

Dromahair ~ Killargue ~ Newtownmanor

Sunday 30th May 2010 ~ Trinity Sunday.

GENERAL / CHURCH NOTICES.

- [A] ***First Communion* for the children of *Leckaun National School* was celebrated yesterday in Newtownmanor Church.**
You are asked to remember in your prayers all the young people who celebrated First communion this year. Sincere thanks to their teachers and the staff of each school for their dedication
- [B] The ***Kilmore Diocesan Pilgrimage*** takes place on ***Sunday 20th June***, beginning at ***2.30pm***. It is hoped to run a coach for this event. If you are interested in traveling please contact 071 9164270 or 087 9134433.
- [C] **Blessing of Graves in Killargue and Cloonlougher will take place on Sunday 4th July and will probably follow the same time pattern as last year.** Full details later.
- [D] **The Rosary will be recited after Mass today.**
- [E] **Pilgrimage to the Holy Land ~ 13th – 22nd October 2010:** Direct flight from Dublin. A limited number of seats available. Spiritual Director: Fr. Dan Sheridan, Staghall, Belturbet. Details from Anna Brady at 049 – 4336291 or 087 - 2549960.
- [F] **Good wishes to all who are sitting examinations at this time. There will be *Mass for Examination Students*, *St. Brigid's Church, Killargue* on *Saturday 5th June* at 8.00pm.**
- [G] **Friday next is the First Friday.** Due to weddings on Friday & Saturday, visitation will take place earlier this week and early next week as well. All will be contacted beforehand.
- [H] **We remember: *Mary Kate Kelly, Ballinaboll, Newtownmanor* whose funeral took place on **Thursday 27th May 2010.** ***May she rest in peace!*****

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR.

- 1. Mass: Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9.30am; Sunday 11.15am.**
- 2. *Pray for:-***
Canon Hugh McGrail, Fr. Sean McGoldrick and deceased priests of the parish, Mass Sunday 30th May at 11.15am.
Dan Judge, Killargue, Mass Monday 31st May at 9.30am.
Catherine O'Rourke-Flynn and deceased family, Mass Sunday 6th June at 11.15am.
May they rest in peace.
- 3. Liturgy for June: Readers: Caroline McHugh, Collectors: Patsy McGoldrick; Altar Society: Josephine Orla Harvey.**

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR.

- 1. Mass: Sunday 10.00am.**
- 2. *Pray for:-***
Viola Sheridan, Leckaun & Ballintogher, Mass Sunday 30th May at 10.00am.
Michael & Molly Cunningham, Fawnlion, Anniv Mass Sunday 6th June at 10.00am.
May they rest in peace.
- 3. Liturgy for June: Reader: Sarah Comiskey & Gary Comiskey;
Collectors: Michael Comiskey & Liam Martin; Altar Society: Hilary McDermott.**

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE.

- 1. Mass: Tuesday 7.00pm; Wednesday 7.00pm; Saturday ~ Vigil Mass ~ 8.00pm.**
- 2. *Pray for:-***
Thomas & Kate Ann Kelly, Gortgarrigan, Mass Saturday 26th May at 8.00pm.

Tommy McGovern, Lemascally & his **parents Eddie & Mary**, Anniversary Mass Wednesday 2nd June at 7.00pm.

May they rest in peace

3. **Apostolic Society ~ Cake Sale:** After Mass at St. Brigid's Church, Killargue on Saturday 5th June. Proceeds in aid of the Missions. Please support this event in whatever way you can.
4. **Liturgy for June:** Readers: **Bridget Fitzpatrick**; Collectors: **Paddy OHara, Michéal Donaghue & Joseph Giblin**. Altar Society: **Bridie Boles & Anna Higgins**.

Community Notices.

1. **Bingo this 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 appreciated!***
2. **Tennis in Killargue:** Coaching continues to take place every Thursday. If it is raining or looking like rain, parents or players are asked to contact Patti Reynolds at 9164115 or call to the Post Office to check if coaching is going ahead.
3. **Leckaun Parents' Association are holding their *Summer Sale* on Sunday 13th June after Mass.** Items include cakes, buns, dvd's, cd's, books and so on.
4. **Worried? Lonely? Under Stress?** The *Samaritans* offer confidential emotional support on their 24 hour helpline: 1- 850 60 90 90. www.samaritans.ie & io@samaritans.org
5. **There is a Clothes Bank in the Depot grounds.** If you have old clothes for disposal, why not bring them there. Your contribution will help parish finance and various charities. Currently people are leaving out bags of clothes at their houses to be collected by purely commercial operators & do not help the parish.
6. **Collection of Farm Plastic: James Fitzgerald Agri Services and IFFPG** will operate a **Bring Centre** in Manorhamilton Mart on Friday 4th June.
7. **Kevin McDermott would like to thank everybody who supported his *Niall Mellon Fund-raiser* in the Blue Devon, Dromahair on Saturday 17th April.**
A special word of thanks to those who bought tickets and made generous donations.
8. **Pauric McGoldrick, Corrigeencor will be holding a Church Gate Collection next weekend, 29th & 30th May in aid of his *Niall Mellon Foundation Participaion*.** Thanks in advance for your generosity.
9. **Dromahair Development Association: The Woodview Inn has requested that the sculpture be moved from its present location.** Plans are in place to do so with the assistance of Leitrim Co. Council.
10. **The AGM of Newtownmanor Community Development Group will take place at 9.30pm on Wednesday 2nd June in the Manor Hall.** All members are asked to attend. New members welcome.
11. **The Irish Cancer Society wishes to acknowledge the receipt of €254.35 from the recent church – gate collection.** The Society wishes to thank all concerned for their generosity.
12. **Judging in the Tidy Towns Competition starts on the 1st June.** It would be most helpful if each householder and business person would be responsible for cleaning up litter and spraying weeds outside their premises. With embargos on funding and recruiting, the Rural Social Scheme cannot get everything done. So the co-operation and participation of everyone in the village and its environs is vital.

The Beginning Experience is a programme designed to help separated and widowed people make a new beginning. It offers healing and hope.

The next meeting is at 8.00pm on Tuesday 1st June in St. Michael's Family Life Centre, Church Hill, Sligo. Telephone No: 071 9170329.

Johnny, aged 5, was told by his mother he must finish his breakfast porridge. He said he didn't want to. His mother replied, 'You must finish it. If you don't, God will be very angry.'
She went into the kitchen to wash up, leaving Johnny looking with sullen determination at the porridge. Outside it was raining and suddenly there was a heavy roll of thunder.
Johnny's mother came back into the room and found him eating his porridge as quickly as he could and muttering to himself, 'All that fuss for a small plate of porridge'.