RATHMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Streamed Mass Schedule from St. Joseph's Church Rathmore

Saturday 23rd 7.00pm Denis McCarthy, Ballycullane

'And know that I am

with you always; yes,

to the end of time.'

Paudie Gleeson, Mountroger & deceased of Gleeson & Duffy families

Mella O'Leary, Knocknagree

Michael Moriarty l/o Cahirbarnagh & Ballyferriter

Michael J. Cronin, his brother Johnny & deceased of Cronin family, Shrone

Dan Scannell, Shronebeg

Sunday 24th11.00am Donal & Nonie Hickey, Renasup

Mikie O'Leary, Nohoval & his parents Michael & Margaret & brother

Denny O'Leary

Denis & Hannah Mary Crowley, Gortnaprocess

Daniel & Mary O'Keeffe, Ballinahulla

Dan O'Connell, Knocknagree

Monday 25th 7.00pm Kevin Lynch l/o Birmingham (Memorial Mass)

(Nephew of the late Molly Counihan, West End)

Tuesday 26th 7.00pm Joyce Ward, Dublin Wednesday 27th 7.00pm Special Intentions

Thursday 28th10.00am Special Intention (Please note time)

Friday 29th 7.00pm People of the Parish

Saturday 30th 7.00pm Kathleen & Tim Collins, Gneeveguilla

Daniel & Mary O'Sullivan, Knocknaloman

John Moynihan, East End, William & Ann McAuliffe, Banteer &

deceased of Moynihan & McAuliffe families

Pat O'Mahony, Inchigeela (1st Anniv.)

Sunday 31st11.00am Hannah Mary & Teddy Buckley, Shronemore

Kathleen Nagle, Gortacorrin & her son Mike Nagle, Gortacorrin

Julia O'Mahony, Tureenclassagh (1st Anniv.)

Eileen Long, Killarney & I/o Nohoval

Patrick Foley, Mounthorgan

Denis & Kathy O'Connor, Tureenamult

Fr. Tom Leane P.P. (029)78096 &(087)2300565 is the priest on duty this Sunday for emergency and sick calls

PARISH OFFICE - (064) 7761669 or rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie

Office hours are limited BEHIND CLOSED DOOR but we continue to produce the weekly newsletter to keep in touch with all our parishioners. Booking of Masses, Mass Cards, ads or notices for Community part of Newsletter or any query and we will get back to you. You can leave a message on phone, email or in postbox. NEWSLETTER IN ALL LOCAL BUSINESSES AND ONLINE IN DIOCESE OF KERRY AND RATHMORE PARISH WEBSITE

HEARTFELT PRAYERS & SYMPATHY: To Marie Kelliher & her family, Nora, Jerry, Mike Joe & Donal Óg on the death of **Donal Kelliher**, Corran & I/o Rossacrue, Headford, who passed on Mon. 4th May. **Please keep family, relatives, neighbours and friends of Donal Kelliher in your prayers as they say goodbye to a loved one in a different and difficult time. May they be comforted and supported by the love and prayers of family and friends.**

IN THESE CHALLENGING AND ISOLATING TIMES FOR ANYONE WHO NEEDS HELP, SUPPORT OR EVEN A CHAT - CALL ST. VINCENT DEPAUL RATHMORE BRANCH ON 087 3462332

St. Vincent DePaul is launching an urgent appeal to help those still trapped by poverty during this difficult time. You can donate to the National SVP appeal online - svp.ie Telephone - 0818176176 or Post - Blue envelopes will be in Irish newspapers. You can choose to direct your donation to our local conference which is ST. JOSEPHS CONFERENCE RATHMORE or you can donate directly to our accounts in AIB Millstreet IBAN: IE69AIBK93615406950116 Or Rathmore Credit Union IBAN: IE30RDRN99106300120280 All donations will be greatly appreciated and will be used in our local area which includes

Rathmore - Shrone - Gneeveguilla - Knocknagree - Ballydesmond. God Bless

THANK YOU: I wish to sincerely thank and am very grateful to parishioners who have responded so generously to the Parish finances at this very vulnerable time for all.

Let us continue to look out for one another and find ways to be the loving embrace of God to our neighbours. We are all in this together but apart. Stay safe – Stay well and Stay in touch.

Fr. Pat (086)8351732

TROCAIRE BOXES

Every year Trócaire asks for your help during Lent to fund lifesaving programmes around the world. This year, of course, it was not possible to return Trócaire boxes through the parish in the usual way. This is the worst possible timing coming just as the world's poorest people need us most. Therefore, Trócaire are appealing to you to return your Lenten donation. Simply count or estimate what is in your box and donate in the following ways

1. Online at www.trocaire.org

2. By phone: 1850 408 408

3. By post to Trócaire, Maynooth, Co. Kildare

The contents of each and every Trócaire box, no matter how small, come together to make a significant difference. This virus knows no borders, but neither does our compassion.

THE UNFINISHED PAINTING

Leonardo da Vinci had started to work on a large canvas in his studio. For a while he worked at it – choosing the subject, planning the perspective, sketching the outline, applying the colours, with his own inimitable genius. Then suddenly he stopped working on it. Summoning one of his talented students, the master invited him to complete the work. The horrified student protested that he was both unworthy and unable to complete the great painting which his master had begun. But da Vinci silenced him. "Will not what I have done inspire you to do your best?" Jesus our Master began to spread the Good News two thousand years ago, by what he said and did, and supremely by what he suffered. He illustrated his message, and he has left us to finish the picture. Will his life not inspire us to finish the picture? This is the message of the Ascension

On the Feast of the Ascension we focus our minds and hearts not so much on Jesus' departure from this world but rather on his continued presence among us, albeit in different ways. While his earthly mission concludes with the Ascension, his mission of salvation continues in the Church. We, together, are the Church. We are the Body of Christ which is a sign of God's loving presence to the entire world. We are reminded to assume the responsibility that comes with baptism as we renew our commitment to be the Body of Christ and to loving our neighbour.

Last Word: There is always something to be thankful for!

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Contact: Dan O' Sullivan Bsc. ph. Th Shrone, Rathmore

Phone: 086-8303031 (16/11/2020)

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