

# 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.

### WEEKEND MASSES FOR SAT. SEPTEMBER 9th & SUN. SEPTEMBER 10th

<b>RATHMORE</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>Alice &amp; Eugene Buckley, Old Chapel</b> <b>John Sheehan, Lissyconnor</b> <b>Gerard Cronin, Knockdurath</b> <b>Betty Coughlan, Rathmore</b> <b>Patrick O'Callaghan, Clounts</b> <b>Siobhan Monahan</b>
<b>GNEEVEGUILLA</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>The O'Keeffe family, Newquarter</b> <b>Patrick McGillicuddy, Leam (40<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)</b>
<b>SHRONE</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Nora Lenihan, Gortdarrig</b>
<b>KNOCKNAGREE</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Jim Kelleher, Knocknagree</b>
<b>RATHMORE</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>11.30am</b>	<b>Sean Moynihan, Rathbeg</b>



				<u><b>Gneeveguilla</b></u>	 <b>Mass Intentions for the Week</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Donors Intentions</b>		
<b>Sat</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>2.30pm</b>	<b>Funeral Mass for Michael Cronin London &amp; I/o Gattabawn</b>		
				(His ashes will be buried with his parents Pat & Kate Cronin in the Graveyard afterwards)	
<b>Sat</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>Michael Fitzgerald, Gullane</b> <b>Nora O'Sullivan &amp; deceased of O'Sullivan family Knocknageeha</b>		

				<u><b>Rathmore</b></u>	
<b>Tue</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Beginning of year school Mass for Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra</b>		
<b>Wed</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>Denis O'Connor, Presbytery View</b> <b>Nell Reen, Moulagow</b>		
<b>Sat</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>John &amp; Kathleen Fleming I/o Killarney</b> <b>The Hickey Family, West End, Rathmore</b>		
<b>Sun</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>11.30am</b>	<b>John &amp; Eily Reen, Rathbeg East, their daughter Lena &amp; John's brother Gene.</b> <b>Nora Murphy, Rathbeg</b>		



				<u><b>Knocknagree</b></u>	
<b>Mon</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>Ellie Buckley, Mountcain (75<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)</b>		
				(Ellie Buckley, originally from Mountcain, she emigrated to England, trained as a nurse, contacted T.B. and died of the disease. Only recently has it been possible to know the exact date and place of her death. She died 15 <sup>th</sup> September 1942 and was buried in Essex. The Mass is offered in memory of the Buckley family and neighbours who were unable to be present at her funeral.)	
<b>Thur</b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Donors Intention</b>		
<b>Sun</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Donors Intention</b>		

				<u><b>Shrone</b></u>	
<b>Sun</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Donors Intention</b>		

**Fr. Pat (086)8351732 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)

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### COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER - (064)7761669

**COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER:** Email correspondence relating to the Community Newsletter to [communitynewsletter@rathmoreparish.ie](mailto:communitynewsletter@rathmoreparish.ie) DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER the community newsletter will be compiled by PARISH OFFICE 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.

**PRAYER & SYMPATHY:** To Eileen O'Donnell (nee O'Leary) formerly of Leam, Gneeveguilla and her children Sinead and Eoin on the death of her husband **Keith O'Donnell**, Faha, Killarney whose funeral took place in Aghadoe on Thursday. To Noreen O'Leary, Barradubh and Mary Carmody, Knocknagree on the death of their mother **Brenda Carmody** whose funeral took place on today Saturday in Knocknagree. May **Keith** and **Brenda** rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.

### **ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE**

**Gathering for Parish Contact People:** Bishop Ray Browne, Mon. Sept. 18<sup>th</sup>, 7.00pm-9.30pm.

**Human and Religious Development as Catholic Christians:** Fr. Sean Sheehy, (8weeks) each Wed. starting Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>, 7.00pm-8.30pm.

**The Practice of Lectio Divina:** Fr. Brendan Clifford, (2 weeks) Thurs. Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> & Thurs. Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>, 7.00pm-9.30pm.

**Marian Movement Cenacle:** Don Laurent Larroque & other priests, Fri. Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>, 6.30pm-9.30pm.

**Meditation in Movement - Sacred Circle Dance:** Bernie McCaffrey, Sat. 30<sup>th</sup> Sept., 10.00am-1.00pm.

**Contact Ardfert Retreat Centre 0667134276**

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2018:** It would be very helpful for planning purposes if **First Anniversary Masses for end of 2017 and for 2018 were arranged before October 31<sup>st</sup>**. All other Mass intentions for 2018 will be taken from Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November. You can arrange this by telephoning the Parish Office during office hours.

**RECENT DIOCESAN COLLECTION** - Diocesan Needs Collection taken up at all masses last weekend raised €1100. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank You.

### **YOUTH MUSIC MINISTRY WORKSHOP - SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7<sup>TH</sup> 2017**

Following the success of last year's workshop there will be another day for youth music ministers on Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup> 2017 at St. Brendan's College, (The Sem) Killarney, Co. Kerry. The workshop will be presented by Derek Mahady (Midlands based Liturgical musician) and Aine Murray (Kerry based musician). More details and application forms to follow. Registration for the workshop will begin at 10:30am. Contact Tomás Kenny for more details on [tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie) or on 086 3683778.

**FATIMA CENTENARY:** On this Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> at 12 midday, a rosary (5 decades) will be recited by the National School children at the Church of the Holy Rosary, Gneeveguilla. Parents and grandparents are particularly invited to this rosary, which celebrates the fifth apparition of Our Lady at Fatima, 100 years ago on this day.

**LEGION OF MARY KILLARNEY:** Next Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September is the commemoration of the 5<sup>th</sup> visit of Our Lady to Fatima in 1917. The statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be on Main St, outside Macs Restaurant. The Chaplet and Rosary will be recited at 3 p.m. Appealing to everyone to come and pray and witness.

**A TIME FOR CREATION WORKSHOP** on "Reducing Food Waste and Composting: simple practical ways with Donal O'Leary" @ 8pm in John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Killarney on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September. The workshop is free of charge and all are welcome.

### **REFLECTION**

Lord, we thank you for the times when we feel we are failures,  
not worthy of being loved, we withdraw from those closest to us,  
lost in self-pity, like a sheep wandering around the hills,  
or a coin on the floor hidden in the dust,  
and you send us people who seek us out  
– spiritual directors, parents, teachers, friends.  
They leave their ninety-nine other preoccupations and  
give us their undivided attention,  
take our burdens on themselves,  
like a shepherd taking a lost sheep on his shoulders.  
They seem so happy to be with us that we feel  
we are more important to them  
than all those who never gave them any trouble.  
*Lord, these people reveal to us how You love us.*

