

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.

EASTER WEEKEND SATURDAY 3rd & SUNDAY 4th April 2021



Holy Saturday 3rd 8.30pm Rathmore Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday 4th 11.30am Rathmore The Resurrection of the Lord

Denis & Abina O'Leary Clounts, Daniel (Danny) P Hickey, Mountcain
Bridget Mary & Patsy Hickey, Tureencahill & Bridget Mary's mother
Eileen Carmody. Patrick Pa Herlihy, Tureencahill
Helen Gleeson I/o New York & Shrone. Timmy Moynihan Shrone.
Nora Moynihan Shrone. Con Moynihan Shrone.
Marion Breen & her father John, Knocknagree.
Joan (Flor) Sheehan Shinnagh



Weekday Masses Monday 5th April - Sunday 11th April 2021

Bank Holiday)

Mon 5th 11.00am Gneeveguilla Maureen Matin (nee Hickey) Months Mind



Tue 6th 9.30am Shrone People of the Parish

Wed 7th 7.00pm Rathmore Nora Mary & Denis Ryan. Rathbeg & all deceased of the Ryan family
Helen Cashman, Gullane. Peggy & Christy Kelly Ard Mhuire

Thur 8th 9.30 am Knocknagree Donors Intentions

Fri 9th 7.00pm Rathmore Noreen Reddington I/o Church Place
Willie & Agnes Warren Annaghbeg & their grandson Willie B Reen.
Kay Brosnan, Gortnagown.

Sat 10th 6.00pm Rathmore Theresa B & Tim O'Connor Dooncarrig.
Aine Sheehan (Gaborchik) L/o East End
Maura Dineen, Ard Mhuire. Billy Moore, Clounts.

Cecilia O'Sullivan & Tim Joe O'Sullivan I/o Banard. Arthur Moynihan, Shinnagh
Paddy Doyle East End, his wife Noreen & his brother-in-law Humphery Kerins I/o Knockrour & London

Sun 11th 11.30 Rathmore Kathleen O'Connor Mausroul (1st Anniv)
& her husband Timothy O'Connor



Fr Tom Leane (029 78096) 087 23200565 is the priest on duty this Sunday for emergency and sick calls.

Keep your distance:

NOTICE While it is sad that we cannot have congregations for Easter again this year, we are nonetheless thankful that parishioners can attend all our churches for private prayer.

Please, please at all times sanitise your hands on entering, observe strict social distance, and wear a mask at all times.

NOTICE Parish Offices are to remain closed to the public. Closed on Good Friday & Easter Monday. Any query please phone, leave a message and we will get back to you. There will be no collection service for mass cards. Mass cards can be ordered by telephone to the Parish Office (064) 7761669 or email : rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie and we will then send out in the post Fr. Pat (086)8351732 (064) 7758026 Rathmore

PRAYERS & SYMPATHY: To Margaret Hickey Aunaskirtane, & her family Neilus, Mairead (Darmody), Timothy, Flora and John on the passing of Timmy Hickey, husband & father & grandfather. To his sisters Margaret, Siobhan, & Kathleen, brothers John and Michael & extended family. Timmy was laid to rest on Monday in Rathmore. To Donal Cronin Tureencahill and his sons Jerry and John on the passing of Noreen wife & mother. To her brothers Daniel and Denis, sisters Eileen, father-in-law Johnny, mother-in-law Betty & extended family. Noreen was laid to rest on Wednesday in Gneeveguilla.

To Steve Glyn Isle of Man on the death of his wife Mary McCarthy I/o Ballycullane & Isle of Man. To her brother Patrick McCarthy, sister Kathleen, brother in law John & to all the extended McCarthy & Leader families. Mary is being laid to rest on Good Friday in Rathmore.

May Timmy, Noreen & Mary rest gently in the presence of the Lord and may all who mourn them be comforted.

Hope on the Horizon

These days of Easter remind us of the beginnings of the Church. It challenges us to continue what Jesus taught His disciples and to live by His example. It teaches us to take courage that despite the challenges we face in our world, the Risen Christ, through the power of the Holy Spirit, is present and active in our lives.

Even though we cannot be together as family in our beloved home we are still present to one another in our hearts and in our loving prayers.

After months and months of weariness, hope is beginning to appear on the horizon: if this past time has been an enduring Lenten experience, then the coming months will be a true experience of Easter.

A great priest and evangelist named Samuel M. Shoemaker said, "The surest mark of a Christian is not faith, or even love, but joy."

So, let us all joyously celebrate God's love this Easter Day! This is a day to remember the coming of Christ into the world.

Hallelujah! Jesus is risen indeed!

As we celebrate Easter, I would like to thank the many people who have shared their time, talent, and treasure. Thanks to all the volunteers who sacrificed to keep our parishioners safe all through this pandemic, ensuring that our gatherings were always inviting, prayerful and hope-giving.

To the church environment committees who decorated our churches, to those in music ministry, to Ministers of the Word and Eucharist, and to the many who work behind the scenes, and to all of you, thank you. Our thanks too to our parish secretaries and sacristans, who are so constant in their commitment to our parish. Thank you!

Jesus Christ is truly risen Alleluia, Alleluia. Hope is on the Horizon.

Fr Pat. (on Behalf of the Parish Pastoral Council)

Spring of Hope on the Horizon

R.S Mallari

I can see a hint of a great sun
Rises from the horizon.
Just a little bit more and
Everything will be fine
Under the sun's radiant light.
The darkness that envelopes me
Slowly fades away.
Hopes finally flow
From the spring of faith
That was lost in my struggles,
Now is the time let go and live in the present
So I can slowly see the great future
That has been laid for me.



Leap of Faith in Times of Transition, an **Online Workshop for Young Adults aged 18 to 30 yrs.**

on **8th Apr. from 7.30 to 9.00pm.** The workshop will be led by Gerry and Miriam Hussey.

Join us for this event planned by Diocese of Kerry "YouthDoK" Young Adult Group for Young Adults.

Further information available and **registration on www.dioceseofkerry.ie**

