

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 0879061255 on call 5th July for emergency and sick calls

SATURDAY 4th JULY to SUNDAY 5th JULY 2026

Sat 4th Shrone 6.00pm Michael O'Callaghan, Gortacorin
Sat 4th Knocknagree 7.30pm (1st Anniv) Gerard O'Mahony Cullen/Knocknagree
Sun 5th Gneeveguilla 9.30 am Jack McCarthy, Gneeveguilla Cross
Sun 5th Rathmore 11.30am Gracie & George O'Donoghue, Lissyconnor. Pat & Joan Downey & their son Joseph Micheál & Bridie O'Brien & their son Michael Anthony & their daughter Aileen O'Leary Noreen Long, Inches. Dan & Margaret Cronin, Brú na Sinsear & Aunaskirtane

MONDAY 6th JULY to SUNDAY 12th JULY 2026

Mon 6th Gneeveguilla 7.00pm Timmie & Bridget Looney, Cottage. Colm Clifford, Sliabh Luachra Est, Pa & Nellie Keane, Quarry Cross and their son Bill, Whitebridge
Tues 7th Rathmore 9.30am People of the Parish
Wed 8th Rathmore 8.00pm (Note Time) (1st Anniv) Donie O' Leary, Rathmore/ Killarney
Thur 9th Knocknagree 7.00pm (Note Mass Time) (Months Mind) Seamus Brosnan, Glountane
Fri 10th Rathmore 7.00pm Fr Pat's Farewell Mass
Sat 11th Shrone 6.00pm Donors Intentions
Sat 11th Knocknagree 7.30pm Connie O'Sullivan & all the O'Sullivan Family, Nohoval Dan & Neilie Lehane. Tureenclassaugh & their son Noel Lehane l/o Cullen & their son - in - law Pat Twome, Banteer.
Sun 12th Gneeveguilla 9.30am Tim & Margaret O'Connor, Mausrou. Pat Walsh, Scrahanfadda
Sun 12th Rathmore 11.30am Denis Murphy, West End. Jackie & Mary Murphy, Lr Shinnagh. Jeremiah & Bridie Reen, Corran & their daughter Agnes Linehan, Killarney. Ann Sheehan, Lissyconnor. Cornelius & Eily Hickey. Aunaskirtane



Eucharistic Adoration Rathmore Wed from 6-7pm. Knocknagree Thur morning 10am -11am
Eucharistic Adoration: Gneeveguilla every Tue from 10am – 8pm.

Diocesan Collection for Sick & Retired Priests will take place this weekend the 4th/5th July Donations can be contributed online on the donate tab on the parish website www.rathmoreparish.ie or drop into the Parish Office

Prayers & Sympathies To the Hickey family Adrian, Damien, Alan and Caitriona (Keller) & families on the death of their father Pat Hickey, Knocknaloman, his sister Eileen Kelly, & extended family. Pats funeral took place in Rathmore on Friday 3rd July.
May Pat rest in peace and may all who mourn his loss be comforted.

Fr Pat's last week in the Parish

Fr Pat's Farewell Mass in on Rathmore Church on Fri July 10th 7p.m

Fr Pat will also celebrate the Masses in Shrone, Knocknagree, Gneeveguilla , and Rathmore on the weekend of the 11th and 12th of July

Welcome to Fr Kieran.

We extend a warm welcome to Fr Kieran O' Brien who will be taking over from Fr Pat on July the 15th We will say more about his coming in next weeks bulletin, we look forward to formally welcoming him to the parish when he arrives

Upcoming Cemetery Masses

To allow Fr Kieran a little more time to settle into the parish we will push back the Cemetery Masses in Behinaugh, Nohoval and Old Chapel to the first week of August.

Tuesday	August 4 th	7.00p.m	Behinaugh Cemetery Mass
Wednesday	August 5 th	7.00p.m	Nohoval Cemetery Mass
Friday	August 7 th	7.00p.m	Old Chapel Cemetery Mass

Given that Fr Kieran is generally unfamiliar with the area we would ask some of the organisers of these Masses to make contact with Fr Kieran a week in advance, and offer him assistance in setting up the altar etc.

Rathmore Parish Fond Farewell to Fr. Pat

Join us for a Mass of Thanksgiving on **Friday, July 10th at 7pm** in St. Joseph's Church, Rathmore. Refreshments will follow afterwards in Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra gym.

Bakers Needed!

We would greatly appreciate donations of home baking (cupcakes, tarts, fruit cakes, etc.) for our get-together in the gym. To ensure we have enough for everyone, please contact Maureen Cremin (**086-2439645**) or Eileen Fleming (**087-1475386**) with your name and the quantity you can provide. Donations will be gladly accepted from 4pm on Friday 10th July. Thank you for your support!

Book of Memories & Good Wishes

A special book will be placed in St. Joseph's Church from **Saturday, July 4th to Sunday, July 12th**. Parishioners are warmly invited to drop in during this week to share a favourite memory, print a message of gratitude, or leave their best wishes for Fr. Pat

Reminders

Please keep those **photographs** of events over the past 13½ years with Fr. Pat coming in – email rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie with your name and date of photo.

Also we are seeking **local musicians and singers** who are available on the night to contact us. If anyone would like to **help** from Thursday evening at 7.30pm or anytime Friday – all **volunteers** will be greatly appreciated and welcomed.

Envelopes can still be dropped to the Parish Office or put in the collection boxes during this weekends' Masses in each church.

Let's make this a special night as we bid our farewell and best wishes to Fr. Pat.