## **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. FEBRUARY 8th & SUN. FEBRUARY 9th				
Sat.	8 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	RATHMORE	Greg Moynihan, Mill Road & his grandmother, Kathy
			Ke	lleher, Islanderagh & his cousin Jason Kelleher, Shinnagh
				Patrick Duggan, Shrone
Sat.	8 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	KNOCKNAGREE	NOVENA MASS - Fr. Joe Tarrant
				Phyllis Hickey, Scrahan (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv.)
				Jack, Norrie, Denis & Pat McCarthy, Knocknagree
				Abina Herlihy, Park, Knocknagree
Sun.	9 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	SHRONE	Thomas Joe & Bridget O'Connor, Moulagow
Sun.	9 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	GNEEVEGUILLA	Humphrey, Mary & Tim Moynihan, Reaboy
Sun.	9 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	RATHMORE	Jerh & Mary Kelly, Rathmore Townland & their
				daughter Eileen Barker I/o New York
Sun.	9 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	KNOCKNAGREE	NOVENA PRAYER SERVICE – Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P.
	R	Mass Intentions	MONDAY 10th	FEBRUARY TO SUNDAY 16th FEBRUARY 2020
Mon	10 <sup>th</sup>	101 1110 11 001	KNOCKNAGREE NO	OVENA MASS - Fr. Dan O'Riordan
"Our Lady of the Shrines"				
FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES – TUESDAY 11 <sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY				
Tues.	11 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am		Centre – Mass for the Sick with anointing –
	••			All Welcome
Tues.	11 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	KNOCKNAGREE	CLOSING NOVENA MASS - Fr. Pat McCarthy
		-		I be taken up and used to send some worthy
person from the parish to Lourdes.				
Wed.		7.30pm	RATHMORE	Mary Moynihan, Brú na sinsir (4 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.)
				Pat Joe & Connie O'Keeffe, Shinnagh
Thurs	13 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	GNEEVEGUILLA	Donors Intention
Thurs	13 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	GNEEVEGUILLA	Penitential Service and taking of Pledge for
		-		Confirmation Candidates
Fri	14 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	RATHMORE	Eileen & Jeremiah Murphy, Corran & their son Jerry &
		-		his friend Sean Murphy
Sat.	15 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	RATHMORE	Michael (Mick) Nagle, Rathmore Townland (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.)
Sat.	15 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm 🤤	KNOCKNAGREE	Chris & Andrew O'Rahilly, Shanballa & their son Bill
		۵.	Š 🖉	Kathleen Cronin, Cahirbarnagh
		Here I		John Ring, Tureenglanahee & his parents Tim & Mary
		f and		Betty Shine O'Connell, Tureen
	0	im Lora		Peter & Peggy Leader, Tureenglanahee
Sun.	16 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am 🚬	SHRONE	Timothy & Johanna O'Donoghue, Gortdarrig & their
				sons John & Patrick
				Sheila O'Callaghan, Gortnagown
Sun.	16 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	GNEEVEGUILLA	Catherine, Willie, Denis & Denny McCarthy, Gneeveguilla
				Muriel Moore, I/o Manhattan & Goulane
_				Hannah Mary O'Sullivan, Gneeveguilla
Sun.	16 <sup>th</sup>		RATHMORE	Julie O'Leary, West End (Months Mind)
Fr. Tom Leane P.P. (029)78096 &(087)2300565is the priest on duty this Sunday for emergency and sick calls				
ST. VINCENT DEPAUL – LOCAL CONFIDENTIAL CONTACT: 087 3462332				
Our Parish Representatives for Child Protection: Han Donnelly 087 1249461 (Gneeveguilla) Margaret McGrath				
089 4182683 (Rathmore), Ber Murphy 087 6468620 (Shrone) Betty Moynihan 087 6186091 (Knocknagree				
Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P. 064 7758026 / 086 8351732				
PARISH OFFICE - (064) 7761669 or rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie				
Opening hours: Mon. and Tues. 9.30am to 12.30pm. Wednesday 4pm to 7 pm. CLOSED THURSDAY Friday 11 am to 2pm				
COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER - (064)7758219 or <u>communitynewsletter@rathmoreparish.ie</u>				

**HEARTFELT SYMPATHY & PRAYERS:** To Julia O'Callaghan, Knockdurath, on the death of her sister Mary and brother-in-law Eddie Kelliher, Kilcummin who both died recently and whose funerals took place in Kilquane. May **Mary & Eddie** rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted by the love, support and kindness of family and friends.

#### Novena to Our Lady of Lourdes continues in Knocknagree

Rosary will be recited before Mass on each night of the Novena. It will commence at 7.40pm before 8pm Masses. Also a reminder that there will be Mass for the Sick with Anointing in St. Joseph's Day Care Centre on Tuesday Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. Healing Mass with anointing on Tues night also at 8pm – closing of Novena in Knocknagree. All are welcome.



Adoration

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK

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

# Valentíne's Day card or instead give words of love and encouragement to the special people in your life – today.

If with pleasure you are viewing any work that I am doing, If you like me or you love me, tell me now. Don't withhold your admiration, till God makes oration, and I lie with snowy lilies o'er my brow.

For no matter how you shouted, I won't care much about it;

I won't see how many tears you have shed.

If you think some praise is due me, now is the time to slip it to me.

For I cannot read my headstone when I am dead.

More than fame and more than money, is the comment warm and sunny,

Is the hearty warm approval of a friend, for it gives a life a savour.

And it makes me stronger, braver, and it gives me spirit right up to the end.

If I earn your praise, bestow it. If you like me, let me know it.

Let the words of true encouragement be said,

Don't wait till life is over and I'm underneath the clover,

For I cannot read my headstone when I'm dead.



HAPPY ST. VALENTINES DAY: May the Lord bless you on this Valentine's Day. May He keep you in His loving care. May He grant you happiness in everything you do. For in everything you seek and share, His love is always with you.

### **Sacrament of Confirmation**

**Thursday Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 8pm Gneeveguilla Church:** Penitential Service and taking of Pledge for Confirmation Candidates **Tuesday February 18<sup>th</sup> 3.30pm Rathmore Church:** Sacrament of Confirmation

**MUSIC WORKSHOP WITH DR. JOHN O' KEEFFE:** Dr. John O' Keeffe will present a workshop of liturgical music on **Tuesday, March 10th 2020 at 7:30pm in John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Killarney.** John will present material from his new collection *Feasts and Seasons II*. The cost for the workshop is  $\leq$ 5.00 per person. The Feasts and Seasons music book and CD will be available to buy on the night for  $\leq$ 15. Contact Tomás Kenny on 086 3683778 or tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie for more information and to book a place.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE: 0667134276:** Ministry in the Church: Bishop (Emeritus) Bill Murphy, Gathering for all Parish Readers, Eucharistic Ministers in the Kerry Diocese, Tues. 18th Feb. 7.30pm-9.30pm.

Love Yourself, Heal Your Life: Juliana Murphy, Fri 28th Feb. to Sun 1st March. Workshop based on the philosophy of Louise Hay. Contact 0872915343. Change your thinking Change Your Life: Juliana Murphy & Anne O' Donnell, 6 week Personal Development Course, starts Tuesday 3rd March, 7.30pm-9.00pm. Contact 0872915343. The work of Byron Katie: Clodagh O'Mara, Fri. 6th to Sun. 8th March, Contact 0863741017. A Creative Writing Weekend Retreat: Madge O'Callaghan, Residential weekend of writing using the AWA method. Fri. 20th to Sun 22nd March. Contact 0863218848.

**TO SOFTEN THE HEART: FRESH WAYS OF HEARING THE LENTEN GOSPELS** Fr Séamus O'Connell, Professor of Sacred Scripture, Maynooth will explore the Lenten gospels on Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup> 10.00 am – 1.00pm in St. Brendan's Pastoral Centre, Upper Rock Street, Tralee. Suggested offering of €5. Booking and further information from (066)7125932. Everyone welcome.