

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 Danny Broderick (029) 76151/ 087 9061255 on call 12th April for emergency and sick calls

SATURDAY 11th APRIL to SUNDAY 12th APRIL 2026

Sat 11th Shrone 6.00pm Dan & Pauline Collins, Knocknaloman & their daughters Nora Murphy & Sheila Daly
Kay Brosnan, Gortnagown & Denis, Hannah Mary & Phil Cremin

Sat 11th Knocknagree 7.30pm Sonny Breen, Doon & his parents Patrick & Ellen Breen.
Martin & Richard Nolan, Clounts

(Divine Mercy Sunday)

Sun 12th Gneeveguilla 9.30am John & Joan Hurley & their sons Dan & Paddy, Lyrecorin. Helen Cashman, Gullane
Connie & Mary Fleming, Renasup.

Sun 12th Rathmore 11.30am Noreen Reddington, Church Place. Patrick & Mary Foley, Mounthorgan
Geraldine & John Horgan, Ard Mhuire & Geraldines Parents Peggy & Jerry & Johns father Jack Horgan
Maura & Mikey John Dinneen, Ard Mhuire. Paddy & Margaret Dinneen, Ard Mhuire.
Paddy Doyle, East End, his wife Noreen, her brother Humphery her brother-in-law Sean Faughey.
John McCarthy, Bealdnadeega . Kay McCarthy (nee Mullooly) Kanturk & Church Place.

MONDAY 13th APRIL to SUNDAY 19th APRIL 2026

Mon 13th Gneeveguilla 7.00pm Willie & Agnes Warren, Annaghbeg & their son Mike & grandson Willie.B

Tues 14th Rathmore 9.30am Donors Intentions

Wed 15th No Mass

Thur 16th Knocknagree 9.30am Donors Intentions

Fri 17th Gneeveguilla 7.00pm (1st Anniv) Mike Casey l/o Lyre & Killarney
& remembering all deceased of the Casey family Lyre

Sat 18th Shrone 6.00pm Memorial Mass: Mary Martha Harless (nee Duggan). Delaware & l/o Gortnagown.
Con & Nora Moynihan, Shronemore & Timmie Moynihan & Helen Gleeson. Julianne Buckley, Gortdarrig.

Sat 18th Knocknagree. 7.30pm Johnny & Julia O'Mahony, Tureenclassaugh.

Sun 19th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Donors Intentions

Sun 19th Rathmore 11.30am Michael & Don Murphy, Knocknaloman.
Tom & Joan Brosnan Ahane & their daughters Mary & Eileen, their sons Patrick & Ned & their daughter Joan & her
husband Paddy l/o Mullingar. Denny & Margaret Corbett, Knocknaugh, Kiskeam & their son Danny & daughter Sheila.
Michael & Mary Murphy Kilquane & Hannah Mary & John Lynn, Killarney

Diocesan Collection for Family Services & Accord will take place this weekend the 11th/12th April. Donations can be contributed online on the donate tab on the parish website www.rathmoreparish.ie or drop into the Parish Office

Returning Trocaire Boxes: We would be very grateful if you could return your contribution as soon as possible to the Parish Office, or drop it into the Sacristy, or the Sunday Collection Basket.
Please do not leave it in an unattended place in the Church



Divine Mercy Sunday : will be celebrated in St Mary's Cathedral, Killarney on Sunday 12th April @ 3.00pm...preceded by the Rosary @ 2.45pm

You expired, O Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls and an ocean of mercy opened for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us. (Recite one time) O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in You. Amen (recite three times)



ACCORD NEEDS YOU ACCORD Catholic marriage Care Service CLG is currently recruiting volunteers to train as marriage preparation programme facilitators to support couples preparing for the sacrament of marriage. The marriage preparation programmes are fun and interactive and very popular with couples. Successful applicants will receive free professional training during seven in person workshops at venues around the country and will be part of a

team delivering marriage preparation programmes in your local area. The closing date for receipt of application forms to be included for this year is Friday 29th May 2026. Contact Aisling on 01 5053112 or by email to

marriagepreperation@accord.ie www.accord.ie

National Epilepsy Week 2026 takes place on 18th May - 25th May. For further information, please visit www.epilepsy.ie/content/national-epilepsy-week-2026-epilepsyweek.

Prayers & Sympathies

To Marie Brosnan, Eileen, Patrick, Batt, Ann, James, Marguerite, Mike, Dan, Susan, John & families on the death of Jimmy Pa Brosnan, Mausrou, husband, father, grandfather & great grandfather his sister Hannah Mary & extended family. Jimmy Pa's burial took place on Tuesday 7th April in Rathmore.

To Teddy, Billy, Ann, Bridie & Kathy (Duggan) & families Gortnagown on the death of their sister Mary Martha (Harless), Delaware who died recently.

To Mary & Ann (Foley) & families on the death of Teresa Foley, Mounthorgan, mother & grandmother, her sisters Margaret and Kathleen & extended families. Teresas funeral took place on Wednesday 8th April in Rathmore.

To Kevin & Liz Buckley Gortavahey & family on the death of Kevin's father Jeremiah Buckley, Gortavahey, Rathmore, Jeremiah's funeral took place in Millstreet on Tuesday 31st March.

May Jimmy Pa, Mary Martha, Teresa & Jeremiah rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.

Prayer for April

As April begins
"April is a generous month", she said
'Generous rain, light singing birds'.
Even a mean heart acknowledges the bond
Linking grass to clouds,
Linking what we know of here
To the blue tingling world of beyond,
I've seen mean hearts turn generous
So why should I limit myself to being
Only what I think I know,
When I might dream of another me?
The year is taking shape.
So am I.
I think I'll go for a stroll with hope.
When I walk through the April light I see
A gentle twig is more durable
Than a stubborn tree."

30th Anniversary Concert

Join Duhallow Choral Society on **Sunday, May 10th at 5pm** in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kanturk, for a special evening featuring the premiere of *The Voice of Creation*, with music by Colm O'Foghlú and words by Alice Taylor, accompanied by members of the Irish Chamber Orchestra. Tickets: Jo's Boutique or choir members – **limited availability**

Healing Service in the Church of the Resurrection Killarney with Fr. Pat Collins.

Saturday April 18th from 3pm - 4.30pm. All welcome. Contact: Imelda 086 0840703, Celia 087 2405568

Theology Open Day, is this for you? The Priory Institute provides online Theology courses to degree level. Attend Saturday lectures in Tallaght or from the comfort of your own home. Click [here](http://www.prioryinstitute.com) or visit our website [prioryinstitute.com](http://www.prioryinstitute.com) to find out more about our Open Day on Saturday 18 April.

This is the link to register for the Online Open Day
<https://prioryinstitute.com/events/open-day-on-saturday-18-april>