

RATHMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

VIGIL & SUNDAY MASSES FOR SAT. 4th AUGUST & SUN. 5th AUGUST

RATHMORE	Sat 4th 6.00pm	Joe Crowley, Ard Mhuire
		James & Abina O'Donoghue, Cahirbarnagh
KNOCKNAGREE	Sat 4th 7.30pm	Bill Rahilly, Shanballa
		Abbie & Jerh Moynihan, Lacka
		Nora & Denis Ring, Lacka & deceased of Fleming & Ring families
SHRONE	Sun 5th 9.00am	Denis & Mary Cremin, Shronebeg
GNEEVEGUILLA	Sun 5th 10.00am	Sonny Riordan, Tureencahill
		Seamus O'Sullivan, Quarry Cross
		Denis Murphy, Lisheen & his parents Jerry & Mary Murphy, Scrahanaveal
RATHMORE	Sun 5th 11.30am	Denis & Kitty Hickey, Knocknaloman



GNEEVEGUILLA

Sun 12th 10.00am **Con & Mary Cronin, Goulane**
John Brosnan, Knockrour East, Scartaglen

RATHMORE

Mon 6th 11.00am **Donors Intention – PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

Tues 7th 9.30am **People of the Parish**

Wed 8th 7.30pm **Paddy Buckley, Knocknacopple & deceased of Buckley family**
Patrick & Ellen Dineen, Old Chapel & deceased of Dineen family
Kate Culloty, Maulykevane
Hannah Dennehy, Couterough

Fri 10th 7.30pm **Tadhgie Horan, Ard Mhuire (1st Anniv.)**

Sat 11th 6.00pm **Charlie McCarthy, Ballycullane**

Sun 12th 11.30am **Sheila O'Connor, Moulagow**
Margaret Kelleher, Shinnagh Upper

KNOCKNAGREE

Thurs 9th 9.30am **Donors Intention**

Sat 11th 7.30pm **Donors Intention**

SHRONE

Sun 12th 9.00am **Donors Intention**



Fr. Jim Kennelly P.P. (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)

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COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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Phone enquiries July to December (064) 7761669.

Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P. (086)8351732



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

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 who are homeless.

PRAYER & SYMPATHY: To Dr. Tony McDonnell, Old Road, on the death of his brother **Frankie McDonnell**, Glenageary, Co. Dublin & l/o Cork, whose funeral took place on Monday 30th July in Shanganagh. To Mary O'Sullivan, Main St., Rathmore on the death of her brother **Philip O'Sullivan**, Castlerosse Cottages, Killarney whose funeral took place on Tuesday 31st July in Killarney. May **Frankie and Philip** rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION –

MASSES IN THE PARISH FOR FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

- ON TUESDAY AUGUST 14th – 6pm Rathmore and 7.30pm Knocknagree
- ON WEDNESDAY AUGUST 15th - 9am Shrone and 10am Gneeveguilla

RECENT CHURCH GATE COLLECTIONS: A big thank you to all who helped with the "Kerry needy in England" collection and to all who supported us over the weekend. This is a very worthy cause and it is very much appreciated. We collected a total of €1293.74 in the parish over the weekend.

The Rathmore branch of Kerry Parents and Friends wish to thank you for your generosity in their recent Church Gate collection. A sum total of €1419 was collected. Thank You.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND: A second collection at all Masses next weekend Sat. 11th and Sun. 12th for Pastoral & Retreat centres. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

LEGION OF MARY: This year's Catholic Young Adults Conference to be held on 1/2nd September, in All Hallows, Dublin. It is a weekend event, organised by the Legion of Mary at which large numbers of young adults attend. Last year over 230 attended and enjoyed the event. The programme includes workshops, testimonies, discussion. The young people come together to share and discuss their faith. On the Saturday night, there is music and entertainment.

The Legion of Mary in Kerry are sponsoring two young adults between 18 and 40 to come to Dublin for the conference. They don't have to be practising Catholics but have goodwill towards the Church. Contact Patricia 0879048659.

BLOOD DONATION CLINIC: The Irish Blood Transfusion Service will hold a Blood Donor clinic in **St. Joseph's Day Care Centre, RATHMORE 6pm – 9pm Thursday 9th August 2018.** Blood Donation is essential to ensure Hospital Patients get the treatment they need. One Donation can save up to 3 Lives Full details of all clinics and on Giving Blood can be found on www.giveblood.ie or by telephoning 021 4807400 or 1850 731 137.

LOUGH DERG 2018: You may begin the Three Day Pilgrimage on any day up to and including Monday 13th August. Advance booking is not necessary. For information regarding public transport telephone Lorraine on 071 9851518 (from NI 00353 71 9861518). info@loughderg.org www.loughderg.org

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 for 2019 were arranged before October 31st.** 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.

AUGUST HOLIDAY WEEKEND: We extend a warm welcome to all visitors to our parish this holiday weekend. May God's love and protection give all of us a safe and happy time.

LIFE IS... Life is not a problem to be solved, but rather a gift to be enjoyed.