



Sunday 18th August 2024

Parish of Kilmore & Drumsnatt

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ST. MARY'S CHURCH MASS INTENTIONS

- Sunday 18th August 10.00am People of the Parish**
- Saturday 24th August 10.00am** John & Margaret Clerkin, & DM, Rooskey & Edward Coyle
James & Margaret Coyle, Mullanavannog & DM
- Sunday 25th August 10.00am** Smyth family, Skeagh
Michael & Mary Casey, Rooskey, TMH, & DM Casey & Coyle families
Martin McSkeane, Kathleen McSkeane & DM, Clonavarne
- Saturday 31st August 10.00am Mass** - no intentions booked
- Sunday 1st Sept 10.00am** Mona Lambe, Cooldarragh, Smithboro

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ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH MASS INTENTIONS

- Saturday 17th August 7.30pm** Anmarie Islam, neé McConnon, 1st anniversary; Frank &
Rose McConnon & John & Annie McConnon, Slieveroe
- Saturday 24th August 7.30pm Month's Mind - Lucy Finlay**
Gerald & Margaret Brady, Drummuck & DM
Thomas Staunton, Cavanagarvan & his brother Michael Staunton,
Galway
- Saturday 31st Sept 7.30pm Month's Mind - Michael Murphy**
Brother James Gavin OFM CAP, Stranooden & USA

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AMOUNT RECEIVED FOR WEEK ENDING 11TH AUGUST 2024: €729.26 Thank you



We pray for the happy repose of the soul of His Excellency Archbishop Noel Treanor, Silverstream, Tyholland, Monaghan, Belfast, Brussels and Bishop Emeritus of the Diocese of Down and Connor, who passed away on Sunday 11th August. May God grant eternal rest upon his soul.

Weekend Retreat for Mission Supporters and Friends of SMA
Friday 27th September (4.30pm) – Sunday 29th September (2.00pm)

The SMA community welcomes our Supporters and friends to this ***Weekend Retreat and Reflection***, which will be an opportunity to take time aside in the tranquil and relaxed setting of Dromantine. All will join in celebrating Mass each day at the Novena in honour of St. Thérèse. The Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Sacrament of the Sick will be celebrated during the weekend.

Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland is a weekend experience for married couples who want something more in their marriage - more fun, spontaneity, excitement, communication, understanding, romance, intimacy, passion, joy.

Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is Friday 8 - 10 November 2024 Venue: Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co. Kildare Online booking only: www.marriageencounter.ie

Pilgrimage to Greece in the Footsteps of St. Paul (Oct. 23rd – Nov. 2nd 2024). Experience a 10-night/11-day pilgrimage covering all major sites associated with St. Paul, including an overnight stay on the island of Patmos where St. John wrote the Book of Revelation. Hotels are 4-star hotels & half board, entrance fees to sites, a fully licensed guide, air-conditioned bus, ferry tickets with cabin from Patmos island & more. Daily Mass and Eucharistic Adoration. **Spiritual Director: Fr. Joseph Mary Deane, CFR.** This is a once-in-a-lifetime pilgrimage. Cost: €2040 (Land-ONLY). Please contact Angela at +353-89-2107277 or stpaul2024@proton.me for more information and to receive the full schedule.

Monaghan Institute's Open Evening is taking place on Wednesday 28th August 4pm -7pm. Meet our staff team and learn more about studying with us in September 2024. Browse courses and apply now @ www.monaghaninstitute.ie.

Reminder - Gift Aid CHY3 (Tax Relief form) Many thanks to all who have returned this form. If you have not done so yet, please return it as soon as possible.

Bishop Joseph Duffy's latest book *Aghabog Inheritance* was launched back in April of this year. ***Aghabog Inheritance*** concentrates on the history of the parish of Aghabog and the four surrounding parishes of Currin, Ematrix, Killeevan and **Kilmore & Drumsnatt**, uncovering many interesting historical facts, writings, stories, peoples, places and saints associated with the parish and townlands in the area covered by the book. The book is available for sale in the parish office.



Providing compassionate care at the end of life: To address the sensitive issue of compassionate care at the end of life, and in response to the need to inform the faithful of Catholic teaching on this important life issue that affects so many families, the Bishops of Ireland have published the pastoral letter: *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes*. You are invited to read this letter and view the accompanying video *Through the Valley*, which offers personal testimonies by carers and people with terminal illness. The key message of both letter and video asserts that every person possesses inherent, infinite dignity that remains intact regardless of their circumstances. In this context, bishops strongly oppose the Oireachtas Committee's proposal to Government to legislate for assisted suicide and call on support for healthcare workers who uphold the sanctity of life.

To read *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes* and to watch *Through the Valley*, visit the following link or scan the QR code: <https://www.catholicbishops.ie/2024/06/24/bishops-statement-on-end-of-life-care-freedom-to-live-fully-until-death-comes/>