

## 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.

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## SATURDAY 19<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER & SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2024

Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Shrone 6.00pm Patrick & Catherine O'Callaghan, Gortacorrin. Dannie & Eileen O'Donoghue. Eugene & Catherine McSweeney & all deceased of the McSweeney family Glounriskeen.

Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Knocknagree 7.30pm Knocknagree NS (Enrolment for Communion)  
David Brosnan, Mountcain. Kathy Murphy, New Quarter. Con & Maureen Herlihy Farrankeal & their son John

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Gneeveguilla 9.30am (Mission Sunday) Paddy (Brother Terence) Hurley, Lyreacorrin.

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Rathmore 11.30am (Mission Sunday) **Special Wedding Anniversary Mass**

Pastoral Area: Fr Joe Tarrant (064) 7751104 086 3978642 on call Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> Oct for emergency and sick calls.

## MONDAY 21<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER to SUNDAY 27<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2024

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Gneeveguilla 7.00pm Danny & Mary Anne O'Leary

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> Rathmore 9.30am People of the Parish

Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> Rathmore 7.00pm P.J, Kathleen & Pat McAuliffe, Forge Cross.  
Maurice Brosnan & deceased members of the Brosnan family

Thur 24<sup>th</sup> Knocknagree 9.30am Dan & Gobnait Linehan, Doon

Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Gneeveguilla 7.00pm Paudie & Peggie O'Connor & their granddaughter  
Christine O'Connor Maughantourig

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Shrone 6.00pm (Shrone & Hollymount NS Enrolment Confirmation & Communion) Michael J Cronin Shronebeg and his brother Johnny & all deceased members of the Cronin & Buckley family. Dan Scannell, Shronebeg

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Knocknagree 7.30pm (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv) Joan Nolan, Farrankeal & remembering her daughter Sheila

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Gneeveguilla 9.30am Donors Intentions

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Rathmore 11.30am Kay & James Paterson I/o England. Paddy & Margaret Dineen I/o Rathmore  
John & Kathleen Ryan, Ballycullane & Eilen Riordan. Mary Horan, London/Kilcummin & Kenmare

### Diocesan Collection:

The annual collection of **Mission Sunday** will take place this Sunday 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> October

Donations can be contributed online donate tab on the parish website

[www.rathmoreparish.ie](http://www.rathmoreparish.ie)

or drop into the Parish Office

**Prayers & Sympathies.** To Michael O' Keeffe Tureenahill, Tadhg and Sheila & family on the death of Kathleen

O'Keeffe wife & mother & to her brother Davy. Kathleens funeral took place in Rathmore on Sat 12<sup>th</sup> Oct.

To Grace Crowley, Shane & Ruth on the death of Denis J (Den Joe Dinny) Crowley, Gortdarrig husband & father, his brother Noel & sister Mary & families. Denis's funeral took place in Shrone on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> Oct

To Gracie O'Connor, Fiona & Therese & families on the death of Willie O'Connor Tureenamult, husband & father, his sister Kathleen & families. Willies funeral took place on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Oct in Gneeveguilla

To Mary (Casey), Patsy Herlihy & families on the death of their mother Annie Herlihy Tureenahill/Renasup Annies funeral took place on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> Oct in Gneeveguilla.

To Brendan, Vincent, Frances, Noel and Ála Hickey & families on the death of their sister Eileen Hickey, Umeraboy Eileen's funeral took place on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> Sept in Knocknagree.

May Kathleen, Denis J, Willie, Annie & Eileen rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.



This weekend in Rathmore Church we have our Special Mass for those who are celebrating Special Wedding Anniversaries. The ceremony is very simple, and we include the text here to allow all the congregation to participate.

**RENEWAL OF VOWS**

**All Couples together:**

I renew my loving commitment to you, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, 'til death do us part. I promise for the time to come to give myself in love both to you and to our children, trusting in Christ Our Lord, whom we make present to each other in our marriage.

**BLESSING OF COUPLES**

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**PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**Response: We thank you Lord, and we praise You.**

- For the years of married life. **R.**
- For the love of husband and wife. **R.**
- For the gift of life and health. **R.**
- For the gift of family and friends. **R.**
- For the blessing received through success. **R.**
- For the lessons learned through disappointment. **R.**
- For the needy who compel us to be generous. **R.**
- For forgiveness and reconciliation. **R.**
- For faithfulness and love. **R.**
- For a happy home. **R.**
- For the joy of this day. **R.**

**PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL**

**Celebrant:** As we are gathered here on this happy occasion, we recall the words of Jesus Love one another as I have loved you. ' With these words in mind, we make our prayers.

1. May married couples witness to the community how Christ loves us all. **Lord hear us.**
2. May the grace of the Sacrament of Matrimony continue to be active in us, giving us inspiration and strength, understanding and gratitude. **Lord hear us.**
3. On our Wedding Day, you taught us to be open to the needs of our community. Help us to be open and generous to the needs of others. **Lord hear us.**
4. We pray for couples who are experiencing difficulties in their marriage. Give them courage to seek help from others. **Lord hear us.**
5. Bless all those who have been part of our lives over the years; those we have worked with, socialized with and all our friends. **Lord hear us.**
6. Grant eternal rest to all our relatives and friends. Welcome them Lord into the joy of your Kingdom.

**Lord hear us.**

**Celebrant:** God our Father, grant us in all our tasks your help, in all our doubts your guidance, and in all our weaknesses your strength. We ask this through Christ our Lord **Amen.**

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**PRAYER TO THE HOLY FAMILY**

*Jesus, Mary and Joseph,  
in you we contemplate  
the splendour of true love;  
to you we turn with trust.*

*Holy Family of Nazareth,  
grant that our families too  
may be places of communion  
and prayer,  
authentic schools of the Gospel  
and small domestic churches.*

*Holy Family of Nazareth,  
make us once more mindful  
of the sacredness and  
inviolability of the family,  
and its beauty in God's plan.  
Jesus, Mary and Joseph,  
graciously hear our prayer.*

*Amen. Pope Francis.*

**NOTICE**

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

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