RATHMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

VIGIL & SUNDAY MASSES FOR SAT. 18th AUGUST & SUN. 19th AUGUST

18th 6.00pm **RATHMORE** Sat Nellie & Dick Wiseman, Carrigaline

Dan O'Mahony, London & I/o Mounthorgan

KNOCKNAGREE Sat 18th 7.30pm Rita & Flor Collins, Nohoval Fr. Connie Moynihan, Knocknagree

Timmy Collins, Knocknagree & his daughter Maria O'Keeffe,

Kilcummin Timmie Brosnan, Lacka (15th Anniv.) Dan & Nellie

Lehane, Tureen, & their son Noel Lehane, Cullen

19th 9.00am **Donors Intention** SHRONE Sun

19th 10.00am Trish Creagh McLarnon, Knocknageeha (3rd Anniv.) **GNEEVEGUILLA Sun**

Sun 19th 11.30am RATHMORE Francis Moynihan, Islanderagh

Donal Casey, Clounts



MONDAY 20th AUGUST TO SUNDAY 26th AUGUST 2018

9.30am GNEEVEGUILLA: People of the Parish Mon

Tues 21st 6.10pm Bells to be rung in all churches across the diocese

Tues 21st 6.15pm ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL Killarney

Special Mass to mark opening of World Meeting of Families 2018

"Over 11,000 people from 116 countries will be coming to Ireland for the five day event of WMOF 2018 beginning this Wednesday. In many cases whole families will be coming. From our diocese 236 people have signed up as volunteers and 130 are rehearsing to be part of the choir at the final Mass. The WMOF asks us to reflect on 'family'. The visit of the Pope asks us to reflect also on our faith in God, -God who through Jesus Christ has revealed himself to us as at the heart of everything in our world. With Pope Francis let this be a special week in all our homes. Ponder, pray for, and work for 'family life', and for living 'the Christian life of faith, hope and love'." (Excerpts from Pastoral Message WMOF2018 -Bishop Ray)

Wed 22nd 9.30am RATHMORE: **Donors Intention** Thurs 23rd 9.30am KNOCKNAGREE: Donors Intention Fri 24th 7.30pm GNEEVEGUILLA: Donors Intention

6.00pm RATHMORE:

Sat 7.30pm KNOCKNAGREE: Michael Joe & Julia Mai Herlihy, Park

Fr. Jerry Sheehan, Limerick & I/o Umeraboy

26th 9.00am SHRONE: Sun **Donors Intention** 26th 10.00am GNEEVEGUILLA: Donors Intention Sun 26th 11.30am RATHMORE: **Donors Intention** Sun



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

Donors Intention

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 Phone enquiries July to December (064) 7761669.

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25th

Sat

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK

10am to 9pm in Gneeveguilla - Tuesday 10am to 9pm Knocknagree - Wednesday Adomion 10am to 9pm in Rathmore - Thursday Shrone – 4pm to 5pm Thursday & 9-11am Friday

ROSE OF TRALEE: The Rose of Tralee festival begins this week and one young person from our parish takes part - Clodagh O'Callaghan from Carrigaline, is a Rose-Bud. We hope she has a really enjoyable time.

In our own parish we have some extra tickets available for Papal Mass at Phoenix Park on next Sunday. If you or someone you know are interested please contact the parish office.

LOOKING FOR YOUR HELP! We are inviting and encouraging parishioners who would like to help in any way in our Churches. Please forward your name and contact details to the parish office. Fr. Pat and members of the Parish Pastoral council will make contact with parishioners also. We are looking for new members in all ministries but especially Eucharistic Ministers and two new ministries – Ministry of Consolation who would assist at the time of funerals as part of the Funeral Team and Ministry of Welcome who would welcome and connect with parishioners and new people to our parish at weekend masses.

Also we are looking for photos for our 2019 Parish Calendar and if you have any of parish events, local scenery, nature, etc. we would be delighted to receive them. Again you can drop them into the Parish Office. Looking forward to hearing from you.....

BOOKING OF MASSES: With the reduction in Masses and the availability of priests in our parish, it is no longer possible to meet all the requests for Masses. Priority is given to Months Mind and 1st Anniversary Masses — we will endeavour always to have these intentions on their own. All other Masses may be shared. Please note that all of these shared Masses must be booked prior to being published on the newsletter.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2019: It would be very helpful for planning purposes if First Anniversary Masses

<u>for 2019 were arranged before October 31st</u>. All other Mass intentions for 2019 will be taken from Thursday 1st November. You can arrange this by telephoning the Parish Office during office hours.

WATERFORD/S.E. CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE: Open to all "Launch out into the deep" Sat. Sept.8th & Sun. Sept.9th 10am start both days The Rhu Glenn Hotel, Slieverue, Co.Kilkenny 051 832242 Speakers: Dr.Mary Healy (USA) Fr.Brendan Walsh SCA Bishop Alphonsus Cullinan Further info:Sile 086 8590394 Weekend €25. Pre-booking not necessary.

RECENT CHURCH GATE COLLECTIONS: the National Council for the Blind held a Church Gate Collection in Rathmore, Gneeveguilla and Shrone on weekending 4th/5th August and the total collected was €1038.40. Last weekend the amount collected for the diocesan collection for Pastoral & Retreat Centres was €1145. Your generous support is greatly appreciated.

OFFICIAL FAMILY PRAYER FOR WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018

God, our Father,

We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,

One family, in the Spirit of your love.

Bless us with the joy of love.

Make us patient and kind,

gentle and generous,

welcoming to those in need.

Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.

Protect all families with your loving care,

Especially those for whom we now pray:

[We pause and remember family members and others by name].

Increase our faith,

Strengthen our hope,

Keep us safe in your love,

Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share.

This we ask, through Christ our Lord, Amen

Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.

Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.

Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.

Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.



