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.

Streamed Mass Schedule from St. Joseph's Church Rathmore

Google Search MCN MEDIA KERRY Click the image of St Joseph's Church, Rathmore

We have decided to stream all Masses during the present lockdown from St. Joseph's Church Rathmore because people find it easier to access MCN media.

The following is the schedule

WEEKEND MASSES FOR SAT. OCTOBER 17th & SUN. OCTOBER 18th 2020

Saturday 17th 7.00pm Ciss Riordan, Tureencahill (Months Mind) 18th 11.30am Bridie Horan, Shinnagh (Months Mind Sunday

MONDAY 19th OCTOBER TO SUNDAY 25th OCTOBER 2020

19th 7.00pm **Connie Hickey Gneeveguilla (Months Mind)** Monday

Don Palmer (10th Aniv) Bounard. 20th 9.30am Tuesday

Marie Murphy. EastEnd

People of the Parish Wednesday 21st 7.00pm

Thursday 22nd 9.30am John Tim & Christy Murphy, Knocknagree Village.

Den & Mary Ann Lynch, Convent View Friday 23rd 7.00pm

Mossie Brosnan & deceased members of the Brosnan family Ballycullane

John Kerins, Lisheen (Months Mind) Saturday 24th 7.00pm

Sunday 25th 11.30am Nellie (20th Aniv) & Tade Lehane, Park Knocknagree

> Jerry O'Connell, Tureencaslagh. Brendan & James Carmody, Knocknagree Village John Daly, Renasup. Michael Dineen, Mountinfant. David Brosnan, Mountcain

John & Kathleen Ryan, Ballycullane & John's sister Eileen Riordan.

Mossie Lynch, Gullane Kitty & Denis Hickey, Knocknaloman.

Mary Horan 1/o Kenmare, London & Kilcummin

Fr. Joe Tarrant (029)7751104 &(086)3978642 is the priest on duty this Sunday for emergency and sick calls

PARISH OFFICE - Booking of Masses, Mass Cards, any query, just call, phone or email (064) 7761669 or rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie

MONDAY & TUESDAY 9.30am - 12.30pm

New Opening Times WEDNESDAY **CLOSED**

9.30am - 12.30pm THURSDAY FRIDAY 11.00am - 2.00pm

Please Note:

The Parish Office will close @ 11.30am on Monday 19th Oct due to a Zoom meeting for Parish Secretaries

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER - (064) 7761669 communitynewsletter@rathmoreparish.ie Fr. Pat (086)8351732

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 WE ARE HERE TO HELP. STAY SAFE. THANK YOU

May the beautiful word of God encourage and nourish us in the practice of our faith. Let us continue to look out for one another and find ways to be the loving embrace of God to our neighbours.

PARISH WEBSITE - www.rathmoreparish.ie

<u>Links for Donating – You can give donations to 1. Offertory/Development Fund</u>

2. Priests Offering 3. Community Newsletter 4. Diocesan collections.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2021: Please arrange First Anniversary Masses for end of 2020 and for 2021

<u>before October 31st</u>. All other Mass intentions for 2021 will be taken from 1st November. You can arrange this by telephoning the Parish Office during office hours.

Mass times for Boherbue Church: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday - 7.30pm Wednesday - 9.30am Sunday 11.00am You can access this on google: churchservices.tv/boherbue

Our thanks to Maureen

As was announced last weekend, Maureen Cremin has retired from her position as Parish Secretary after many years of outstanding service. Maureen first took up the role when Canon Pat Horgan was parish priest, and has played a prominent role in the in the development of the parish since then. Only those who worked closely with her will really appreciate the full extent of her commitment, but I know that all parishioners appreciate what Maureen has done.

On my own behalf and on behalf of the Parish Pastoral Council, we wish you well as you take some well-deserved rest. We look forward to seeing you from time to time when we will need to call on your insight and experience. Thank you... **Fr Pat** .

Maureen will be replaced by Josie Collins who has been closely associated with the Parish Office for a number of years. Josie first came to work with us on the Rathmore Cemetery Project, and the present comprehensive database is a result of her endeavour. Subsequently, she has acted as backup secretary and has filled in when necessary for Maureen and Kathleen. Josie Welcome aboard!

<u>CHY3 CHARITY CERTS:</u> CHY3 Charity Certs have now been sent out to all Parishioners who are either eligible or need to renew their participation in the Scheme. The Parish has benefited greatly since the Scheme began and we encourage you to commit to same. It costs the Parishioner **nothing** but the Parish can get a refund on the tax you have already paid. If you have any query, phone Janice on 064 7758219. If you no longer pay tax or do not wish to participate in the Scheme please let Janice know so she can delete your name from the system.

Thank you for your co-operation

DIOCESE OF KERRY MISSION MONTH ONLINE EVENT 'Solidarity in Mission Today' Join Missionaries as they share their experience of working in Africa and South America Date: Oct 22nd, Time: 7.30pm to 8.20pm. Register online @ https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie For information contact email desbailey@dioceseofkerry.ie or phone 064 6632644 `

Sunday 18th October, Today is Mission Sunday:

"Together We Are Mission" is a message for everyone. Through our faith we are called to be missionary, to support and care for those in need, not just those near us but also our brothers and sisters in our wider Community family. This year especially Mission Sunday reminds us that there is more at stake than our narrow concerns.

Propagation of The Faith (Missions)

This Mission Sunday collection goes to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and is used to support the young churches throughout the world in the establishment of parishes, dioceses, training of catechists and building of seminaries, etc. You can donate online on the parish website or leave into parish office.

COVID-19 UPDATE As and from midnight October 6th, 2020 the country moves to Level 3 restrictions for period of 3 weeks. The impact on Parish activity and religious services is as follows: -

- 1. Public Mass is not permitted and moves online.
- 2. Churches may remain open for private worship.
- **3.** In the case of funerals, a private funeral will take place due to Government advice regarding public gatherings. A maximum of 25 people may attend a funeral.
- 4. Weddings may take place, but no more than 25 people may attend a wedding ceremony.
- **5.** Baptisms are not permitted and should be postponed until there is a return to Level 2 restrictions.
- **8.** Social & family gatherings are limited to visitors from 1 other household to a maximum of 6 people or your own household only.
- **9.** The advice from Government is that people should work from home unless absolutely necessary to attend in person. Parish Offices may remain open but subject to strict compliance with all social distancing and hand sanitisation requirements. Face coverings must be worn by anyone visiting the Parish Office.

