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 4 TH & SUNDAY 5t SEPT 2021						
Sat	4 th	6.00pm	Rathmore	Thade & Nell Mahony, The Bower . Jimmy, Nora & Eileen Mahony, Freemount. Giles & Ellen Cooper, Lisnagrave Headford Gerard Cronin, Knockdurath & his Dad John			
Sat	4 th	7.30pm	Knocknagree	Eileen Hickey, Central Bar (1 st Anniv)			
Sun	5 th	9.00am	Shrone	John Joe Nagle, Gortdarrig & l/o Dublin (1 st Anniv)			
Sun	5 th	10.00am	Gneeveguilla	Mossy & Philomena Brosnan Renasup Dan & Nellie O'Keefffe, New Quarter & their son Donal, their daughter Mary & her husband Tom Gibney, Cavan & their son-in-law Donie Murphy, Mallow & their grandson Patrick Murphy, Mallow their grand - daughters husband Tony Hartnett, Mallow			

MONDAY 6 th to SUNDAY 12 th September 2021					
Mon 6 th	7.00pm	Gneeveguilla	Donors Intentions	Deer Mass Intentions	
Tues 7 th			NO MASS TODAY	for the Week	
Wed 8 th			NO MASS TODAY		
Thur 9 th	9.30am	Knocknagree	Donors Intentions		
Fri 10 th	7.00pm	Rathmore	Michael Dilworth (Months Mind)		
Sat 11 th	6.00pm	Rathmore	Denis O'Connor, Presbytery View & remen Cornelius & Eily Hickey, Aunaskirtane Johnny O'Mahony, Corran	nbering his wife Margaret	
Sat 11 th	7.30pm	Knocknagree	Sgt Jim Kelleher, Knocknagree Kathy Murphy, Newquarter		
Sun 12 th	9.00am	Shrone	Nora Lenihan, Gortdarrig Denis & Mary Cremin, Shronebeg	Here I	
Sun 12 th	10.00am	Gneeveguilla	John Kerins, Lisheen (1st Anniv)		

Fr Jim Kennelly (029)76151 0872401331 is the priest on duty this Sunday for emergency and sick calls.

		EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK
Eucharistic	Rathmore Church:	Wednesday evening from 6-7pm before Mass
NO.	Gneeveguilla Church:	Monday evenings from 6-7pm.
Adomition	Rathmore Church: Gneeveguilla Church: Knocknagree Church:	Thursday mornings after 9.30am Mass from 10am – 11am

Parish Offices opening hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9.30am to 12.30pm. Friday 11am to 2pm. Closed Wed. Parish Office (064) 7761669 or email : <u>rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie</u> Fr. Pat O'Donnell P.P. 064 7758026 / 086 8351732 Booking of Masses, Mass Cards, any query, just call, phone, or email. leave a message and we will get back to you.

Msgr Dan O 'Riordan will be covering Parish Duties from the 6th September - 12th September. Msgr Dan can be contacted for emergency call on 087 9486350

Act now to 'Restore our Common Home'.

(The Season of Creation runs from September 1st to October 4th)

The Diocese of Kerry joins dioceses across Ireland and Christian churches globally in calling for action, to Restore our Common Home during this 'Season of Creation'.

The Season of Creation runs from September 1st to October 4th when Christian churches around the world focus on prayer and action to protect the natural world or creation, 'our common home'. This time can be described as the churches' eco time. It closes on the 4th October, the feast day of St Francis of Assisi, Patron Saint of Ecology. It is certainly opportune as all of us are called to awaken to the urgent need to heal our relationship both with creation and with one another.

The words 'Our Common Home' are those used by Pope Francis in his letter 'Laudato Si' on Care for Our Common Home', addressed "to every person living on the planet".

All fifty- three parishes across the diocese are being encouraged to mark the Season in some way. This year parishes have received copies of the Season of Creation Brochure which explains the theme and gives suggestions of practical actions to be taken in the areas of: caring for God's creatures; biodiversity; energy; avoiding food waste and reducing plastic pollution. The Season of Creation Brochure is also available Season of Creation Brochure as Gaeilge

Webinar: Restoring Our Common Home – Caring for God's Creatures

On September 16th The Diocesan Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation Committee (JPIC) will host a free webinar focusing on the importance of protecting precious habitats, featuring two Kerry projects The Curlew Conservation Programme and The Pearl Mussel Project. Speakers Patricia Deane, MacGillycuddy Reeks European Innovation Partnership (EIP), Hubert Servignat, Curlew Conservation Programme and Dr Mary Catherine Gallagher, Pearl Mussel Project will be guests.

The Registration Link is available on the Diocesan website: www.dioceseofkerry.ie

Together...let's restore Our Common Home. "The climate crisis requires our decisive action, here and now and the Church is fully committed to playing her part." **Pope Francis.**

To register for this online webinar contact: <u>desbailey@dioceseofkerry.ie</u> 064-6632644 or visit dioceseofkerry.ie

Prayers & Sympathies We extend our sympathies & prayers to Patsy Casey, Mary Rose & family & extended family on the death of his brother Tommy Casey, Uxbridge London & I/o of Shinnagh. Internment in London. May Tommy rest in peace and may all who mourn his loss be comforted.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION: This weekend Sat 4th & Sun 5th Sept the annual collection for the **Diocesan Needs** will take place. Donations can be contributed online on the donate tab on the parish website <u>www.rathmoreparish.ie</u> or drop into the Parish Office

Recovery Haven Kerry are starting a six week course titled 'Building Better Caregivers'. This course starts on Tuesday Sept 14th and is an online programme for those supporting a loved one with cancer. If you are interested in this course, please contact Reception on 066 7192122 for more details.