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 2 nd SEPTEMBER & SUNDAY 3 rd SEPTEMBER 2023						
Sat	2 nd	Shrone	6.00pm	Nora Linehan, Gortdarrig & all deceased members of the McCarthy family			
Sat	2 nd	Knocknagree	7.30pm	Timmie Brosnan, Lacka. Eileen Hickey Knocknagree Village Paddy & Ellie O'Leary, Tureenglanahee			
Sun	3 rd	Gneeveguilla	9.30am	Donors Intentions			
Sun	3 rd	Rathmore	11.30am	Partick O'Callaghan, Clounts. Johnny O'Mahony, Corran Nell Reen Moulagow & also remembering her husband Timie,			

Fr Joe Tarrant (064) 775114/ 0863978642 on call this Sunday 3rd September for emergency and sick calls.

MONDAY 4th SEPTEMBER to SUNDAY 10th SEPTEMBER 2023

Mon 4 th	Gneeveguilla	9.30am Note Mass Time) Donors Intentions	
Tues 5 th	Rathmore	9.30am People of the Parish	Lost Property A number of Umbrellas have
Wed 6 th	Rathmore	7.00pm Donors Intentions	been left at the back of the Church for some while.
Thur 7 th	Knocknagree	9.30am Donors Intentions	We encourage owners to collect same next week, remaining umbrellas will be passed on to
Fri 8 th	Rathmore	9.30am (Note Mass Time) Donors Intentions	the Charity Shop

Sat 9th Shrone 6.00pm Denis & Mary Cremin Shronebeg. John Joe Nagle I/o Gortdarrig & Dublin & also remembering the deceased members of the Nagle family

Sat 9th Knocnknagree 7.30pm Sgt Jim Kelleher, Knocknagree

Sun 10th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Mossie & Philomena Brosnan, Renasup. Denis & Julia Mary Murphy, Lisheen

Sun 10th Rathmore 11.30am Denis O'Connor Presbytery View, Alice & Eugene Buckley, Old Chapel, Gerard Cronin, Knockdurath & remembering his father John

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR PARISH EVERY WEEK Rathmore Church Wednesday 6-7pm Knocknagree Church: Thursday 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 <u>rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie</u>	CHILD PROTECTION REPRESENTATIVES Siobhan Carmody 087 9498347 (Gneeveguilla). Margaret McGrath (089) 4182683 (Rathmore) Stephanie Brosnan 087 9449288 (Shrone) Betty Moynihan (087) 6186091 (Knocknagree)
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Diocese Collection: The annual collection for The Diocesan Needs will take place on this weekend 2nd/3rd September Donations can be contributed online on the donate tab on the parish website <u>www.rathmoreparish.ie</u> or drop into the Parish Office

SILENCE WITHIN MASS

RECOLLECTING: At the beginning of the Penitential Act the Priest invites each of us to recall our sins and reflect on our need for repentance. Such recollection needs to be done individually, and we do so, briefly in silence.

During the Mass, each time we hear the words "Let us pray", there is a pause for a brief silence. In this time each of us individually and silently "collects" our whole self before God, recalling our own prayer and readying ourselves to bring this prayer to God. The priest then gathers or "collects" our prayers into one.

Season of Creation 2023 1st September to 4th October

"Let Justice and Peace Flow".

"All powerful God, bring healing to our lives,

that we may protect the world and not prey on it,

that we may sow beauty, not pollution and destruction." (Pope Francis)

The Season of Creation is marked throughout the Christian world from 1st September to 4th October (Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi). The season celebrates the joy of creation, and encourages awareness-raising initiatives to protect the natural environment.

The Prophet Amos declares: "Let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!" (Amos 5: 24), this is the inspiration for our 2023 theme, "Let Justice and Peace Flow".

We are called to join "the river of justice and peace", to take up climate and ecological justice, and to speak out with and for communities most impacted by climate injustice and the loss of biodiversity. In many parts of the world, it is the poorest of peoples who suffer most because of disastrous effects of climate change. Many migrants coming to Europe do so because climate change has destroyed their livelihoods at home, some through successive seasons with no rain, some through excessive rainfall and floods that has washed away their homes and possessions. Climate change, biodiversity and poverty challenge every part of Ireland too.

Prayers & Sympathies To Tim O'Sullivan relatives, kind neighbours & friends on the death of his sister Kathleen (Kit) O'Sullivan Knocknageeha, Gneeveguilla whose funeral took place on Friday 25th August in Gneeveguilla.

To Sean, Padraig & Ann Nolan & families on the death of their sister Sheila Nolan New York I/o Farrankeal. Sheila's Memorial Mass was celebrated on Friday 25th August in Knocknagree. Interment took place in New York.

May Kathleen & Sheila rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.

SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

On Sunday 29th October, we will celebrate a Special Mass and Social Event for couples who are living in our parish or were married in the parish celebrating a significant Wedding Anniversary this year e.g., 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, or 60th. 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.

You might kindly contact the Parish Office with the details of your Wedding Anniversary

You can also notify us by phoning the Parish Office 064 7761669 or email <u>rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie</u>

Alternatively, you can fill in the form below and post it to the Parish Office or hand it into any one of the churches after Masses. Please mark your envelope Wedding Anniversary Mass.

Name of Couple:	&	May you get many more years of togethemess to celebrate with your lave! Happy Anniversary!
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