

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 28th July 2013 ~ 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Blessing & Visitation of Graves in Newtownmanor

Sunday 11th August 2013 beginning with Mass at 5.30pm.

Please park cars facing downhill from the church and on the left – hand side only.

A one – way system will be in operation.

GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

[A] Any remaining contributions to the Pope's Collection 2013 are still welcome. Thanks for your generosity.

[B] The Creevelea Abbey Cemetery Mass has been re - scheduled for next Sunday 4th August at 2.00pm.

[C] Mission Appeal ~ Holy Ghost Missionary Society ~ The Spiritans: Have you an envelope to send on to Fr Jim O'Connell who spoke at all Masses last weekend?

You may send your envelope on directly as per the address or leave it in Collection Basket or Parochial House.

[D] Kilmore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg for the Year of Faith ~ Tuesday August 27th from 9.00am – 4.00pm. This is a one day retreat for adults which does not require fasting or walking bare foot and is ideal for those who are unable to do the traditional three day pilgrimage. The cost of the pilgrimage is €40 but reductions in this cost may be available depending on the size of the group from the parish. The price includes boat, tea and coffee, services and lunch. Places must be secured by the parish on or before Friday 9th August. For further information and to book your place please contact the **Chairperson of the Parish Pastoral Council at 086 - 8583648** ~ evenings only. You may also drop a note into the Parochial House with your name, address and telephone number. You are asked to declare your interest during the coming week since it takes time to organize this event.

[E] 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
Information on other Accord Centres can be obtained from: www.accord.ie Telephone: 01 – 5053112.

[F] Church Gate Collections: All those taking up approved Church Gate Collections are asked to do so only **after** Mass in all 3 church areas. **This is a long standing rule in the parish and all collectors are asked to respect it.**

[G] Friday next is the First Friday. Visitation will start this Friday 2nd August & continue during the following week. All those to be visited will be contacted beforehand.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

1. **Mass: Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9.30am; Sunday ~ 11.15am.**

2. **Pray for: -**

James & Mary Ellen McTiernan, Corcusconny, son Seamus & grandson Garry, Anniversary Mass Sunday 28th July at 11.15am.

Margaret O'Rourke, Drumkeeran, Mass Monday 29th July at 9.30am.

Bernard Mc Goldrick, Corrigeencor, Mass Tuesday 30th July at 9.30am.

Della Stanford - McGowan, Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Sunday 4th August at 11.15am.

May they rest in peace!

3. **Liturgy for August: Readers: Michael Costello & the McMahon family. Collectors: Sean Johnston, Sean Mc Goldrick & Padraig Watters. Altar Society: Helen Mc Goldrick & Josephine Hamilton.**

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR

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

2. **Pray for:-**

Michael Loughlin, Gortnaskeagh, Anniversary Mass Sunday 28th July at 10.00am.

Winnie McDermott, Moragh, Anniversary Mass Sunday 4th August at 10.00am.

May they rest in peace!

3. **Liturgy for August: Reader: Deirdre Mc Dermott. Collectors: Thomas Healy & Martin Dolan. Altar Society: Patricia Dolan & Angela Loughlin.**

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. **Mass: Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 8.00pm.**
2. **Pray for:-**
Philomena & James Gallagher, Drumany, Anniversary Mass Saturday 27th July at 8.00pm.
Bill & Betty Cawley, Oakfield Rd, Sligo, Anniversary Mass Saturday 3rd August at 8.00pm.
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. **Liturgy for August: Readers: Monica Giblin & Lauraine Walpole. Collectors: Pat Kerins, Pat Flanagan & John Flynn.**
Altar Society: Mae Gallagher & Kathleen Gallagher.

~~~~~ 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. Your help would be greatly appreciated in keeping **Dromahair Litter Free** because there is a major problem at the moment. Business owners and residents are asked to pick up the litter in front of their properties to improve the situation. Thanks for your co-operation.
If each everyone picks up a few pieces of litter each day it will make a big difference.
3. **Depot Office Holidays ~ Monday 8th July – Monday 5th August 2013.**
Contact Margaret on 086 – 8521791 if you require any of the Depot Services during this period.
4. **Killargue Gathering Committee:** Tickets are now on sale for the **Community Supper** on **17th August.**
5. **Niall Mellon Township Trust ~ Housing Initiative:** A Fundraising Table Quiz in support of Pauric Mc Goldrick's Trip to Kenya to aid the Trust will take place in Fowley's **Woodview Inn, Dromahair** on **Friday 2nd August 2013 at 9.00pm.**
Come along and have lots of fun while helping a worthy cause!

Killargue Gathering

On **Thursday 15th August** there will be **Mass at the Holy Well at 6.00pm** followed by a **Social** in the **Community Centre.**
On **Friday 16th August,** there is a **Race Night** in **Reynold's Public House** at **9.00pm.**
On **Saturday 17th August,** there is the **School Reunion** starting at 9.00pm in the **Community Centre.**
There will be supper & bar with a live band and dancing afterwards. Tickets now on sale!
Former students of schools in the parish are all invited. Subscription €15.

The Year of Faith will end on 24th November.

It invites us to reflect on our journey of life.

A **Pilgrimage to Lough Derg** is one way for you to answer the call to renewal in faith, personally or as part of a group.

The Three Day Pilgrimage season ends on 15th August.

For information on bookings or public transport, phone 071 - 9861518 (from N. Ireland: 00 - 353 - 71 - 9861518).

E-mail; info@loughderg.org or www.loughderg.org

Clothing Collection Facility

There is a Clothes Bank / Container in the Depot grounds.

If you have old clothes for disposal, why not bring them there. Your contribution will help the parish and various charities. Currently people are leaving out bags of clothes at their houses to be collected by purely commercial operators & they do not help any worthy cause ~ despite what they advertise!

And other clothes banks in the village contribute only a very small amount to the charities they advertise.

Please do not bring books, toys or any items other than clothes!

Year of Faith 2013.

It was hoped to run a bus to **Croagh Patrick on 28th July ~ Reek Sunday.**

It will not now go ahead on that date due to a lack of interest. We may try again at a later date!

Church Gate Collections.

All those taking up **approved Church Gate Collections** are asked to do so **after Masses only** in all three church areas.

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Mass goers are hit for every collection. They at least deserve a break on their way into church.