

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



Parish Office: Opening Hours: Mon, Tues, & Wed 9.30am -12.30pm - Fri 11am – 2pm **CLOSED THURSDAY** Booking of Masses, Mass Cards, any query, just call, phone (064) 7761669 or email rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie

Fr Pat O'Donnell (064) 7758026 / 086 8351732

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

Pastoral Area Fr Joe Tarrant (064) 7751104 / 086 3978642 is on call Sunday 27th July for emergency and sick calls

SATURDAY 26th JULY to SUNDAY 27th JULY 2025

Sat 26th Shrone 6.00pm John Leader, Caherbarnagh, Dannie & Eileen O'Donoghue, Inches,
Daniel Vincent O'Connor, Moulagow, Tom & Jim Burke, Shrone

Sat 26th Knocknagree 7.30pm Mary & Daniel Hickey, Mountcain & their sons Brendan, Donie, Thado & Denny
Andy & Kathleen O'Sullivan, Knocknagree Village. Mary & Michael Casey, Laxie & their son Eugene & Sr Mary Agnes Cronin
Michael Dilworth Knocknaloman & Nellie & Dick Wiseman & Alfredo Arias.

Sun 27th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Eileen O'Connor, Mausrour

Sun 27th Rathmore 11.30am (1st Anniv) Hannah Leavey, Quarry Cross

MONDAY 28th JULY to SUNDAY 3rd AUGUST 2025

Mon 28th Gneeveguilla 7.00pm Paddy & Hannah Riordan, Knocknagree, Joe & Eileen White, Clounts.
Pete & Johnny Riordan, Barna. Sonny & Mary O'Mahony, Bantry. Jim O'Mahony & his daughter Aisling, Bantry
Catherine & Jim McGillicuddy, Bonard.

Tues 29th Rathmore 9.30am People of the Parish

Wed 30th No Mass

Thur 31st Knocknagree 9.30am Donors Intentions

Fri 1st Rathmore 7.00pm Tony & Sheila Moynihan, Raheen

Sat 2nd Shrone 6.00pm Donors Intentions

Sat 2nd Knocknagree 7.30pm (1st Anniv) Anna Dalton, Knocknagree Village

Sun 3rd Gneeveguilla 9.30am Helena & Tadhgie Sheehan, Tureencahill.

Sun 3rd Rathmore 11.30am Philomena McCarthy, Teach an Churam. Joe Crowley. Árd Mhuire



The First Five Saturdays as requested by Our Lady of Fatima will commence on Saturday August 2nd @ 9.15am in the Church of The Most Holy Rosary Gneeveguilla. It is live streamed on MCN Gneeveguilla



Eucharistic Adoration: The Eucharistic Adoration is in the Church of the Holy Rosary Gneeveguilla every Tuesday from 10am – 8pm.

Rosary The Holy Rosary is prayed in the Church every Wednesday at 8pm. This is live Streamed MCN Gneeveguilla,

Prayers & Sympathies. To Tadhg and Sheila O'Keeffe & extended O'Keeffe family on the death of their father Michael T. O'Keeffe, Tureencahill, Gneeveguilla
Michael's funeral took place on Wednesday 23rd of July in Rathmore
May Michael T rest in peace and may all who mourn his loss be comforted.



Pope Leo XIV's prayer intention for the month of July

Pope Leo XIV's prayer intention for the month of July is for formation in discernment. "In the rush of daily life, we must learn to pause and create sacred moments for prayer,". "It is in these quiet spaces of attentive listening that we discover which paths truly matter and find the discernment to choose what truly leads to joy that comes only from God."

Pope Leo's full prayer for discernment:

Holy Spirit, you, light of our understanding,
gentle breath that guides our decisions,
grant me the grace to listen attentively to your voice
and to discern the hidden paths of my heart,
so that I may grasp what truly matters to you,
and free my heart from its troubles.

I ask you for the grace to learn how to pause,
to become aware of the way I act,
of the feelings that dwell within me,
and of the thoughts that overwhelm me
which, so often, I fail to notice.

I long for my choices
to lead me to the joy of the Gospel.
Even if I must go through moments of doubt and fatigue,
even if I must struggle, reflect, search, and begin again...
Because, at the end of the journey,
your consolation is the fruit of the right decision.
Grant me a deeper understanding of what moves me,
so that I may reject what draws me away from Christ,
and love him and serve him more fully.
Amen.

~Gaelic Footballers Prayer~

Give me o Lord a Footballers skill
With strength of arm and speed of limb
Unerring eye for the flying ball
And courage to match them whatever befall
May my aim be steady - my Kick be true
My actions brave - my misses few
And no matter what way the game may go
May I part in friendship with every foe
When the final whistle for me is blown
And I stand at last at Gods Judgement Throne
May the great Referee says when he calls my name...
"You played life well -You played the game"
Amen

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock

The third Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on **Saturday 23rd of August 2025**.

Please note the date and consider taking part in this special time of prayer and reflection at Ireland's National Marian Shrine.

Bus will leave from Rathmore Church @ 6.45am approx.. Please call the Parish Office to book on 064 7761669 or

email rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie

May our prayer be "To Jesus through Mary".
Please pray for the safety of all pilgrims who travel.

Duhallow Sliabh Luachra Pastoral Area

incorporation the parishes of

*Ballydesmond - Boherbue -Dromtariffe- Millstreet-
Rathmore*

Fun Walk Sunday August 3rd @ 3pm

Each Sunday the Priests of the Pastoral Area travel around all the parishes and meet wonderful people. Our Area Pastoral Council wish to give parishioners from the five parishes a similar opportunity to meet up from time to time in a social setting. With this in mind, we have organised a **fun walk** near the source of the Blackwater on Sunday August 3rd @ 3p.m.

For those who use Google Maps: if you enter **Cordal Wind Farm** it will bring you to the place where the walk begins.

For those not into technology, we will meet in the carpark beside Ballydesmond Church at 2.45pm. ... the convoy will depart to the windfarm at 2.50pm sharp.