Friday 8th September 2023: Fr Paul will visit the Sick and Housebound on Friday week - 8th September (please note change of date), at the usual times. If you know someone who would like a visit and is not currently on the First Friday visitation list, please let him know. Telephone: 071-9164143.

<u>Recently Deceased:</u> Rosaleen Walsh (nee McGowan), Massachusetts, U.S.A and formerly of Drummonds, Glencar. <u>Sister of Bernadette Banks, Doonmorgan</u>. Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Osnat's Church, Glencar, on Friday 25th August. **Breege Merrick** (nee Kelly), Riverstown, and formerly of Lisgorman, whose Funeral Mass was celebrated in Riverstown Church on Sunday 20th August. *May they Rest in Peace. Amen.*

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR:

- 1. Mass: No Mass on Monday's; Wednesday at 11am; No Mass on Friday at 8pm; Sun at 11.15am.
- 2. Pray for:

Paddy & Gerti Downey, Main Street and their daughter Frances, Son, Jim & his wife, Moira. Tom Hamilton, Fawn. Christina Haddow, Drumlease. Mass on Sunday 27th August at 11.15am. Joan McMorrow (nee Timlin), Drumlease. <u>Month's Memory Mass</u> on Wednesday 30th August at 11am. No Mass on Friday 1st September at 8.00pm.

John Joe Speers, Boston & Speers Green. Memorial Mass on Sunday 3rd September at 11.15am. May they all be blessed with the gift of Eternal Life with God in Heaven. Amen.

3. <u>Liturgy for September: Readers</u>; Aíne Leonard & Volunteer. <u>Collectors</u>; Michéal McGoldrick & Charlie Sharkey. <u>Altar Society</u>: Volunteers needed.

CHURCH OF MARY MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR:

- 1. Mass: Thursday at 8pm; Sunday at 3.00pm.
- 2. **Pray for:**

Jimmy Dolan, Magurk. Anniversary Mass on Sunday 27th August at 10.00am.

Jane McTernan, Birmingham. Memorial Mass on Thursday 31st August at 8.00pm.

Joe & Bridie Martin and Dec Family Members, Carrickfad. Mass on Sun 3rd Sept at 10.00am.

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

3. <u>Liturgy for September</u>: <u>Reader</u>; Angela Loughlin. <u>Collectors</u>; Joseph McLoughlin & Frank Dolan. <u>Altar Society</u>; Michelle Comiskey & Catherine McDermott.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE:

- 1. Mass: Tuesday at 8pm (Adoration from 7pm to 8pm); Saturday (Vigil) Mass at 8pm.
- 2. **Pray for:**

Patrick Harte, Lisgorman & Kent. (Vigil) Mass on Saturday 26th August at 8.00pm.

Available for Intention. Mass on Tuesday 29th August at 8.00pm (Adoration 7.00pm to 8.00pm.)

Bill & Betty Cawley, Sligo. John & Maureen Moran, Limerick. (Vigil) Mass on Saturday 2nd September at 8.00pm.

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

3. <u>Liturgy for September: Reader</u> – Marie Sheridan; <u>Collectors</u> – Carmel Feeney & Carmel Loughlin; <u>Altar Society</u> – Catherine Sweeney.

<u>Eucharistic Conference '23 - Date for your Diary:</u> Will take place in St Anne's Church, Cranmore Rd, Sligo, on <u>Saturday, 16th September beginning at 10.30am</u>. A first-class relic of Blessed Carlos Acutis will be venerated. The day will vary, with inspiring talks, children's prayer, Mass, Confessions. **Everyone welcome.**

<u>5 Step Support Service</u>: Are you affected by the misuse of alcohol or other drugs by another individual? 5 Step Support can help you; it is a free, non-judgmental, one - one consultation service.

Please contact **071-9150578** / **085-875 9319** or email *sligoleitrim@alcoholforum.co*

Dromahair Defibrillator Group: The Dromahair Defibrillator Group are holding their Annual 5K Family Fun Walk / Run on Sunday 3rd September at 5pm sharp. Registration in The Depot from 4.00pm. Refreshments & Spot Prizes afterwards in the Depot. All Funds raised goes towards the upkeep of the 5 AED in the area. **Please come along and support us on the day.**

Blessing of the Graves 2023: Sincere thanks to everyone who attended the Blessing of the Graves in Killargue & Cloonlougher cemeteries on Sunday 25th June and in Newtownmanor & Carrickatemple cemeteries on Sunday 6th August. Thanks also to those who participated in the liturgies. Thank you for keeping your deceased relatives' grave plots clean & tidy. Thanks also to those who took up collections at the cemetery gates and to all who contributed so generously. The proceeds of these collections will go towards the maintenance & upkeep of the cemeteries. To all those involved in this important work, in all our cemeteries, on an ongoing basis, Míle Buíochas.

<u>Dromahair Clothes Container -</u> is open daily beside the Depot for depositing your old clean clothes, shoes or handbags. Please follow the guidelines. <u>NO duvets, pillows or other household items</u>. This is totally for recycling clothes. **Thanking you for your support.**