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



The Parish Office opening hours Mon, Tues, & Thur 9.30am -12.30pm Fri 11am - 2pm. Closed Wed. Parish Office: Booking of Masses, Mass Cards, any query, just call, phone or email (064) 7761669 or rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie

Fr Pat O Donnell (064) 7758026 086 8351732

SATURDAY 3rd & SUNDAY 4th SEPTEMBER 2022

New Mass Rota begins this weekend

Sat 3rd **Shrone** 6.00pm John Joe Nagle I/o Gortdarrig & Dublin remembering his father Jerry & all the Nagle family

Please Note: To receive the streamed Mass from Shrone Church, please enter the MCN Rathmore site in the usual way ,but once there, press the tab "MOBILE CAMERA" which you will find on the bottom left of the screen

David Chase, Virginia /Knocknagree (Months Mind) Sat 3rd Knocknagree 7.30pm

Sun 4th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Mossie & Philomena Brosnan, Renasup

Sun 4th Rathmore 11.30am Johnny O'Mahony, Corran Headford.

Liz & John Murphy Ballinahulla & deceased members of their families

Fr Joe Tarrant (064) 7751104 0863978642 on call this Sunday 4th Sept for emergency and sick calls.

MONDAY 5th to SUNDAY 11th September 2022

Mon 5th Gneeveguilla 7.00pm Healing Mass. Brian Lawlor, Station Road, Rathmore

Tue 6th Rathmore 9.30am People of the Parish

Wed 7th **Donors Intentions** Rathmore 7.00pm

Thur 8th Knocknagree 9.30am Paddy & Kitty O'Leary, Farrankeal.

Sheila Patsy O'Connor I/o Doonasleen & Bristol UK

9th NO MASS Fri

Sat 10th Rathmore 3.30pm Months Mind & Internment of Diarmuid Desmond's Ashes I/o Dublin & The Bridge Bar Rathmore

10th Shrone 6.00pm Sat **Denis & Mary Cremin, Shronebeg**

Sat 10th Knocknagree 7.30pm Denis & Nora Ring, Lacka & all deceased members of the

Ring & Fleming families

Sgt Jim Kelleher, Knocknagree. Dan & Rosie Keane & their sons Frank & Fnbarr Margaret & John Long, Nohoval. John & Nora B O'Keeffe. Chris Forde & his daughter Elizabeth Michael Crowley, Meentogues, Hugh O'Keeffe, Tureen.

Sun 11th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Lil O'Keeffe, Bounard

Sun 11th Rathmore 11.30am Denis O'Connor, Presbytery View & remembering his wife, Margaret.

Giles & Ellen Cooper, Lisnagrave. John & Mary Sheehan, Lissyconnor

Gerard Cronin, Knockdurath & remembering his father, John.

EUCHARISTIC 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

The Season of Creation



The Season of Creation has a special significance for the Catholic Church, particularly since Pope Francis established 1 September as an annual World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. The Season of Creation is marked throughout the Christian world from 1 September to 4 October (Feast of Saint

Francis of Assisi) and celebrates the joy of creation as well as encouraging awareness-raising initiatives to protect the natural environment.

Listen to the Voice of Creation

The theme for the Season of Creation 2022 is "Listen to the Voice of Creation". "I have heard their cry...I

know their sufferings...Come, now! I will send you...I will be with you" (Ex 3: 1-12). The burning bush is the Symbol for the Season of Creation 2022. Today, the prevalence of unnatural fires are a sign of the devastating effects that climate change has on the most vulnerable of our planet. Creation cries out as forests



crackle, animals flee, and people are forced to migrate due to the fires of injustice.

On the contrary, the fire that called to Moses as he tended the flock on Mt. Horeb did not consume or destroy the bush. This flame of the Spirit revealed God's presence. This holy fire affirmed that God heard the cries of all who suffered and promised to be with us as we followed in faith to our deliverance from injustice.

In this Season of Creation, this symbol of God's Spirit calls us to listen to the voice of creation, to the voices of those who suffer the impacts of climate change, to the voices of those who hold generational wisdom about how to live gratefully within the limits of the land. These are voices of the Earth.

The global Christian family is called to awaken to the urgent need to heal our relationships with creation and with each other and to encourage our parish communities to do the same, "for we know that things can change!" (Laudato Si', 13).



The Holy Rosary is prayed every Wednesday night at 8pm in Gneeveguilla Church. Everyone welcome. If you cannot attend, tune in online at Gneeveguilla MCN.

Lourdes is gradually opening up again. We plan to have a full diocesan Pilgrimage in the Fall of 2023. However, a small group of pilgrims are travelling this year on September 30th for a 3 night pilgrimage from Dublin at a of cost €595. Some more places have become available. If anyone is interested, please contact the diocesan office for details. Tel 064 66 31168 Fax 064 66 31364 www.dioceseofkerry.ie

Prayers & Sympathies. To Teresa Foley, Mary, Ann & their families on the death of her husband, father & grandfather. Michael Foley, Mounthorgan, Rathmore. His brothers & sisters John, Pat, Christy, Nora May & Mary Agnes. Michael's funeral took place on Monday 29th August in Rathmore. May Michael rest in peace and may all who mourn his loss be comforted.

Recovery Haven Kerry (Cancer Support House) are hosting (CLIMB) a children's group support programme, beginning on September 7th. This programme is aimed at children aged 6-12 years who are experiencing the impact of a cancer diagnosis of a parent, sibling, member of their extended family or other significant adult. Please ring reception on 0667192122 if you would like more information

DIOCESAN COLLECTION: the annual collection for the Diocesan Needs will be take place this weekend the $3^{rd}/4^{th}$ Sept. Donations can be contributed online on the donate tab on the parish website <u>www.rathmoreparish.ie</u> or drop into the Parish Office