#### **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.

### Fr Pat O'Donnell (064) 7758026 086 8351732

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

## SATURDAY 9th NOVEMBER & SUNDAY 10th NOVEMBER 2024

Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Shrone 6.00pm (Months Mind) Den Joe (Dinny) Crowley. Gortdarrig

Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Knocknagree 7.30pm (Do this in Memory of me) Donors Intentions

Denny Sheehan, Knocknagree & all deceased of the Sheehan family. Phil Dineen, Shinnagh. John Daly, Renasup Der Kelleher, Knocknashinnagh & his sister Nancy Buttimer. Betty Murphy, Newquarter

Denis Noel O'Leary Lacka & his parents Cathy & Denny O'Leary. Christy & Bridie O'Mahony Nohoval Upper

Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Gneeveguilla 9.30am (Do this In Memory of me) Gneeveguilla & Meentogues NS (Months Mind) Willie O'Connor, Tureenamult. Bryan Kelly, Gullane

Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Rathmore 11.30am Holy Family NS (Do this in Memory of Me)

Matt Reddington, Church Place & Shinnagh. Johnny Reen, Couneragh

Joan Finnegan, Scrahangullane. Mary O'Sullivan, Boherbue. Martin Duggan, Bounard.

Pastoral Area: Fr Pat O'Donnell (064) 7758026 086 8351732 on call Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Nov for emergency and sick calls.

### MONDAY 11th NOVEMBER to SUNDAY 17th NOVEMBER 2024

- Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Gneeveguilla 8.00pm (note time of Mass) Mass for those who died during the year
- Tues 12<sup>th</sup> Rathmore 9.30am People of the Parish
- Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Rathmore 8.00pm (note time of Mass) Mass for those who died during the year
- Thur 14<sup>th</sup> Day Care Centre Rathmore 11.15am November Mass
- Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Knocknagree 8.00pm (note time of Mass) Mass for those who died during the year
- Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Shrone 6.00pm Shrone & Hollymount NS (Do this in Memory of Me) Jackie & Cathy Scannell Shronebeg, John & Eileen O'Connell, Ferm Millstreet Denis Duggan, Gortnagown & also remembering his parents Bill & Mary. Nell & Denis O'Mahony, Gneeveguilla
- Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Knocknagree 7.30pm (Months Mind) Noreen Hickey Brú na Sinsear/ Umeraboy

Sun 17<sup>th</sup> Gneeveguilla 9.30am Neil Fleming, Margaret Brosnan, Tureenamult Teresa O'Keeffe, Tureenamult & her parents Nellie & Sonny O'Connor & her niece Aileen O'Riordan & Grandnephew Darran O'Sullivan. Denis Holey, Mallow/Castlemagner

Sun 17<sup>th</sup> Rathmore 11.30am Peter & Bridie Dennehy, Anablaha. Ann Leane Cronin, Freemount Gates. Mary & Genie O'leary, West End & their son Denis O'Leary, their daughter Maureen & her husband Bill Charleton & all deceased members of the Dineen family, Milleen. Lizzie & Bertie Desmond, Rathmore Townland

**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 <u>rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie</u>

**Prayers & Sympathies** To Brendan, Vincent, Frances, Noel and Ála Hickey & families on the death of their sister Noreen Hickey, Umeraboy./Brú na Sainsear. Noreen's funeral took in Knocknagree on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September. To the Hickey family Denny Peggy, Andy, Jack, Betty, Eileen, Jerry, Marian, Noreen & families on the death of their brother Thado Hickey, Mountcain. Thado's funeral took place on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> Nov in Knocknagree May Noreen & Thado rest in peace and may all who mourn their loss be comforted.

# A Meditation On Dying And Caring



(Henri J. M. Nouwen)

a Poor Soul in Pugatory One day, I was sitting with Rodleigh, the leader of the troupe, talking, about flying. He said, "As a flyer, I must have complete trust iii my catcher. The public might think that I am the' greatest star of the trapeze, but the real star is Joe, my catcher.

"How does it work?" I asked. "The secret," Rodleigh said, "is that the flyer does nothing and the catcher does everything: when I fly to Joe, I have simply to stretch out my arms and hands and wait for him to catch me."

When Rodleigh said this with so much conviction, the words of Jesus flashed through my mind: "Father into your hands I commend my Spirit." Dying is trusting in the catcher. To care for the dying is to say, "Don't be afraid. Remember that you are the beloved child of God. He will be there when you make your long jump. Don't try to grab him; he will grab you. Just stretch out your arms and hands and trust, trust, trust."

#### Parting

I watched you close your eyes I listened to every breath I held on tightly to your hand As you calmly welcomed death.

I tried to wish you back to life Afraid to let you go I wanted you to breathe again Oh! How I loved you so

I didn't know that I could cry, So many painful tears Thinking of your smiling face I've loved throughout the years

But somewhere in the hurt and pain The love of God shines through And helps me come to realise I'll one day be with you

"Today you are mourning And shedding your tears Recalling the memories We shared through the years I'm safely at home now So all you need to do Is love one another As I have so loved you November Mass Dates Pray a Rosary for a Poor Soul in Pugatory For those who died during the year Gneeveguilla Monday 11<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 8.00pm Rathmore Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 8.00pm Knocknagree Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 8.00pm

November Lists Masses Mon 18<sup>th</sup> Nov Gneeveguilla 7.00pm. Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov Shrone 6.00pm Wed 27<sup>th</sup> Nov Rathmore 7.00pm

## Poems

### Support from others.

Author unknown.

Don't tell me that you understand. Don't tell me that you know. Don't tell me that I will survive, How I will surely grow. Don't t come at me with answers That can only come from me. Don't tell me how my grief will pass, That I will soon be free. Accept me in my ups and downs. I need someone to share.

Just hold my hand and let me cry And say, "My friend; I care.

## Camino de Santiago

We hope to be back on the Pilgrim Path in 2025, with the dates **June 30**th **to July 8**th **or 9**th being considered the best option. Parishioners who may be interested in taking part, are asked to fill in the form below and hand it in to the Parish Office . Alternatively, you can email your detail to rathmore@dioceseofkerry.ie putting Camino 2025 as the subject title .

# Please Note Places are filling up quickly

Rathmore Parish Camino 2025
Name:
Address;
Phone Number:
Please Note: Once we have the names in, we will organise and information evening in mid-November, and it is only after that meeting that we will be looking for definite commitment.