

Sunday 6th August 2023

## Parish of Kilmore & Drumsnatt

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## ST. MARY'S CHURCH MASS INTENTIONS

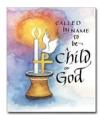
Sunday 6th August	10.00am	Birthday remembrance for Francie McElvaney
Saturday 12th August	10.00am	Mass—no intention booked
Sunday 13th August	10.00am	Mass—no intention booked
Tuesday 15th August	10.00am	Feast of the Assumption Pat & Bridget McQuaid & DM McQuaid & McGuinness families Golanmurphy
Saturday 19th August No Mass		
Sunday 20th August	10.00am	Brian Sheridan & Mary Clarke & DM Clarke family Michael & Mary Casey, Rooskey, TMH

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## ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 5th August 7.30pm	Mick & Monica Campbell & their son James, Ballymoney, & DM of Campbell & McFeeley families
Saturday 12th August 7.30pm	Patsy Sherry, 1st anniversary & his wife Bridie, London; Michael & Margaret Duffy, Ucher & DM; Frank, Rose, John & Annie McConnon, Slieverow & DM & Annmarie who passed away recently.
Saturday 19th August 12.30pm	Wedding Mass
Saturdsy 19th August 7.30pm	Gerald Brady & Margaret, Drummuck John & Ellen Callaghan, Annaglough & DM

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WE WELCOMED Faela, Rose-Frances Murphy into our parish faith community recently. We pray God's Blessings on her and her family.If you would like to arrange a Baptism, please contact the Parish office.

We pray for the happy repose of the souls of Kiea McCann and Dlava Mohamed who passed away following a tragic accident last Monday evening 31st July. May their young gentle and innocent souls rest in peace. We pray also for their families, may prayer ease their grief and bring comfort to them at this very sad and difficult time.



**Date for your Diary:** The Annual Clogher Diocesan One-Day Retreat at Lough Derg, led by Bishop Larry Duffy, will take place on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> August. For further details, please visit <u>www.loughderg.org</u>. Parishes or groups of parishes are encouraged to arrange for transport, should the demand exist.

**Lough Derg Pilgrim Path – Camino Style:** On Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> August, everyone is welcome to walk the Pilgrim Path around Lough Derg with the expert guidance of Fr La Flynn. There is a particular invitation to any man discerning priesthood. More information in the coming weeks. Parishes or groups of parishes are encouraged to arrange for transport, should the demand exist.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, Wednesday 6 September 2023**, led by Bishop Larry Duffy, Bishop of Clogher. Families and parish or prayer/community groups are welcome to make the journey and to gather in Knock for 10.30am that morning. The pilgrimage will conclude with Mass in the Basilica at 3pm. Organised by the Clogher Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes committee. Parishes or groups of parishes are encouraged to arrange for transport, should the demand exist.

**Under Mary's Mantle – Young Adult Conference** takes place in All Hallows College, DCU on  $19^{th}$  &  $20^{th}$  August. Join us for talks, workshops, mass, guided holy hours, and great socialising. Tickets can be both on Eventbrite. Two Day Rate €60; Saturday rate €40, Sunday rate €30. Overnight rates available. Call 085 1442423.

**National Novena at Knock Shrine 14- 22 August:** The National Novena to Our Lady of Knock offers you the opportunity to step away from everyday life and immerse yourself in prayer in the beautiful, peaceful grounds of Knock Shrine. Over the course of the nine-day Novena, we will hear from guest Homilists and Speakers during daily ceremonies at 3pm and 8pm at Knock Basilica. Our theme for this year is 'Caring for Creation.' Family Day will take place on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August from 11am-3pm and all are welcome. Find out more and view the full programme at <u>www.knockshrine.ie</u>

Last remaining places for Holy Land Christmas 2023 Ex Dublin, taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Sea of Galilee, Last Supper Room, Garden of Gethsemane, Mount of Olives with full day in Bethlehem on Christmas Day Payment can be made by instalments contact James Treacy 061921470 jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com

Last week many parishioners came to the cemetery to have their family graves looking very well for Cemetery Sunday. Indeed the beautiful appearance of the graves and the cemetery itself was a credit to the people of the area. It was very good to see so many people present in St. Mary's and Drumsnatt.

However, it is sad to learn that an incident of vandalism and theft has been reported. An item or items have been removed from a grave in the cemetery. This has happened before to the same grave and the family are naturally upset. They would like the stolen items to be returned. This can be done anonymously and without repercussions.