

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.

SATURDAY 14th & SUNDAY 15th AUG 2021

Sat 14th 6.00pm Rathmore Charlie McCarthy, Ballycullane. Trish Creagh Mclarnon, Knocknageeha
Richard & Nellie Wiseman l/o Carrigaline

Sat 14th 7.30pm Knocknagree Flor & Rita Collins, Nohoval.
Frank O'Riordan, Knocknagree
Denis & Nora Ring, Lacka & members of the Ring & Fleming Families
Mary Dennehy Kelleher Farrankeal



(Feast of The Assumption)

Sun 15th 9.00am Shrone Donors Intentions

Sun 15th 10.00am Gneeveguilla Kathleen Hurley, Lyreacorrin & her husband Con.

MONDAY 16th AUGUST to SUNDAY 22nd AUGUST 2021

Mon 16th 7.00pm Gneeveguilla Pa & Nellie Keane, Quarry Cross

Tues 17th 9.30 am Rathmore People of the Parish



Wed 18th 7.00 pm Rathmore Donors Intentions

Thur 19th 9.30am Knocknagree Donors Intentions

Fri 20th 7.00 pm Rathmore Donors Intentions

Sat 21st 6.00 pm Rathmore Donors Intentions

Sat 21st 7.30pm Knocknagree Donors Intentions



Sun 22nd 9.00am Shrone Donors Intentions

Sun 22nd 10.00am Gneeveguilla Peggy Fleming, Tureenahill,
Seamus O'Sullivan, Quarry Cross & all the O'Sullivan family Gneeveguilla Cross

Fr Pat O'Donnell (064) 7758026 0876 8351732 is the priest on duty this Sunday for emergency and sick calls.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK



Rathmore Church: Wednesday evening from 6-7pm before Mass

Gneeveguilla Church: Monday evenings from 6-7pm.

Knocknagree Church: Thursday mornings after 9.30am Mass from 10am – 11am



Parish Office will be CLOSED Tuesday 17th Aug due to Planning

Parish Offices opening hours: Monday & Thursday 9.30am to 12.30pm. Friday 11am to 2pm. Closed Wed. Parish b
Office (064) 7761669 or email: rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie

Booking of Masses, Mass Cards, any query, just call, phone, or email. leave a message and we will get back to you.

Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P. 064 7758026 / 086 8351732

Diocesan Collection: The annual collection for the Pastoral Centre will take place this weekend. Donations can be contributed online on the donate tab on the parish website www.rathmoreparish.ie or drop into the Parish Office

Parish Office Volunteer:

The build up to Christmas is generally a hectic time in the Parish Office; the volume of callers greatly increases, and the administrative requirements also grow. To assist us this year, we are looking for a parishioner (or parishioner's) who would be willing to volunteer a few hours per week to assist in the office from December 9th to December 23rd. Please phone Fr Pat 086-8351732 or the Parish Office 064-7761669 if you are interested

Gneeveguilla: Feast of the Assumption There will be a Rosary Procession to Leam Grotto on Sunday 15th August. Starting at Tureenamult Cross @ 7pm

Volunteer as an Usher

Over the past few weeks, we have sought the assistance of additional ushers who will act as backup to our existing team. So far, our appeal has had limited success, therefore we would ask those who are willing to fill in this form and hand it into the sacristy or Parish Office.

Name: _____

Phone no: _____ Email: _____

I would be willing to assist with ushering in : (please tick appropriate box)

Shrone Church Knocknagree Church

Rathmore Church Gneeveguilla Church

Bus Service from Gneeveguilla

TFI Local Link Kerry

offers a twice weekly service from Gneeveguilla into Killarney. This is as a door to door service (once no more than 2km beyond the existing route)

R57: Gneeveguilla – Killarney (Every Wed & Fri)

Please call the TFI Local Link Kerry offices on 066-7147002 or email bookings@locallinkkerry.ie, with your eircode and LLK experienced staff will be delighted to assist you.

The Free Travel Pass is accepted on each of our services.

For further information - please visit <https://www.locallinkkerry.ie/gneeveguilla/>

Our streaming service:

It is interesting to get some feedback from our MCN streaming service, to see the diversity of households we are connecting with:

| | COUNTRY | TOTAL VIEWS | | COUNTRY | TOTAL VIEWS |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Saturday August 7th | Australia | 1 | Sunday August 8th | Ireland | 210 |
| | Ireland | 509 | | United Kingdom | 18 |
| | Norway | 1 | | United States | 3 |
| | Spain | 1 | | | |
| | United States | 4 | | | |
| | United Kingdom | 18 | | | |

Grand Total: 534

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Prayers & Sympathies. We offer our prayers & sympathies To Donal, Maureen & Anthony O'Leary & extended family on the death of their brother Denis O'Leary Dublin & l/o West End Rathmore. Denis was laid to rest in Rathmore on Monday 6th August.

To Mary Dilworth, Matthew, Richard, Christine, Matthew's partner Dhenise, Richard's fiancée Triona, & Christine's partner Seán & extended Dilworth & Wiseman families on the death of Michael Dilworth Knocknaloman, husband & father. Michael will be laid to rest on Saturday 14th August in Rathmore.

May Denis, & Michael rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.

WHAT'S IN A NAME

Names really matter, if the amount of thought given to choosing which name to confer (or lumber) on a child is anything to go by. In this democratic age, it is perhaps one of the few issues a child will not be consulted on in their life. While in the past, the trend was to use names that were "in the family", today most want a distinctive name for their child. The more unique the better. It might also explain why the name "Mary" is a rare enough choice by today's parents. It may be seen as too ordinary and too common place. In the Irish language translation however, the Blessed Virgin Mary had a name of her own - **Muire** which set her apart from all others. The Feast of the Assumption has always been a special day in Ireland. **Lá Fhéile Muire Mór san Fhómhar** coming as it does in harvest time. The feast of the Assumption (August 15th) sets Mary apart as unique and distinct. The first fruits of flawed humanity, first to achieve perfection, body and soul in heaven, a wonderful example and inspiration for all others to follow. We name this feast after her, is she there only in name?

