

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 30th March 2008 ~ The Second Sunday of Easter ~ Divine Mercy Sunday

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GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

- [A] The ***St. Patrick's Day Offertory Collection*** ~ from March 15th this year ~ goes to support ***Missionaries from the Diocese of Kilmore*** ~ especially those in ***Nigeria*** ~ in providing education, healthcare and building up Christian communities. ***If you haven't yet made your contribution, you can still do so. There is a special envelope ~ for 15th March ~ in your Offertory Envelopes Pack.***
- [B] ***Trócaire 1: It would be good to keep Trocaire Contributions up to last year's level at least. Please bring back your Trocaire Box and / or Holy Thursday Offertory Envelope next weekend. Thanks to all who have done so already.***
Please put your name on your box and do change coins into notes! Please.
- [C] ***Trócaire 2: The envelope mentioned at [B] above is the Special Trócaire Offertory Envelope for Holy Thursday ~which you may have forgotten about. The proceeds go to Trocaire and the poor in the Third World. This envelope allows everyone to top up their Lenten Collection. In particular it helps those ~ who may have forgotten so far ~ to make a generous contribution during this Special Season of Easter Hope.***
- [D] ***Diocese of Kilmore ~ Annual Pilgrimage to Lourdes ~ led by Bishop Leo O' Reilly: 27th May – 1st June 2008.***
Hotel Pilgrims ~ Cost €679 ~ should book with Mc Ginnity Travel, Cavan ~ Telephone 049 – 4331811.
Assisted Pilgrims ~ Cost €590 ~ staying at Accueil Notre Dame ~ should apply to Fr.Colm Hurley, P.P., Killeshandra, Co. Cavan ~ Telephone / Fax: 049 – 4334155. Please book as early as possible!
- [E] ***Friday next is the First Friday. The sick and housebound will be visited in the Dromahair area on Friday afternoon 4th April and in the Newtownmanor area on Saturday 5th April. Visitation will take place in Killargue on Tuesday 8th & Wednesday 9th April. All concerned will be contacted beforehand by phone to arrange a suitable time.***

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

1. ***Mass: Friday ~ First Friday 8.00pm; Sunday 11.15am***
2. ***Pray for:-***
Kathleen Oates, Dromahair, Anniversary Mass Sunday 30th March at 11.15am.
Tom & Annie Loughlin, Friarstown, Anniversary Mass Sunday 6th April at 11.15am.
May she rest in peace
3. ***Liturgy for April: Readers: Joseph Mc Goldrick; Collectors: Ray Mc Goldrick, Frances Dolan, Frank Mc Gill & Domhnall Mc Loughlin. Altar Society: Mary E.Ward & Christina Haddow.***

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

1. ***Mass: Saturday 11.00am; Sunday 10.00am.***
2. ***Pray for:-***
Kate & Alec Johnston, Magurk, Anniversary Mass Sunday 30th March at 10.00am.
Eddie Boylan, Cornalaughta, Month's Memory Mass Saturday 5th April at 11.00am.
Lorcan Feehily, Hill House, Leckaun, Anniversary Mass Sunday 6th April at 10.00am.
May they rest in peace
3. ***Liturgy for April: Reader: Frank Dolan. Altar Society: P.J. Martin & Jimmy Dolan.***
Altar Society: Mary & Cathy Mc Morrow & Lily Dolan.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

1. **Mass:** Monday 8.00pm <<<<<<< **N.B.**; Saturday 7.00pm;
2. **Pray for:-**
Bernie Dolan, Corrasra and his parents **Bernard & Brigid**, Anniversary Mass Saturday 29th March at 7.00pm.
Francie & Dora Mc Goey, Annaghboy, Anniversary Mass Monday 31st March at **8.00pm**. <<<<<<< **N.B.**
Sean Slevin, Leamascally & deceased family members, Anniversary Mass Saturday 5th April at 7.00pm.
May they rest in peace.
3. **Liturgy for April:** Reader: **Helen Dolan & Padraig Flanagan.** Collectors: **Joe Mc Ternan, P.J. Feeney, Joe Sheridan & Joe Harkin.** Altar Society: **Marie Sheridan & Martina Hannon.**

Community Notices.

1. Support your Local Bingo every Monday night in the Abbey Manor Hotel at 9.00pm sharp.
2. **Bothár** is looking for participants to join in & enjoy a fun - filled day at the **Women's Mini Marathon** on **June 2nd 2008**. Walk, jog or run 10km in Dublin while raising funds for a good cause. Bus will be leaving Drumkeeran at 8.00am & return at 8.00pm. **Contact Frances at 087 - 7764748.**
3. **Newtownmanor Development Group:**
Fun Walk this Sunday 6th April ~ starting from the Manor Hall at 3.00pm.
4. **Feeling sad, anxious or low?** You could be depressed. For a listening ear call the Aware Helpline on 1890 303 302 or visit www.aware.ie Support groups meet in Markievicz House, Sligo on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 8.00pm. A separate group for 18 – 24 year olds meets at the same time in the same venue. Ring 071 - 9155120 for further details.

A Date for your Diary!

On Saturday 12th April 2008 there will be a Function in the Abbey Manor Hotel for those who help out in any way in all 3 Parish Areas or have done so in recent years. You are all cordially invited.

Sincere thanks to everyone who took part in the Service of Reconciliation and in the Easter Ceremonies ~ to our organists, musical directors, choirs, servers, sacristans, altar societies, all who prepared the churches, readers, collectors ~ all who helped in the celebration of the Liturgy or assisted in any way during Easter.

Míle Buíochas agus Beannacht Dé

We wish the people of the parish ~ and all who attend the local churches ~ every blessing at Easter.

We also extend Easter good wishes to the congregation of Drumlease Parish Church, all home on holidays and visitors to our churches and to the area.

The following are the names & phone numbers of local priests. Please keep them in case of emergency.

Rev Gerry Alwill, Drumkeeran, 071- 96 48025; Rev. Patrick Sullivan, Glencar, 071- 98 55433

*Rev. Michael Cooke, Manorhamilton, 071- 98 55042, **Mobile: 086 – 85 33217;***

Rev. Sean Tynan, Killenummery, 071- 91 64125 & Rev. Sean Burke, Ballintogher, 071- 91 64154.

Rev. John Mc Mahon, Manorhamilton, 071- 9856987; Rev Fr. John Sexton, Killargue 071 - 9164131

Let us so live that when we die, even the undertaker will be sorry!

Anonymous.

Through an oversight, incomplete lists ~ and pressure of work ~ some existing parishioners & quite a number of new ones did not receive their

Offertory Collection or Dues Envelopes for 2008.

Please accept our apologies! In the interim, until matters are sorted out, perhaps parishioners ~ including those new to the parish ~ would put their contribution in an ordinary envelope with their name and address.

It is particularly important to make a contribution to the

Nigeria Mission Collection & Trócaire.

Current parishioners might advise those new to the parish re Offertory & Dues Contributions ~ if asked.

Thanks!