

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. 30th JUNE & SUN. 1st July

RATHMORE	Sat 30th 6.00pm	Bridget Dineen, Clounts Mamie & Patrick Nagle, Rathmore Frank Buckley, Cahill's Bar (4th Anniv.) Elaine Lowe, Sliabh Luachra Gretta Sheahan, Nohoval
KNOCKNAGREE	Sat 30th 7.30pm	Catherine Fleming, Killarney & I/o Knocknagree (1st Anniv.)
SHRONE	Sun 1st 9.00am	Donors Intention
GNEEVEGUILLA	Sun 1st 10.00am	Sr. Mary Linehan, I/o Tureencahill (Months Mind)
RATHMORE	Sun 1st 11.30am	Anne Sheehan, Lissyconnor Corneilus & Eily Hickey, Aunaskirtane Bridget Cahill I/o Inches



GNEEVEGUILLA

Mon 2nd 9.30am	Donors Intention
Sat 7th 7.30pm	Tim & Margaret O'Connor, Mausroun Bridget & Con Casey, Leam

RATHMORE

Tues 3rd 9.30am	Donors Intention
Wed 4th 9.30am	Donors Intention
FIRST FRIDAY 6th 7.30pm	Francis, Hannah, Ann & Paud O'Donoghue, Rathbeg Noreen Long, Inches
FIRST FRIDAY 6th 8.00pm	<u>DIVINE MERCY PRAYER IN THE CHURCH</u>
Sat 7th 6.00pm	Jimmy, John, Julia & Patrick Meade, Gortnahaneboye East Denis & Mary O'Leary, School Place John & Margaret Crowley & their son Michael & John's brother Patrick Crowley, Knocknacople Paud Dineen, Hollymount

Sun 8th 11.30am	Donors Intention
Thurs 5th 9.30am	Donors Intention
Sun 8th 10.00am	Dan O'Connor, Nohoval Lower (Months Mind)

SHRONE

FIRST FRIDAY 6th 6.00pm	Donors Intention
Sun 8th 9.00am	Agnes Linehan (nee Reen) Killarney & I/o Corran & her parents Jeremiah & Bridie Reen

Fr. Jim Kennelly (087)2401331 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

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.



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



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 Brian Kelly, Rathmore on the death of his aunt Bríd Sugrue (nee Kelly), Killarney whose funeral took place in Gneeveguilla on Monday. May Bríd rest in peace and may all who mourn her 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. 26th August. If there are still people or families interested please contact parish office.

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 rejoicing in the innocence of children*

Keep in touch with our Parish Website 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.

CEMETERY MASSES Mon. 16th July - Behinaugh 8pm Thurs 19th July – Old Chapel 8pm

ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE: Growing Old Gracefully: Facilitated by Fr. John Dunne & Mary Glynn. Due to popular demand a New Guided Participative Experience now scheduled from Fri. 13th to Sun. 15th July. Book now to secure your reservation. Contact: 0667134276 or ardfertretreat@eircom.net

Foyer de Charite: Fr. Kilian Byrne, 6 Day Silent Retreat. Mon. 13th to Sun. 19th Aug. Information/booking contact: Helen - 0861678027 hellywilliams@gmail.com

CURA service provision ceased on 15 June 2018. Cura expressed its appreciation for all support received by CURA from parishes and Dioceses over its 41 years of operation.

"I am conscious today of all the people who were part of Cura in Kerry through the years. And also of all the people who used their services. So much compassion, so much care, so much practical assistance to people in their hour of need. Thank God for all that Cura has achieved over the years. Cura was truly pro-life." Bishop Ray

ACCORD changed their phone number some time ago. The following is the correct phone number for parishioners who wish to do a Pre Marriage course or enquire about Relationship Counselling. 064 6633612

LOUGH DERG 2018: The Three Day Pilgrimage is currently open. You may begin on any day until Monday 13th 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

END OF YEAR FOR OUR SCHOOLS: We wish the school community of our 6 primary schools and Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra safe and enjoyable summer holidays and May the Lord keep us all safe and well. A special welcome to all who will be visiting our Parish over the summer.

A DIFFICULT HILL: When we are burdened and exhausted, even a minor problem can seem too big for us to handle. As we encounter a trial in life, we are tempted to sit down at the base of that difficult hill and stay there, convinced that the grade is too steep for us. That is why we need the encouragement of God's Word. It draws our attention to our untiring God, who knows our need. Because we so easily misjudge life's difficulties, we need courage to keep going when we are tempted to quit. Take a step of faith today and join those who depend on the Lord, who run and are not weary, who walk and do not faint. In His strength, you can conquer any difficult hill. As we live for Christ and follow Him, The way may seem quite steep; But if we trust His grace and strength, Our steps He will guide and keep. God always gives enough strength for the next step. He gives power to the weak, and to those who have no might He increases strength.