

# RATHMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

## OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

In our Parish people are nourished by the Word of God. It is a Parish where love is tangible and practical. It is a place where people pray together. Our Parish community is centred on Jesus Christ, on knowing and loving Him. It is incarnated in the love we show one another.

### WEEKEND MASSES FOR SAT. FEBRUARY 3rd & SUN. FEBRUARY 4th 2018

<b>RATHMORE</b>	Sat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	6.00pm	<b>FEAST OF ST. BLAISE</b> Dan & Margaret Cronin, Gortnaglough
<b>KNOCKNAGREE</b>	Sat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.30pm	<b>FEAST OF ST. BLAISE - OPENING OF NOVENA</b>
<b>SHRONE</b>	Sun	4 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Donors Intention
<b>GNEEVEGUILLA</b>	Sun	4 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Diarmuid & Kathleen Murphy, Scrahanfada Breda Culloty, Maulykevane
<b>RATHMORE</b>	Sun	4 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	Donal Harnett, The Village (Months Mind)
<b>KNOCKNAGREE</b>	Sun	4 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	Novena Devotions



### GNEEVEGUILLA

**Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> 8.00pm Penitential Service and taking of pledge for Confirmation**

#### Candidates

**Sun 11<sup>th</sup> 10.00am** T. T. O'Callaghan, Ballinahulla & deceased family members  
Deceased of Linehan family, Lisheen  
Daniel & Kathleen O'Leary, Meenagishaugh  
Jeremiah Crowley, Annabeg  
Patrick Collins, Mausroure & deceased of Collins family  
Tureenamult

### RATHMORE

**Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> 11.30am MASS OF HEALING - ST. JOSEPH'S DAY CARE CENTRE**

**For Sick and Housebound - everybody welcome**

**Fri. 9<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Dan Crowley, Inches (Months Mind)**

**Sat. 10<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm Mary Sheehan, Lissyconnor**

John Sheahan, Rathmore Village

Margaret, Tim & Nina Murphy, East End, Rathmore

Mary McCarthy, Ballycullane

Timmie Sheehan, Ard Mhuire, and deceased family members

John & Dan McCarthy, Stagmount

**Sun 11<sup>th</sup> 11.30am Margaret O'Connell, l/o Doneraile (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)**

### KNOCKNAGREE

**Mon. Feb 5<sup>th</sup> 8pm "Do whatever He tells you" Fr. Bill Radley**

**Tues. Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 8pm The Joyful Mysteries Fr. Eoin Mangan**

**Wed. Feb 7<sup>th</sup> 8pm The Healing Msgr. Dan Herlihy**

**Eucharistic Adoration will be held in Church today Wednesday 10am to 8pm**

**Thurs Feb 8<sup>th</sup> 8pm The Touch of the Master's Hand Fr. Paddy O'Donoghue**

**Fri. Feb 9<sup>th</sup> 8pm "Am I at peace with my crosses" Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P.**

**Sat. Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Our Lady Fr. Joe Tarrant**

**Sun. Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 8pm Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes - Novena Devotions- Fr. Pat**

### SHRONE

**Sun 11<sup>th</sup> 9.00am Timo Cronin, Moulagow**

**Fr. Joe Tarrant (086)3978642 is the priest on duty on this SUNDAY for emergency and sick calls**

**Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P. 086 8351732**

### CHILD PROTECTION REPRESENTATIVES

Han Donnelly 0871249461 (Gneeveguilla)

Margaret McGrath (089)4182683 (Rathmore)

Ber Murphy 087 6468620 (Shrone)

Betty Moynihan 087 6186091(Knocknagree)

### PARISH OFFICE - 064 7761669

Opening hours: Mon. and Tues. 9.30am to 12.30pm. Wednesday and Thursday 4pm to 7 pm. Friday 11 am to 2pm

### COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

All Email correspondence relating to the Community Newsletter to: [communitynewsletter@rathmoreparish.ie](mailto:communitynewsletter@rathmoreparish.ie)

Phone enquiries Jan. to June (064)7758219 July to December (064) 7761669. Short term adverts, must be paid for in advance to the Parish Office before 12.30pm Tuesday to be guaranteed inclusion the following weekend.

Acknowledgements must be booked in advance to be guaranteed preferred date.





The Holy Rosary is being recited before all weekend Masses in each church in the parish. We thank those who are on rotas in each church for agreeing to lead the rosary. It will commence 20 minutes before Mass. "The Rosary will cause virtue and good works to flourish" (Promise of Our Lady)

**PRAYERS & SYMPATHY:** To Seamus O'Brien, Gneeveguilla village, on the death of his father, Patrick O'Brien, Kilcummin, whose funeral took place on Wednesday in Kilcummin. Please remember in your prayers Ann Buckley, l/o Clounts whose funeral took place on Friday in Rathmore. May Patrick and Ann rest in peace and may God's peace and His never failing love sustain all who mourn their loss.

**ANNIVERSARY:** Please pray for Con & Maryanne O'Mahony, Knocknagree whose anniversaries occur at this time. Mass will be offered at a later date.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK**



**10am to 9pm in Gneeveguilla - Tuesday**

**10am to 9pm Knocknagree - Wednesday**

**10am to 9pm in Rathmore - Thursday**

**Shrone - 5.30pm-6.30pm Thursday & 9-11am Friday**

**Keep in touch with our Parish Website [www.rathmoreparish.ie](http://www.rathmoreparish.ie) and Facebook link!**

Information on Weddings, Baptism, Funeral liturgy, Cemeteries, Parish Groups and Committees, Parish Office, Daily & Sunday Mass readings, Parish Bulletin and Community Newsletter uploaded each week, etc. Downloadable forms for baptism and weddings.

**Novena to Our Lady of Lourdes – Knocknagree**

*Our Lady of Lourdes Novena commences in Knocknagree on this Saturday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Mass times during the Novena are listed with the times on the opposite page. During Novena days people will have an opportunity to visit the church and light a candle or say a prayer at the specially erected sacred space in honour of the Novena. There will be 2 petition boxes, one where petitions can be read out while in the other box, the petitions will be placed there and not shared with the congregation. Feel free to place your petitions in the appropriate box. Rosary will be recited before Mass on each night of the Novena. It will commence at 7.45pm before 8pm Masses during the week and at 7.15pm on the Saturday nights. Also a reminder that there will be Mass for the Sick with Anointing in St. Joseph's Day Care Centre on Thurs. Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> at 11.30am. All are welcome. Eucharistic Adoration will be held in the church on next Wed. 10am to 8pm during the Novena. All are welcome to this Novena and we especially encourage people to feel free to come to the church during the daytime and experience many graces and blessing from Our Blessed Lady.*

**FUNDRAISING CONCERT** in aid of Millstreet girl, Anna Buckley's volunteering work with Street and Slum Children in Kolkata, India, with the HOPE FOUNDATION. **Saturday Feb 10th, 2018 at 8pm in Millstreet GAA Hall.** A great night assured. Your support would be greatly appreciated. See Millstreet.ie for more details.

**INFORMATION DAY:** Thursday February 15th 2018 The Dromhall Hotel Killarney Registration 10.00am. Tea & Coffee 11.10am John O'Grady, Assistant Station Officer, Killarney Fire Station Be Aware Be Safe Q & A 11.30am H.S.E .Your Voice Matters & Compassionate care for Older People 12.30pm Pádraig McCannon K. R. S. P.Keeping Active 12.45pm Local Link KerryTransport 1.00pm Lunch 2.30pm Mary Grantfield, Citizens InformationYour entitlements etc.Q & A 3.30pm Garda Safety & Security

**WOMENS HEALTH & WELL BEING FOR ALL AGES:** Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> Feb. at 7.15pm in Manor West Hotel, Tralee.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE - 0667134276 The Pillars of an Active Spiritual Life:** Rescheduled Course by Fr. Sean Sheehy, Wed. 7th Feb., continues every Wed thru March, 7.00pm-9.00pm.

**Desert Spirituality: "Taking Time Out - Slowing the Pace"** by Anne Alcock, Saturday, 10th Feb. 10.00am-4.00pm. **The Jesus Prayer:** Bishop Brendan Comiskey, Sat. 17th Feb. (Open to All) and Sun. 18th Feb. (Special Day of support and reflection for recovering Alcoholic members).

**Ministry in the Church by Bishop (Emeritus) Bill Murphy, Gathering for All Parish Readers, Eucharistic Ministers & Parish personnel in the Kerry Diocese, Thurs. 22nd Feb. 7.00pm-9.30pm.**

**DIOCESAN COLLECTION:** The Diocesan Collection for Lourdes Helpers will be taken up as a second collection at all masses on **next weekend 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Feb.** Your generosity towards this collection ensures that many young helpers in our parish and in other parishes throughout the Diocese will get an opportunity to go to Lourdes.

**Penitential Service and taking of pledge for Confirmation Candidates – Thurs. 8<sup>th</sup> 8pm Gneeveguilla Church**

**Sacrament of Confirmation – Tuesday Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> (Shrove Tuesday) - 3.30pm Rathmore Church**

**Ash Wednesday – Wed Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> – Holy Day – Day of Fast and Abstinence - Beginning of Lent**

**Masses: Shrone 9am Rathmore 10am Gneeveguilla 6.30pm Knocknagree 8pm.**