

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.

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



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

Pastoral Area Fr John Fitzgerald (029) 70043 087 7752948 on call Sunday 7th Sep for emergency and sick calls

SATURDAY 6th SEPTEMBER to SUNDAY 7th SEPTEMBER 2025

Sat 6th Shrone 6.00pm John Joe Nagle, Dublin & Gortdarrig & his dad Jerry & all deceased of the Nagle family

Sat 6th Knocknagree 7.30pm Sgt Kelleher, Knocknagree. Eileen Hickey, Knocknagree
Timmie Collins, Knocknagree & his daughter Maria O’Keeffe, Kilcummin.

Sun 7th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Patrick & Margaret McGillicuddy. Mossie & Philomena Brosnan, Renasup.

Sun 7th Rathmore 11.30am Alice & Eugene Buckley, Old Chapel. Garard Cronin, Knochdurath & his father John. Sean Moynihan, Rathbeg (10th Anniv). Nell Reen, Moulagow & remembering her husband Timmie Giles & Ellen Cooper, Lisnagrave. Pat O’Callaghan, Clounts. Donal Casey, Clounts

MONDAY 8th SEPTEMBER to SUNDAY 14th SEPTEMBER 2025

Mon 8th Gneeveguilla 10.00am (Note Mass Time) Gneeveguilla NS Start of Year Mass

Tues 9th Rathmore 9.30am People of the Parish

Wed 10th Rathmore 9.30am (Note Mass Time) Donors Intentions

Thur 11th Knocknagree 10.00am (Note Mass Time) Knocknagree NS Start of Year Mass

Fri 12th Gneeveguilla 7.00pm (Months Mind) (Eamon) Eddie Joe Sheehan, Aberdeen Scotland & I/o Tureencahill

Sat 13th Shrone 6.00pm Donors Intentions

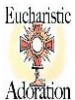
Sat 13th Knocknagree 7.30pm Tony Murphy, Tureencallagh,
Hannah Mary Twomey, Uneraboy Mary Agnes Buckley Knockeenagullane

Sun 14th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Ciss Riordan, Tureencahill. Connie Hickey, Gneeveguilla.
Michael Fitzgerald, Gullane Gerard Cronin, Gneeveguilla Upper. Dister Eitel, Renasup.

Diocesan Collection:

The annual collection of the **Diocesan Needs** will take place this weekend **6th/7th Sept.** Donations can be contributed online on the donate tab on the parish website www.rathmoreparish.ie or drop donation into the Parish Office

Sun 14th Rathmore 11.30am Denis O’Connor, Presbytery View & remembering his wife Margaret, Nora McCrann (nee O’Mahony) London I/o Mounthorgan. Deceased members of the Crowley family, Barra



Eucharistic Adoration Rathmore Wed from 6-7pm. Knocknagree Thur morning 10am -11am
Eucharistic Adoration: Gneeveguilla every Tue from 10am – 8pm.
The Holy Rosary is prayed in Gneeveguilla Church every Wed at 8pm This is live Streamed MCN Gneeveguilla

Fashion Show : “Models in Recovery” Kerry Hospice Killarney Branch. Wed the 10th Sept INEC Killarney .
Special Guest Noel Cunningham , Music Guest Liam O’Connor. Tickets available at the Parish Office

Prayers & Sympathies: To Donal, Stiofán, Padraig & Maireád Murphy & families & extended families on the death of their brother John Murphy, Kildare L/O Rathmore . Johns’ funeral took place on Wednesday 3rd September in Nass .
To Donal, Maura (Daly), Eileen (O’Leary), Jeremiah and Seamus O’Sullivan & families on the death of their father Jimmy O’Sullivan Nohoval, his sister Mamie & Brother Dan Joe & extended family. Jimmy was laid to rest on Saturday 30th August in Knocknagree.
To Con Murphy, Tony, Noelle & Families & extended families on the death of Mary Murphy (nee O’Connor) Headford I/o Moulagow, wife & mother . Mary was laid to rest in Shrone Cemetery on Wednesday 27th August ,
May John, Jimmy Dan & Mary rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.

SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Following the success of last year's event we will once again have our **Special Wedding Anniversary Mass** in 2025

When?; Sunday October 19th 11.30a.m

Where? St Joseph's Church Rathmore.

This celebration is 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

These milestones provide an opportunity for a husband and wife to commemorate the day they decided to make their loving commitment, and to celebrate their shared journey down through the years. It is also a wonderful opportunity for family to honour the couple, and give thanks for all the blessings they have received.

Although every year of a successful marriage is a cause for celebration, some years serve as key milestones.



25 years – Silver

30 years – Pearl

40 years – Ruby

50 years – Gold

60 years – Diamond

We also welcome couples who are married more than 60 years to join in our celebration

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.

Unfortunately for some couples their husband/wife have passed away, but you too are not forgotten, please submit the name of your loved one and we will bring forward a candle in their memory during this celebration.

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 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 after Masses. Please mark your envelope Wedding Anniversary Mass.

Wedding Anniversary Mass.

Name of Couple: _____ & _____

Anniversary being celebrated: _____ 60+ _____ 60th _____ 50th _____ 40th _____ 30th _____ 25th.

Contact Number: _____ Or contact email. _____

There will be light refreshments in Teach Iosagan immediately after the ceremony

Knocknagree - Kenya

The recent Clothes Fundraiser in aid of Fr Sean Creminis Missionary work raised €400 also cash donation of €20. Total €420.

The Committee would like to thank all those who brought bags of clothes, cash donation, a special word of thanks to all the volunteers who helped to man the hall and load the van on the day of the collection and especially our friends from Rathmore for their help and support, Thank you.

Canonisation on Sunday 7th September

The canonisation Mass for Bl. Carlo Acutis & Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati will be broadcast on RTE One television at 10.15 am this Sunday 7th September. Please find attached a leaflet on Bl. Carlo Acutis which you might consider publishing in print or online and making available to Parishioners

Join the online launch of a short documentary: **Diocese of Kerry Celebrate Season of Creation, on Wednesday 10th Sept at 7.30pm**, featuring a journey around the diocese to see what a parish, schools and an individual are doing to return to nature and protect biodiversity. Link on www.dioceseofkerry.ie