

# PARISH OF INISHMAGRATH

## Feast of Christ the King of the Universe

20th November 2022

Fr Tom McManus – 964 8025

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

Fr Loughlain Carolan 985 3012

### Masses

Sat 19th Nov	8:00pm	Tarmon	Francie & Katie Flynn & Deceased Family, Cartron Beg.
Sun 20th Nov	10:00am	Creevelea	Liam Bouchier & Deceased of the Bouchier Family.
	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Paddy Kelly.
Mon 21st Nov	6:00pm	Drumkeeran	Adoration 6pm to 6:50pm before Mass.
	7:00pm	Drumkeeran	
Tues 22nd Nov	11:00am	Áras Bhríde	
Wed 23rd Nov	10:00am	Creevelea	
Thurs 24th Nov	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Fri 25th Nov	7:00pm	Tarmon	
Sat 26th Nov	8:00pm	Tarmon	Peter Gallagher (MM), Cloonamurgal.
Sun 27th Nov	10:00am	Creevelea	Stephen & Kathleen McNama, Tawnylea.
	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Norah Gallagher, Derrinvoney.

**Confession:** Available after weekday Masses or anytime on request.

**Pray For:** Tommy Feehily, Tullinwillian, whose funeral took place on Thurs 17 Nov in St Brigid's Church, Creevelea. May he rest in peace in the loving arms of the Lord.

**Change of Tarmon Vigil Mass:** Change to the Vigil Mass time in Tarmon from 8:00pm to 7:00pm starting on Sat 3 Dec for a **trial basis** over the winter.

**Readers and Eucharistic Ministers:** We need more helpers in each of these ministries. If you can help please give your name to Fr. Tom, thank you.

**November Masses:** You can bring in your November envelope and include your offering and a list of the deceased you want included in the November Masses. These can be left in a basket on the Altar. Please do not leave envelopes containing money unless there is a Mass at that time. Thanks.

**Society of St Vincent de Paul:** In these difficult times the SVP are available to help out in the event of financial/energy difficulty. We can be contacted on 085 776 4431 or by putting a message in the box at the back of the Drumkeerin Church. Our service is completely confidential.

### Points to Ponder:

### Luke 23:35-43

What is the Kingdom of God? What is the Kingdom of Christ the King? Here is a beautiful explanation given by Gerald Darring (St Louis University; Centre for Liturgy): "The Kingdom of God is a space. It exists in every home where parents and children love each other. It exists in every region and country that cares for its weak and vulnerable. It exists in every parish that reaches out to the needy. The Kingdom of God is a time. It happens whenever someone feeds a hungry person, or shelters a homeless person, or shows care to a neglected person. It happens whenever we overturn an unjust law, or correct an injustice, or avert a war. It happens whenever people join in the struggle to overcome poverty, to erase ignorance, to pass on the Faith. The Kingdom of God is in the past (in the life and works of Jesus of Nazareth); it is in the present (in the work of the Church and in the efforts of many others to create a world of goodness and justice); it is in the future (reaching its completion in the age to come). The Kingdom of God is a condition. Its symptoms are love, justice, and peace. Jesus Christ is King!" We pray today that God may free all the world to rejoice in His peace, to glory in His justice, to live in His love.

We belong to His Kingdom only when we try to walk with Him, when we try to live our lives fully in the spirit of the Gospel and when that Gospel spirit penetrates every facet of our living.

*Fr. Antony Kadavil*

**John McKenna Society:** We are in the process of getting the 2023 John McKenna calendar ready for publication. You can email photographs to [info@johnmckenna.ie](mailto:info@johnmckenna.ie) or give them to any committee member.

**Property Marking:** Keep your property safe and traceable at this event at Drumkeerin GAA grounds on Sat 26 November from 11:00am until 2:00pm.

**Save the date:** The North Leitrim Women's Centre Christmas Market held at The Bee Park Centre, Manorhamilton on Sat 3rd and Sun 4th December from 12 noon until 4:00pm. Different stalls on each day. A great chance to get all your shopping under one roof and support local businesses.

**PEACEPLUS:** A group of consultants working with Leitrim County Council on an Action Plan to spend the counties €3million allocation are holding a public meeting in the evening of Tues 22 Nov at 7:00pm in the W8 Centre, Manorhamilton. For any further information please contact [peace@leitrimcoco.ie](mailto:peace@leitrimcoco.ie) or see the news page on the Parish website.