

# 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.

Fr Pat O'Donnell (064) 7758026 086 8351732

## SATURDAY 19<sup>th</sup> AUGUST & SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2023

Sat 19 <sup>th</sup>	Shrone	6.00pm	Donors Intentions
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup>	Knocknagree	7.30pm	Rita & Flor Collins Nohoval, The deceased members of the Dunlea family Scartaglen & the Hickey family Mountcain
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	Gneeveguilla	9.30am	Trish Creagh McLarnon.
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	Rathmore	11.30am	Sean Faughey, Shinnagh I/o London & Dundalk (Months Mind) Donal Casey, Clounts

Fr John Fitzgerald (029)70043 087 7752948 on call this Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> AUGUST for emergency and sick calls.

## MONDAY 21<sup>st</sup> AUGUST to SUNDAY 27<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2023

Mon 21 <sup>st</sup>	Gneeveguilla	7.00pm	Pa & Nellie Keane, Quarry Cross
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Rathmore	9.30am	People of the Parish
Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Rathmore	7.00pm	Mike Warren, School Place (Months Mind)
Thur 24 <sup>th</sup>	Knocknagree	9.30am	Donors Intentions
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	Gneeveguilla	7.00pm	Seamus McCarthy, Post Office (Months Mind)
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	Knocknagree	8.00pm	<i>Memorial Mass</i> Sheila Nolan, Farrankeal & New York
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	Shrone	6.00pm	Michael P Cronin, Shronebeg
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	Knocknagree	7.30pm	Paddy & Kitty O'Leary, Farrankeal.
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup>	Gneeveguilla	9.30am	Donors Intentions
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup>	Rathmore	11.30am	Michael Foley, Mounthorgan ( 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv)



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK

Rathmore Church Wednesday evening from 6-7pm before Mass Knocknagree Church: Thursday mornings from 10am – 11am Gneeveguilla Church Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday from 10am – 8pm



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](mailto:rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie)

## CHILD PROTECTION REPRESENTATIVES

Siobhan Carmody 087 9498347 (Gneeveguilla). Margaret McGrath (089) 4182683 (Rathmore)  
Stephanie Brosnan 087 9449288 (Shrone) Betty Moynihan (087) 6186091 (Knocknagree)

**BLESSINGS** to all who will receive their Leaving Cert results this week. You have our warm prayers and good wishes as you advance to the next stage of life's journey. Best of luck and God Bless you all.



## First Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Saturday August 23<sup>rd</sup> 2023



We send our prayers and blessings with all those who will attend the First Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock next weekend. It is particularly pleasing that over fifty people from our own Pastoral Area will be attending. This is a wonderful first step, and we can feel confident in the years ahead that it will grow from strength to strength.

### **The Path**

#### ***Prayers for Everyday Life by Ray Simpson***

God bless the path on which you go.  
God bless the earth beneath your feet.  
God bless your destination.  
God be a smooth way before you,  
A guiding star above you,  
A keen eye behind you  
This day, this night, and forever.

God be with you whatever you pass.  
Jesus be with you whatever you climb.  
Spirit be with you wherever you stay.

God be with you at each stop and each sea,  
At each lying down and each rising up,  
In the trough of the waves,  
on the crest of the billows  
each step of the journey you take.

#### **Prayer to Our Lady of Knock**

Our Lady of Knock, Queen of Ireland, you gave hope to your people in a time of distress and comforted them in sorrow.

You have inspired countless pilgrims to pray with confidence to your divine Son, remembering His promise,  
"Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find".

Help me to remember that we are all pilgrims on the road to Heaven.

Fill me with love and concern for my brothers and sisters in Christ, especially those who live with me.

Comfort me when I am sick, lonely or depressed.

Teach me how to take part ever more reverently in the Holy Mass.

Give me a greater love of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Pray for me now and at the end of my death.

**Amen.**



### ***SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS***

In October we will have a special Mass and Social Evening for those in our parish who are celebrating a significant anniversary this year, e.g., 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, or 60<sup>th</sup>.

At this Mass you will be invited to renew your marriage vows and to have this special occasion honoured by all in the Parish Community.

Please spread the word also to those who were married in our parish and are now living elsewhere.

You might kindly contact the Parish Office with the details of our Anniversary before the 4<sup>th</sup> of September.

You can also notify us by phoning the Parish Office 064 7761669 or email [rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie)  
Alternatively, you can fill in the form below and post it to the Parish Office or hand it into any one of the churches.  
Please mark your envelope Wedding Anniversary Mass.

Name of Couple: \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

Anniversary being celebrated: \_\_\_\_\_ 60<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 50<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 40<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 30<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 25<sup>th</sup>.

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Or contact email. \_\_\_\_\_