

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 17th May for emergency and sick calls

SATURDAY 16th May to SUNDAY 17th MAY 2026



Sat 16th Gneeveguilla 11.00am First Holy Communion.

Gneeveguilla & Meentogues NS

(Feast of St Brendan)

Sat 16th Shrone 6.00pm Michael John Fitzgerald, Moulagow. Donal Kelleher, Corran.

Sonny & Noreen Nagle, Gortdarrig & all deceased of the Nagle & Lynch families

Sat 16th Knocknagree 7.30pm Dan O'Connell, Farrankeal & remembering his wife Lottie

(The Ascension of Our Lord)

Sun 17th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Ann Cronin, Nell & Michéal Cronin, Maughantourig
Margaret & Denis Dineen, Gortnaprocess.

Martin & Kathleen Curran, Reaboy Humphery, Mary & Timmie Moynihan.

Paudie Gleeson, Mountrodger & all the Gleeson & Duffy families.

Sun 17th Rathmore 11.30am (1st Anniv) Eileen Lawlor. East End.

MONDAY 18th MAY to SUNDAY 24th May 2026

Mon 18th 7.30pm Gneeveguilla Cemetery Mass

Tues 19th Knocknagree 9.30am (Note Church) People of the Parish

Wed 20th 7.30pm Rathmore Cemetery Mass

(No Morning Mass)

Thur 21st Rathmore 7.30pm Graduation Mass Scoil Pobail Sliabh Luachra

Fri 22nd Gneeveguilla 7.00pm (1st Anniv) Thomas Hickey, Tureencahill

Sat 23rd Shrone 6.00pm Donors Intentions

Sat 23rd Knocknagree 7.30pm Donal & Nonie Hickey, Renasup. Dan O'Connell, Knocknagree.

Rathmore Cemetery
Cleanup on Mon 18th May @ 6.30pm before our Annual Mass on Wed night. All help appreciated

Cemetery Mass Dates for Month of May

May 25th @ 7.30pm Mass Kilquane Cemetery

May 27th @ 7.30pm Mass Knocknagree Cemetery

May 29th @ 7.30pm Mass Shrone Cemetery



(Pentecost Sunday)

Sun 24th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Donors Intentions

Sun 24th Rathmore 11.30am Daniel & Mary O'Sullivan, Knocknaloman. Mikie O'Leary, Nohoval & his parents Michael & Margaret & his brother Denny & his recently deceased brother Jerry. Paddy & Annie Sheahan. East End & their daughter Annie Gaborcik.

Fundraising Bake Sale for the Holy Family NS on Sunday 24th May in Teach Iosagain after 11.30am Mass.

Friends of Millstreet Community Hospital Special Collection in Knocknagree on Saturday May 16th @ 7.30pm Mass

Prayers & Sympathies To the Moynihan family Knockdurath, Eileen, Pat, Kathleen, Joanie, Sheila, Margaret, John, Noreen, Fr. Michael and Anne. & families on the death of their sister Mary T Moynihan Willow Bank, Mallow, L /o Knockdurath. Mary's funeral Mass took place on Saturday 9th May in Rathmore. May Mary rest in peace and may all who mourn her loss be comforted.

Prayers when bringing Eucharist to the Sick and Homebound

Sometimes the person being ministered to is well able to take an active part in the rite. At other times the person will be less able.. However very often, the sick person will derive benefit from hearing the liturgy prayed, even if they are themselves unable to make responses or in any other obvious way participate in the prayer

INTRODUCTORY RITE

GREETING

All: In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen

Minister: May the peace of the Lord be with you (and all who live here) always.

All: And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL ACT

Minister: My brothers and sisters, to prepare ourselves for this celebration, let us call to mind our sins.

[Option A:]

All: I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore, I ask blessed Mary, ever-virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

[Option B:]

Minister: Lord Jesus, you healed the sick: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Minister: Christ Jesus, you forgive sinners: Christ have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

Minister: Lord Jesus, you heal us and bring us strength: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Minister: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. **All:** Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

[The Minister may choose a short reading or one of the following verses from Scriptures:]

† *Jesus says, "Come to me, all you who are weary and find life burdensome, and I will refresh you. Take my yoke upon your shoulders and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble of heart. Your soul will find rest, for my yoke is easy and my burden light."* [Matthew 11:28-30]

† *Jesus says, "I am the vine, you are the branches. If you live in me and I in you, you will produce abundantly. Apart from me you can do nothing."* [John 15:5]

† *Jesus says, "I myself am the bread come down from heaven. If anyone eats this bread he shall live forever; the bread I will give is my flesh for the life of the world."* [John 6:51]

† *Jesus says, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father but through me."* [John 14:6]

† *"We have come to know and believe in the love God has for us. God is love, and he who abides in love abides in God, and God in him."* [1 John 4:16]

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Minister: Now let us pray together to the Father in the words given to us by our Lord Jesus Christ:

All: Our Father,

[The Minister holds up the Host:]

Minister: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should come under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

[The Minister distributes Holy Communion.]

Minister: Body of Christ.

All: Amen.

CONCLUSION

Minister: Let us pray ...

Loving God, we thank you for the nourishment you give us through your holy gift. Pour out your Spirit

upon us, and in the strength of this food from heaven, grant us strength, healing, and peace. We ask this through Christ our Lord. **Amen.]**

All: Amen

Minister: [And making the Sign of the Cross:] { + } May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life. **All:** Amen

Bus to the Rosary Rally in Knock

The 41st All Ireland Rosary Rally takes place on Saturday, June 6, 2026, at the Knock Shrine in Co. Mayo, bringing together thousands to pray for faith and peace

Events run from morning until late afternoon. Some parishioners have asked about the possibility of organising a bus from the parish. If there are sufficient numbers we are more than happy to do so.

If interested please submit your name to the parish Office **no later than 11.30a.m next Thursday May 21st**

Name:

Phone: _____