

PARISH OF INISHMAGRATH

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

14th November 2021

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

Fr Loughlain Carolan 985 3012

Masses

Sat 13th Nov	8:00pm	Tarmon	Jim & Mary Hazlette and Deceased Of the Family.
Sun 14th Nov	10:00am	Creevelea	
Sun 14th Nov	11:15am	Drumkeeran	PJ McLoughlin, Sheena (MM).
Mon 15th Nov	7:00pm	Drumkeeran	
Tues 16th Nov	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Wed 17th Nov	10:00am	Creevelea	
Thurs 18th Nov	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Fri 19th Nov	7:00pm	Tarmon	
Sat 20th Nov	8:00pm	Tarmon	
Sun 21st Nov	10:00am	Creevelea	
Sun 21st Nov	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Margaret McTiernan (MM). Paddy Kelly.

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: Desmond O'Rourke of Birmingham, England, son of John and, the late, Winnie O'Rourke formerly of Derrybofin House, Drumkeeran who died in Birmingham recently. Desmond's funeral will take place in Birmingham on Mon 15 Nov. May he rest in peace.

Indulgences for the Dead: The Pope has extended the time for the whole month of November. Going to Confession, Receiving Holy Communion, Praying for the Pope's intentions, reciting of the Our Father and the Apostle's Creed will help the faithful departed.

Thanks: Trócaire Emergency Appeal - €885.
Mission Sunday - €946.
November Offerings - €1255.
Thanks to those who have contributed.

Readers at Weekend Masses: From now on the family who book an anniversary Mass will be responsible for getting the Reader(s) for the Vigil Mass on Saturday and the two Sunday Masses. If there are 2 intentions for a particular Mass the families involved can share the readings.

Mass from Knock Shrine: On Sun 14 Nov at 3pm the Bishops of Ireland will celebrate Mass for all who suffered loss of loved ones during the Pandemic, for all those who died and in thanks for all who sacrificed so much. The service will be live-streamed online at www.knockshrine.ie and broadcast on RTÉ News Now.

Points to Ponder

Mark 13:24-32

The deprivation that marks poverty as telling signs of our selfishness and sinfulness is no uplifting sight. Such deprivation can mask the humanity of a person. Listening to the unconnected and mindless ramblings of a schizophrenic is not engaging conversation. Guiding an inebriated alcoholic to a seat at meals for the poor takes strength, but no great skill or wisdom. The human weakness seemingly wasted talent, and wilful neglect are more than opportunities for pity. We are to see, however dimly and haltingly, Jesus the Lord, broken, hurt and in need. And so we see the Lord and we are not afraid to keep looking, no matter how searing or overwhelming the vision may be. We see the Lord, and so our hearts are moved beyond pity and sympathy to compassion. We move to a stance that believes that our lives join some way or another; our hurts are shared, for we stand together. We join together to comfort, to relieve, to change, to confront. Those filled with the charism of Vincent de Paul know in a powerful way just what the Body of Christ is. We are all brothers and sisters in the Lord, a truth too terrible to believe if we only see deprivation.

Public Meeting: At the Bee Park Community Centre, Manorhamilton on Tues 16 Nov at 8pm. Ciaran Mullooly will chair a discussion on the erosion of public services in Rural Ireland. This is evident by the closure of banks, post offices, etc. COVID guidelines and regulations will be strictly adhered to.

Lough Allen College: This year Lough Allen College is raising money through a clothing reuse scheme, please donate any unwanted clothes, paired shoes, handbags, belts, curtains & bed linen. Please ensure clothes & shoes are clean. Please bring your unwanted items to LAC before school starts on the 15th November. Thank you.

North Leitrim Women's Centre: Christmas Market will be held on Sat 4th and Sun 5th Dec, at the Bee Park Centre, Manorhamilton from 12 noon - 4pm. There will be different stalls each day. Come along and tell all of your friends. Even Scrooge wouldn't miss it! Be in with a chance to win some fantastic prizes in our "Christmas Bauble Draw".