

Dromahair – Killargue - Newtownmanor

Sunday 30th December 2018 – Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

Church Notices:

[A] Altar Servers for Dromahair in January 2019 – Group 3.

Parents please note, if your child is unable to serve at Mass on any of the assigned dates, please arrange a replacement.

[B] Tuesday 1st January 2019 is the Feast of Mary the Mother of God & World Day of Peace: Mass in Dromahair, at 12.00 noon & Killargue at 7.00pm.

[C] First Communion for the children from Drumlease N.S. will take place on Saturday 25th May 2019 at 11.00am in St. Patrick's Church, Dromahair.

[D] Friday next is the First Friday: The sick and housebound will be visited at the usual times.

[E] Pray for:

Nina Gilmartin (nee Oates), Killery, Ballintogher, (mother of Ann Harkin, Curry, Killargue), whose funeral took place on Thursday last – 27th December.

Colm Carre, Tuam, Co. Galway and formerly of Back Line, Dromahair, whose funeral took place in Co. Galway, on Sunday last - 23rd December.

Francie McHugh, Ilford, Essex, & formerly of Gortermone, Killargue, who died on Wednesday 12th December.

Liam McSharry, son of the late J.J. McSharry, who died in England.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR

1. **Mass:** Monday at 9.30am; Tuesday (**New Year's Day**) at **12.00noon**; Wednesday at 9.30am; Friday at 8.00pm; Sunday at 11.15am.

2. *Pray for:*

Joe Toolan, Rockvalley, Mass on Sunday 30th December at 11.15am.

Liam McSharry, formerly of Rockvalley who died in England, Mass on Monday 31st December at 9.30am.

Mass for the Feast of Mary the Mother of God on Tuesday (New Year's Day), at 12.00noon - for **Patrick & Kathleen McGoldrick**.

Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Wednesday 2nd January at 9.30am.

Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Friday 4th January at 8.00pm.

Eugene Mc Dermott, 33 Drumlease, Mass on Sunday 6th January at 11.15am.

May they Rest in Peace.

3. **Liturgy for January:** Readers – Paul Jordan & Mary Brodie; Collectors – Padraig Watters & Kevin McGoldrick; Altar Society – Rosaleen Maguire & Joey Kelly.

CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR

1. **Mass:** Thursday at 8.00pm; Sunday at 10.00am.

2. *Pray for:*

John Fowley, Cornalaughta, Leckaun, Mass on Sunday 30th December at 10.00am.

Intentions of the Donor, Mass on Thursday 3rd January at 8.00pm.

Joseph Darcy, Moneyduff, Mass on Sunday 6th January at 10.00am.

May they Rest in Peace.

3. **Liturgy for January:** Readers – Martina Feeney & Deirdre McGourty; Collectors – Jim Banks & Volunteer; Altar Society – Kathleen McGoldrick & Mary Fowley.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, KILLARGUE

1. **Mass:** Monday at 12.00noon; Tuesday (**New Year's Day**) at **7.00pm**; Saturday (Vigil Mass) at 7.00pm.

2. *Pray for:*

Fr Tom Flynn, Ohio, U.S.A., (cousin of the Feeney & Fowley families), Mass on Saturday 29th December at 7.00pm.

Jerry Twomey, Surrey, England, (brother of Sheila Harkin), Mass on Monday 31st December at 12.00noon.

Mass for the Feast of Mary the Mother of God on Tuesday (New Year's Day), at 7.00pm.

Dr Michael Carney, Dromahair & England, Anniv. Mass on Saturday 5th January at 7.00pm.

May they Rest in Peace.

3. **Liturgy for January:** Readers – Josie Feeney & Volunteer; Collectors – Tommy Gallagher & Brian Dolan; Altar Society – Marianne Feeney.

4. **Eucharistic Adoration:** Cancelled for the Winter months and will resume in Spring 2019.

Community Notices:

1. **Bingo: Next Bingo - Monday 7th January 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. **Clothing collection facility in The Depot Gate.** Open all day, every day. New and used clean clothing, shoes (pairs, clean), handbags & leather belts, blankets, sheets & pillow cases, soft toys, teddys - no batteries. **No duvets, pillows or cushions.**
3. **Deadline for Notices for the Parish Bulletin:** 12.00noon on Thursdays. Email: drumahaire@kilmorediocese.ie
4. **Garda Community Information Centre;** opening in **The Depot every Monday from 2pm-4pm - except Bank Holidays.** General Garda Services and Information will be provided. This is a pilot scheme and its success depend on the support of the public. Please use the service when it's made available locally.
5. **Dromahair Library – Opening Hours:** Tues 12.30pm-6.00pm Fri 2.30pm – 8.00pm (Closed - mini break both days 4pm to 4.30pm).
6. **Killargue 'Lives & Times' Calendar – 2019:** Now on sale. Price €10.
7. **Pilgrimage to Medjugorje with Group Leader & Spiritual Director: 21st May 2019** - 7 nights half board in Parison Darko. Flights ex – Dublin airport including return airport transfers to Medjugorje - Joe Walsh Tours Medjugorje Representative - Philip Ryan. Contact Ann Kelly on 086 1505298 for more details.
8. **All Ireland Rosary Rally for Faith and Life:** is taking place on Tuesday next 1st January 2019, Solemnity of the Mother of God, at 12 noon at Dáil Éireann, Dublin. This is to ask God through Our Lady to increase the Faith in Ireland and to protect the unborn child. The Rosary is a most powerful weapon against evil. To book you place on a bus from Leitrim: call 086-8775036.
9. **Charity Ladies Lunch for Simon Community:** Women's Little Christmas Black Dress ladies Lunch on Sunday 6th Jan in Kilronan Castle in aid of North West Simon Community – Tickets now on sale €45 to include meal & wine– ideal Christmas Gift – contact Mary on 087 7708865 for further details. Tickets also on Eventbrite.
10. **Sincere thanks to all who contributed to the Sunday Offertory Collections and the Dues during 2018:**
Offertory Collection - day-to-day upkeep of each church, repair and refurbishment of parish buildings, churches and the running expenses of the relevant parish area during the year. **Dues** - support and upkeep of priest in parish and diocese. Please make Dues cheques payable to '**Priests' Revenue Fund**'. All other cheques should be made payable to the relevant church.
11. **Leckaun N.S. Christmas Draw:** Congratulations to all the lucky winners in the recent Leckaun NS Christmas Draw. The parent's association would like to thank sincerely all the Sponsors for their generous sponsorship. Thanks to everyone who supported the draw.
12. **Drumkeeran SVP wish to thank the people of Drumlease Parish for their very generous response to their Christmas Collection.** Amounts donated were as follows: Dromahair €230; Killargue €315; Newtownmanor €330.
13. **Sincere thanks to the people of all three parish areas;** those who helped in so many ways, cared for our churches, contributed financially, took up collections, those in the altar society, gave contributions for flowers, did beautiful floral arrangements, took part in the Liturgy, served Mass, sang in the choir, provided musical accompaniments, soloists and instrumentalists, for your generosity and support throughout the year. **A special word thanks to our sacristans for all their help and support during the year. It is very much appreciated.**

We wish all our parishioners in Dromahair, Killargue & Newtownmanor, those who joined the parish this year, attend our churches from adjoining parishes, those home on holidays, all our visitors and friends

Peace, Happiness and every Blessing in the New Year

Greetings and Good Wishes to our neighbours in Drumlease Parish Church.

