

# 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.

### VIGIL & SUNDAY MASSES FOR SAT. 14<sup>th</sup> JULY & SUN. 15<sup>th</sup> JULY

<b>RATHMORE</b>	<b>Sat 14<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm</b>	<b>John Leader, Cahirbarnagh Denis Murphy, West End Jeremiah Cronin, Bleak House CHERNOBYL CHILDREN ATTENDING</b>
<b>GNEEVEGUILLA</b>	<b>Sat 14<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm</b>	<b>Patrick &amp; John Cremin &amp; their parents Mary &amp; Philip, Renasup Martha Ashe &amp; her daughter-in-law Amber, Sliabh Luachra Estate Helen O'Sullivan, I/o Umeraboy &amp; Milltown</b>
<b>SHRONE</b>	<b>Sun 15<sup>th</sup> 9.00am</b>	<b>Donors Intention</b>
<b>KNOCKNAGREE</b>	<b>Sun 15<sup>th</sup> 10.00am</b>	<b>Eugene O'Sullivan, Knocknagree Denis &amp; Catherine Mary Dennehy, Nohoval Tadhgíe Sheehan, Tureencahill (3<sup>rd</sup> Anniv.) &amp; his parents Jeremiah &amp; Nora Sheehan. Peggy Buckley &amp; deceased of Buckley family, Knocknagree</b>
<b>RATHMORE</b>	<b>Sun 15<sup>th</sup> 11.30am</b>	<b>Hannah Mary Moynihan, Knockdurath</b>



### GNEEVEGUILLA

**Sat 21<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm** Kevin & Mary O'Donoghue, Lisheen  
Jimmy & Joan Looney, Cottage

### RATHMORE

**Mon 16<sup>th</sup> 8.00pm** BEHINAUGH CEMETERY MASS

**Tues 17<sup>th</sup> 9.30am** People of the Parish

**Wed 18<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm** Margaret O'Connor Presbytery View (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.) &  
Remembering her husband Denis

**Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> 8.00pm** OLD CHAPEL CEMETERY MASS

**Fri 20<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm** P. J. Cronin, Kilquane

**Sat 21<sup>st</sup> 6.00pm** Nora O'Reilly, East End (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)

**Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> 11.30am** Betty Cremin, Ard Mhuire  
Jerry & Phil O'Connell & deceased of O'Connell family Bealnadeega  
Noreen & Paddy Doyle, East End & Noreen's brother Humphrey  
Kerins, Scartaglen

### KNOCKNAGREE

**Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> 10.00am** Denis O'Sullivan, Mountcain  
Andy & Kathleen O'Sullivan, Knocknagree  
Mary, Daniel & Donie Hickey, Mountcain

### SHRONE

**Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> 9.00am** John O'Callaghan, Gortnagown  
CHERNOBYL CHILDREN ATTENDING

**Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P. (086)8351732 is the priest on duty TODAY SUNDAY for emergency and sick calls**

### 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 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.



## **EUCHARISTIC 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**



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)

**PRAYER & SYMPATHY:** To Michael & Sheila Courtney, Shanballa, on the death of Michael's mother **Sheila Courtney**, Killarney, whose funeral took place in Killarney on Friday. May **Sheila** rest in peace and may all who mourn her loss be comforted.

### **WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES:**

Our parish has secured extra tickets for the Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park which will take place on Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> August. If there are still people or families interested please contact parish office for tickets.

**JOY OF THE FAMILY:** Join our journey of Praying for families as we prepare to welcome Pope Francis to Ireland in August. We remember our own family, our friends and relations, the families in our parish, in our community, in our diocese and throughout the world, The Prayer Intention for this week is: *Praying for families experiencing addictive behaviours.*

**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.

**STREAMING OF RATHMORE CHURCH MASSES:** Masses from Rathmore Church can now be viewed online. Google MCN Media – when the MCN page opens, enter Rathmore in the search box in the top right hand corner. Next an image of Rathmore Church will appear – double click this image. Weekend and Weekday masses will be shown automatically. Re – weddings and funerals, these will only be shown if families request.

**LOUGH DERG 2018:** The Three Day Pilgrimage is currently open. You may begin on any day until Monday 13<sup>th</sup> August. Advance booking is not necessary. The Lough Derg team can help you to co-ordinate public transport or link up with Pilgrimage Organisers in your locality, phone Lorraine on 071 9861518 email: [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

### **A Better World**

Being a follower of Jesus means to be 'sent out'. Our spiritual lives ought to be visible on the outside through our actions and dealings with others. The disciples are sent in twos for companionship but also as a team; one person cannot have all the gifts and there is support in working with another.

We might interpret the many demons that they cast out as all those things in the world that are not of the Spirit, the injustices in the world. Jesus sends the disciples out to work for a better world, to bring more love, compassion and peace to those that they encounter. They go and urge people to repent, to turn around. This is one of the goals of their mission and Jesus' mission: to turn the world around.

Jesus' instructions to shake the dust from their feet when they feel unwelcome may seem harsh at first. We too may fear rejection and when we experience it, it can leave us feeling exhausted and upset. Perhaps the message here is to free ourselves and move on; to not let that disappointment and upset control our lives because if we do, we lose our freedom, it holds us back and it starts to define us. In the midst of that experience, our true mission can become lost. As we prepare to welcome Pope Francis to Ireland, let us go out and bring joy and hope to those we encounter.

**'You might be the only gospel which people read'**