

PARISH OF INISHMAGRATH

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

5th September 2021

Fr Tom McManus – 964 8025

Neighbouring Priests: Fr T Mannion 964 3014 - Fr P Casey 916 4143 -

Fr Loughlain Carolan 985 3012

Masses

Sat 4th Sept	8:00pm	Creevelea	
Sun 5th Sept	10:00am	Tarmon	
Sun 5th Sept	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Des White.
Mon 6th Sept	7:00pm	Drumkeeran	
Tues 7th Sept	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Wed 8th Sept	10:00am	Creevelea	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
Thurs 9th Sept	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Fri 10th Sept	7:00pm	Tarmon	
Sat 11th Sept	8:00pm	Creevelea	Frances O'Brien, Glassdrummond & Ann & Seamus O'Brien.
Sun 12th Sept	10:00am	Tarmon	
Sun 12th Sept	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Johnnie Gallagher & Deceased Family, Drumbrahade. Norman Kelly (1st Anniversary)

Remember: 1. Sanitise your hands at the door.
2. Wear a face mask all the time, covering nose AND mouth.
3. Keep the 2m distance.

Pray For: Anna May Crowe, Ballyconnell, Co. Cavan; sister of Roisín Devanney. Anna died on Wednesday last. May she rest in peace.

Season of Creation: Will be celebrated from 1 Sept to 4 Oct 2021. Please sign the petition known as the "Healthy Planet, Healthy People Petition" available at <http://healthyplanetandpeople.org/>. It is envisaged that this petition with signatures will be presented by Pope Francis to the Presidents of these upcoming UN conferences.

Parish "Green Team": Bishop Martin has asked all parishes to set up a "Green Team" committee. The main function of the team will be to implement practical idea to protect nature and slow down the destruction of our planet and to stop climate change. If you are interested in coming onto such a committee, please give your name to Fr. Tom.

DIOCESE OF KILMORE – LAUDATO SI'

'Together as one, we can make a difference'

LAUDATO SI' ON CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

"A world of exacerbated consumption is at the same time a world which mistreats life in all its forms". (LS 230)

Here are some suggestions for how your parish can implement Laudato Si':

1. The truth about disposable plastic water bottles! It takes 3 litres of water to produce a 1 litre bottle of water. Tap water is safe to drink. If in doubt contact your Local Council. Keep a jug of water in the fridge instead of waiting for the tap to run cold.
2. Are we a throw away culture! It takes around 2,700 litres of water to make a single cotton t-shirt and it takes almost 500,000 litres of water to extract just 1 kg of gold.
3. Do you need the latest mobile phone? There is up to 30 times more gold in a tonne of old mobile phones than in a tonne of gold ore.
4. Wash laundry at 30°C when possible: It cuts CO emissions, saves energy and helps the environment.
5. Reduce overall meat intake and have at least one weekly meat-free day: Around 16,000 litres of water is consumed to produce just 1 kg of beef.
6. Boil only the amount of water you need in the kettle: It saves on energy, time and electricity costs.
7. Reduce driving speeds: Smooth driving results in less fuel consumption and reduces emissions of other pollutants from vehicles.
8. Don't leave electrical appliances on stand-by: 1 kWh of electricity from a plug socket takes almost 3 kWh of energy to produce.
9. Use both sides of the paper: it takes more energy to make 1kg of paper than it takes to make 1kg of steel.
10. Check out your font size: switching from the font 'Arial' to 'Century Gothic' saves 30% ink on printing.
11. Enjoy more time in nature: it connects us to all of God's Creation and has numerous benefits for our wellbeing.

Formulated by the Kilmore Diocesan Laudato SI' Group

"...amid the busyness of our day, "Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies" (St. Mother Teresa)

For more information on our LAUDATO SI' MISSION, please check out:

Season of Creation resources at www.kilmorediocese.ie

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Glenfarne Meals On Wheels: We are now in full operation in conjunction with the HSE anyone interested in getting this service please contact the Rainbow Ballroom on 0719856831 or your local public health nurse. We are recruiting new staff for our meals on wheels service. Cook/Kitchen Manager 39hrs; Kitchen Assistant 19.5hrs; Van Delivery Driver 19.5hrs; All positions are CSP supported roles funded by Pobal and are subject to certain eligibility criteria.