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# Sunday 27th November 2022 – 1st Sunday of Advent

 **Recessional Hymn Entrance Hymn--For Season of Advent**

Hail, Queen of heaven, the ocean star, O come, O come, Emmanuel,
Guide of the wanderer here below, and ransom captive Israel,
Thrown on life’s surge, we claim thy care, that mourns in lonely exile here,
Save us from peril and from woe. until the Son of God appear.
**Mother of Christ, Star of the sea Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel**
**Pray for the wanderer, pray for me. Shall come to thee, O’ Israel**.

O gentle, chaste, and spotless Maid, O come, thou Rod of Jesse, free
We sinners make our prayers through thee; Thine own from Satan’s tyranny;
Remind thy Son that He has paid From depths of hell thy people save,
The price of our iniquity. And give them victory o’er the grave.
**Virgin most pure, Star of the sea, Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel** **Pray for the sinner, pray for me. Shall come to thee, O’ Israel.**

*Please join in with the singing of the Entrance* **and *Recessional hymns. Thank You.***

**Blessing of the Advent Wreath**

*Lord God,*

*your Church joyfully awaits the coming of its Saviour,
who enlightens our hearts and dispels the darkness of ignorance and sin.*

*Pour forth your blessings upon us
as we light the candles of this wreath;*

*may their light reflect the splendour of Christ,
who is Lord, for ever and ever.* ***Amen.***

**DROMAHAIR AED GROUP:** The AED (Defibrillator) in our village has changed location and is located at McGoldrick’s Centre supermarket. To access the AED, the code is on the exterior of the cabinet. **The code number is C159X.** It’s great to have this life saving device in our village

**Mass for Deceased Staff of Our Lady’s Hospital, Manorhamilton, on Friday 2nd December at 1.05pm, in the Hospital Chapel.**

**Christmas Ecumenical Carol Service:** In St. Patrick’s Church, Dromahair, on Sunday 18th December at 7.00pm. Everyone is invited to join in this festive celebration. Refreshments afterwards in ‘The Depot’.

**Recently Deceased: Anne Cunningham,** Rathedmond, Sligo, and formerly Fawnlion, Fivemilebourne, whose funeral Mass took place in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo on Monday last – 21st November. **Emily Rooney,** London & Manorhamilton, whose Funeral Mass took place in St. Clare’s Church, Manorhamilton. on Thursday 24th November. **Frank McKeon,** Sligo & formerly Rossinver, (brother of Philomena McGuinness, Killargue).

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

**Parish Safeguarding Information Evening:** Will take place on Monday, 5th Dec at 7.30pm. This is for anyone working with children, eg. Servers, Choir, Sacristans etc. It is also open to anyone who would like to attend. Venue to be confirmed during the week.

**ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR:**

1. **Mass: No Mass on Monday’s;** Wednesday at 9.30am; Friday at 8.00pm (Adoration 7.30pm to 8.00pm); Sunday at 11.15am.
2. **Pray for:**

**Annie Gallagher,** Drumkeeran. **Nov List of our Dead**. Mass on Sunday 27th November at 11.15am.

**November Lists of Our Dead.** Mass on Wednesday 30th November at 9.30am.

**Brian Mullins,** Clontarf, Dublin. Mass on Friday 2nd Dec at 8pm **(Adoration 7.30pm to 8pm).**

**Kieran Kelly,** Killaleen. Memorial Mass on Sunday 4th December at 11.15am.

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1. **Liturgy for December:** Readers **–** Helen/Anna Sweeney**;** Collectors – Patrick McGoldrick & Mark Meehan; Altar Society **– *Volunteers needed. Please contact Fr Paul or Pauric.***

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

1. **Mass:** Thursday at 8.00pm (Adoration from 8.30pm to 9.00pm); Sunday at 10.00am.
2. **Pray for:**

**Jim Comiskey,** Doonkelly, & **Deceased Family Members.** Mass on Sun 27th Nov at 10.00am.

**Available for Intention.** Mass on Thursday 1st December at 8.00pm **(Adoration 8.30pm to 9.00pm).**

**Available for Intention.** Mass on Sunday 4th December at 10.00am.

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1. **Liturgy for December**: Readers - Teresa and Sarah Rooney, Deirdre McGourty; Collectors – John Logue and Volunteers; Altar Society – Margaret Feehily and Mary Keegan.

**ST. BRIGID’S CHURCH, KILLARGUE:**

1. **Mass**: Tuesday at 8.00pm (Adoration from 7.15pm to 8.00pm); (Vigil) Mass on Saturday at 8.00pm.
2. **Pray for:**

**Patrick & Betty Shanley, Dora Hamilton, and Deceased Family Members,** Corderry. **November Lists of Our Dead.** Mass on Saturday 26th November at 8.00pm.

**Jim Feeney,** London & Curry. **November Lists of Our Dead.** Mass on Tuesday 29th November at 8.00pm **(Adoration 7.15pm to 8.00pm).**

**Helen Salmon (nee Harkin),** New York & formerly of Townahoosey. Memorial Mass on Saturday 3rd December at 8.00pm.

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

1. **Liturgy for December:** Readers; Pauric Cullen & Volunteers. Collectors; Jimmy Harkin & Joe Walpole; Altar Society: Patricia Harkin & Carmel Loughlin.

**Kilmore Youth Ministry - Christmas Essay Competition:** This year Kilmore youth ministry are running a Christmas essay competition for 6th class students.  The essay title is ***“Why was the first Christmas so important”*** and it should be a maximum of 500 words. First prize is family tickets to Tayto Park. Closing date Fri 9th Dec, and the winner will be contacted by Mon 12th Dec. Please make sure that the school address and contact number are included when sending in the essay. This is open to any 6th Class student from Kilmore Diocese. Francis Keaney The Conaty Centre Cullies Co Cavan H12 E5C7. More Info, please contact me anytime on 049-4375004.

**Christmas Market in the Depot Today Sunday at 12noon.** *Please support local this Christmas*!

**Christmas wreath making with Carol** - will take place in the Depot Dromahair on Tue Dec 6 at 8.15pm. Limited places available. Contact the office Mon to Fri 10am to 1pm on 071-9134986.

**SANTA IN KILLARGUE:** Santa is visiting Killargue Community Centre on Sunday 4th December between 12pm and 4pm. €10 per child, capped at €30 for larger families, adults go free!

Booking Essential through Janice 087 214 7453 or Paula 085 251 7099. Raffle tickets from Maureen O'Hara 086 602 0190 or Bridget Fitzpatrick 087 233 3343.

**Newtownmanor Santa Party:** will take place in Newtownmanor Hall on Sunday, December 11th between 4pm- 6pm. There will be a Christmas raffle on the day with some brilliant prizes. Leckaun N.S. will be selling raffle tickets in Supervalu, Manorhamilton on Fri, Dec 2nd, from 10am - 7pm.

**Sharon Loughlin Memorial Walk:** John, Angela & Shane Loughlin along with the Committee members would like to thank everyone for their kind donations. It is very much appreciated. There has been a presentation of the cheque for €3,760 to North - West Hospice.