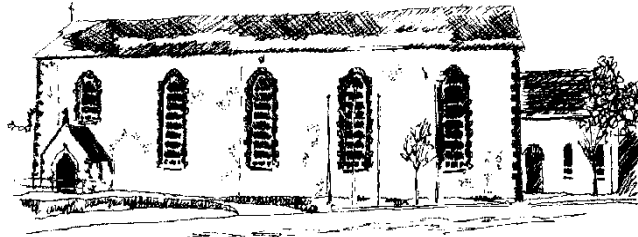


Dromtariffe Parish Newsletter



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**Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary time
Year B
Sunday 1st September 2024**

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Pastoral Area

Priest on Duty Sunday 8 Sept Fr John Fitzgerald (029) 70043 / 087 77 52 948

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Eucharistic Adoration

Monday Derrinagree Church for one hour,
11am to 12noon.

Wednesday in Dromagh Church for one hour,
11am to 12noon.

***Come & pray for a while. All welcome.
No weekly commitment.***



"Your time - God time"

Recent Deaths:

Bessie Sheahan, Rathcoole

Patrick O'Leary, Meenskehy

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS WEEK BEGINNING 7th September 2024

Day	Church	Time	Intention
Vigil Saturday	Derrinagree	7.30pm	
Sunday	Dromagh	10.00am	Mary Creedon Knockcahill, 1st Anniversary & her husband Dan Joe's 10th Anniversary
Tuesday	Derrinagree	10.00am	Special Intention
Thursday	Derrinagree	10.00am	

Weekend 14th / 15th September 2024

Saturday	Derrinagree	7.30pm	Dermot O'Flynn Gurteen, Months Mind Michèle Jamet France, Months Mind
Sunday	Dromagh	10.00am	Paddy O'Connell Ducleagh and his son Patrick O'Connell Noel O'Sullivan, Knockanroe Dermie Dunne, Dysert Patrick Moynihan, Dysert

❖ Special Collection this weekend for Diocesan Needs

A ring with an inscription was found in Dromagh Church, for information ring 087 939 4626, please.

The Pope's Monthly Intention

September – For the cry of the earth:

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

The Diocese is hosting a webinar to celebrate the **Season of Creation on 12th September at 7.30.pm.**

Go to www.dioceseofkerry.ie for more information and to register.

Speaker Dr. Niamh Brennan, educator and writer will focus on what is arguably the most critical crisis of our time, the climate crisis, whose effects are growing in our daily lives and raising concerns about the future of all life. ***Niamh will help us to celebrate the Season of Creation and to move forward To Hope and Act with Creation***

Thought for the week during the Season of Creation

Hope for a better future

And yet, there is hope and the expectation for a better future. To hope in biblical context does not mean to stand still and quiet, but rather groaning, crying, and actively striving for new life amidst the struggles. Just as in childbirth, we go through a period of intense pain, but new life is coming forth.

❖ Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine.

Annual Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Sunday 29th September. Bus leaves the Park Rd, Killarney at 6.30 a.m. Farranfore 7 a.m. Castleisland 7.20 a.m. Contact Pat Breen 0868510423

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 8 September 2024

We all have ears, but very often we are not able to hear. Why is this? It is interior deafness, which is worse than physical deafness, because it is the deafness of the heart. Taken up with haste, by so many things to say and do, we do not find time to stop and listen to those who speak to us. We run the risk of becoming impervious to everything and not making room for those who need to be heard. I am thinking about children, young people, the elderly, the many who do not really need words and sermons, but to be heard. Let us ask ourselves: how is my capacity to listen going? Do I let myself be touched by people's lives? Do I know how to spend time with those who are close to me in order to listen? This regards all of us, but in a special way also priests. The priest must listen to people, not in a rushed way, but listen and see how he can help, but after having listened. And all of us: first listen, then respond. Think about family life: how many times do we talk without listening first, repeating the same things, always the same things! Incapable of listening, we always say the same things, or we do not let the other person finish talking, expressing themselves, and we interrupt them. Starting a dialogue often happens not through words but silence, by not insisting, by patiently beginning anew to listen to others, hearing about their struggles and what they carry inside. The healing of the heart begins with listening. Listening.

Pope Francis

Relics of St Bernadette

In 1858, Our Blessed Lady appeared 18 times to a young girl, Bernadette Soubirous in Lourdes. Bernadette died in 1879 and was later canonized in 1933. Her relics will journey on pilgrimage to Ireland for the very first time, visiting every diocese in the country from September 4th to November 5th this year. This very special, once-in-a-lifetime event will provide an opportunity for people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes in our diocese. The Relics will be brought to **St Brendan's Church, Tralee on Friday September 13th and Saturday September 14th.**



FRIDAY PROGRAMME:

12 noon: Veneration begins
3pm: Stations of the Cross
6.30pm: Mass
8.30pm: Rosary and Veneration concludes

SATURDAY PROGRAMME:

9.30am: Parish Mass
12 noon: Mass for the sick with the Sacrament of Anointing
4pm: Rosary
6.30pm: Vigil Mass
9pm: Torchlight procession and Veneration concludes

Duhallow Choral Society are excited to announce that the choir is back, and we can't wait to start rehearsals! We invite all returning members and new faces to join us this season. If you've ever considered singing with us, now is the perfect time to give it a try. We're offering two special taster nights for new members to come and experience what it's like to sing with us. If you've ever considered joining, this is your perfect opportunity—come along and try it out! We look forward to welcoming you and hearing your voice!"

Location - Culturlann MacAmhlaoibh, Church Street, Newmarket, Co. Cork, P51 D854

Dates - 03rd & 10th of September

Time - 7pm for new members, rehearsals start at 7.30pm

Kind Regards, Gloria O'Doherty Weathers
PRO, Duhallow Choral Society 087 9638911