# 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.

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WEEKEND MASSES FOR SAT. SEPTEMBER 30th & SUN. OCTOBER 1st					
RATHMORE Sat 30 <sup>th</sup> 6.00pm Freddie Murphy, Kilquane					
	Mary Theresa O'Connor, Beann, Knockdurath				
	Philip & John & all the Cronin Family, Hollymount				
	Johnny Looney, Lissyconnor				
	Denis & Kitty Hickey, Knocknaloman				
GNEEVEGUILLA Sat 30 <sup>th</sup> 7.30pm					
GNEEVEGOILLA Sat 30 7.30pm	Eileen Holland (nee Gleeson) Killarney & Mountroger (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv)				
CUDONE Cure 1st 0.000mm	and remembering her husband Michael Holland				
SHRONE Sun 1 <sup>st</sup> 9.00am	Donors Intention				
KNOCKNAGREE Sun 1 <sup>st</sup> 10.00am	Donors Intention				
RATHMORE Sun 1 <sup>st</sup> 11.30am	Andy O'Sullivan, Presbytery View				
	<u>Gneeveguilla</u> See Mass Intentions				
Fis With Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> 6.30pm Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> 8.00pm	Donors Intentions				
$\mathcal{A}$ $\mathcal{A}$ $\mathcal{A}$ $\mathcal{A}$ Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> 8.00pm	Enrolment ceremony for First Holy Communion & Confirmation				
<sup>6</sup> Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> 10.00am	Brian Kelly, Gullane				
	Donie Fitzgerald, Renasup				
	Patrick Brosnan, Knockrour East, Scartaglen				
r	Agnes Barrett, Cottage				
	Rathmore				
Tue 3 <sup>rd</sup> 7.30pm	(Please note change of time) People of the Parish				
Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup> 8.00pm	Enrolment ceremony for First Holy Communion & Confirmation				
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> 7.30pm	Mary & Timmie Dineen, Old Chapel				
-	- DIVINE MERCY PRAYER IN THE CHURCH				
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup> 6.00pm	Kathy & David O'Leary, Nohovaldaly & their son Jerry				
Sat 7 0.00pm					
	Babe Moynihan, The Bridge Bridia Homeon, Tasak an Churaim (4 <sup>th</sup> Annin )				
Sun 8th 11.30am	Bridie Hannon, Teach an Churaim (4 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.)				
	<u>Knocknagree</u>				
	Donors Intention				
	Brenda Carmody, Knocknagree (Months Mind)				
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup> 7.30pm	Dan & Rosie Keane & their son Frank, Farrankeale				
	Tess & Philip Twomey, East End, Rathmore				
	Thomas Garvey, Shanballa				
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FIRST FRIDAY 6 <sup>th</sup> 6.00pm	Shrone   Michael & Margaret Scannell, Shronebeg   Nora & Dan Joe Scannell, Shronemore				
	Nora & Dan Joe Scannell, Shronemore Am Lora				
Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> 9.00am	Donors Intention				
Fr. John Fitzgerald (087)7752948 is	the priest on duty on this 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 - Wed. and Thurs. 4pm to 7pm - Friday 11 am to 2pm					
COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER - (064)7761669					
<u>COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER</u> : Email correspondence relating to the Community Newsletter to communitynewsletter@rathmoreparish.ie					
DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER the community newsletter will be compiled by <u>PARISH OFFICE</u> and all phone enquiries to (064)7761669. Short term ads, must be paid for in advance to the Parish Office before 12.30pm Tues to be guaranteed inclusion the					
following weekend.					
Fr. Dot O'Donnoll D.D. 096/9251722					

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK - 10am to 9	pm					
Gneeveguilla – Tuesday Knocknagree – Wednesday Rathmore –	Thursday					
INVITATION TO OUR OCTOBER TALKS - COME AS YOU ARE - DROMTARIFFE	PARISH					
We are blessed in acquiring these outstanding speakers who will give spoken & personal witness during evening Mass						
to "What My Faith Has Meant To Me" The programme is as follows:						
7.30pm Mass Thursday October 12th Derrinagree Church Speaker: Michael O'Muirche	eataigh					
7.30pm Mass Thursday 19th October Dromagh Church Speaker: Joan Freeman – Pie	eta House					
7.30pm Mass Thursday October 26th Dromagh Church Speaker: Senator Ronán Mu	ıllen					
We hope you can make all three nights for these inspirational talks. Dromtariffe Parish Pastoral Cou	uncil					

**FATIMA CENTENARY:** The sixth and final apparition of Our Lady at Fatima will be commemorated with a YOUTH MASS at 7.30pm on Friday October 13<sup>th</sup> at the church of the Holy Rosary Gneeveguilla. Celebrant is Fr. Jim Linehan. As with Youth 2000, the age of 16 to 35 is particularly welcome but no one is excluded from this celebration.

#### **ENROLMENT CEREMONIES FOR FIRST COMMUNION & COMFIRMATION**

Holy Family, Shrone & Hollymount N.S. - **Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct. 8pm** - Rathmore Church Gneeveguilla, Meentogues & Knocknagree N.S. - **Wed. 4<sup>th</sup> Oct. 8pm** - Gneeveguilla Church

## **TALK FOR PARENTS OF COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION CHILDREN**

Talk for parents of Confirmation children – **Mon. 16<sup>th</sup> Oct. 8pm** in Holy Family N.S. Talk for parents of Communion children – **Thurs. 26<sup>th</sup> Oct. 8pm** in Holy Family N.S.

### FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION IN OUR PARISH

Sacrament of Confirmation - Tues. 13<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2018 (Shrove Tuesday) @3.30pm in Rathmore The following are the dates for First Communion in our churches:

SHRONE -	SATURDAY	28 <sup>th</sup> APRIL	(Shrone N.S. & Hollymount N.S.)
RATHMORE -	SATURDAY	5 <sup>th</sup> MAY	(Holy Family N.S.)
KNOCKNAGREE –	SATURDAY	12 <sup>th</sup> MAY	(Knocknagree N.S.)
GNEEVEGUILLA -	SATURDAY	19 <sup>th</sup> MAY	(Gneeveguilla N.S. & Meentogues N.S.)

**THE DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY** "How can parish support family life?" will take place on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October in the Brandon Hotel, Tralee from 2.00-6.00pm. This is for Clergy and all members of the Parish Pastoral Council, Liturgy group, Youth Ministers, Parish Secretaries and Sacristans. <u>We would encourage as many as possible from these groups to attend</u> - Please text 0862439645 so that we can register before September 25<sup>th</sup>. Thank You Fr. Pat **SELF HELP AFRICA:** THANKS TO ALL WHO SUPPORTED THEIR ANNUAL Church Gate collection in Knocknagree

last weekend Amount collected €440.

**LEGION OF MARY:** Praying through the intercession of the servant of God Frank Duff. The monthly prayer meeting of hymns, prayers and intercession will be held this Monday 2nd at 7.30 in the parish centre in Currow. You are all most welcome. **THE FRIARY, KILLARNEY:** The annual feast of St Francis will be celebrated on **Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> of October at the 11.30am mass.** The Blessing of all animals will take place at **3.30pm outside the Friary church.** 

The Friary Mass Office & Bookshop are open from Monday to Saturday from 9.30am to 5.50pm (open during lunch).

#### The 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Gneeveguilla Church

Canon J O'Sullivan was born in Kenmare in 1866, he was ordained on the 20th of June, 1886. He received a donation of money from his brother and put it towards the building of the much needed church in Gneeveguilla." In the presence of two thousand parishioners, Rev. Dr. O'Brien, Bishop of Kerry, opened, consecrated and dedicated the new church at 11 o'clock on the 10th of October, 1937. Having blessed the exterior first, the bishop on his way to the main entrance was met by the architect, Mr. Robinson who presented him with a gold key. With the key he opened the church and then consecrated the interior. It is dedicated to "Our Lady of the Holy Rosary". The bishop then presided over solemn high mass which was concelebrated by over twenty priests. The choir was prepared by Sr. Assumpta, Rathmore and conducted by Mrs. O'Leary. Other singers were James Donnelly, Kitty O'Connor, Lizzie Linehan, Nora O'Rourke and her sister Kitty O'Leary. *(The 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our church will be celebrated at 10am Mass on Sunday October 15<sup>th</sup>)*