

PARISH OF INISHMAGRATH

First Sunday of Lent

10th March 2019

Fr Tom McManus – 964 8025

Neighbouring Priests Fr T Mannion 964 3014 Fr A Fagan 916 4143 Fr Loughlain Carolan 9853012

Sunday Masses

St. Patrick's Church, Tarmon

Sat 9th Mar 8.00 pm Gerard McKenna, Sheena

Sat 16th Mar 8.00 pm Vigil of St Patrick's Day
Jim & Eileen McKenna, Cartron

St Brigid's Church, Creevelea

Sun 10th Mar 10.00 am John & Annie McTiernan and grandsons John & Aidan

Sun 17th Mar 10.00 am St Patrick's Day
Deceased of the Harte & McGee Families

St Brigid's Church, Drumkeeran

Sun 10th Mar 11.15 am John Joe Flanagan (2nd Anniversary)

Sun 17th Mar 11.15 am St Patrick's Day
Tom & Mary Dowd
Peter Curnan and the Deceased of the Curnan Family

Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament

Drumkeeran	Monday	7.30 pm - 9.00 pm
Creevelea	Wednesday	6.00 pm - 7.00 pm
Tarmon	Friday	6.00 pm - 7.00 pm

Masses During the Week

Monday	7.00 pm	Drumkeeran	Special Intention
Tuesday	10.30 am	Áras Bhríde	Special Intention
Wednesday	7.00 am	Drumkeeran	Special Intention
Thursday	7.00 pm	Creevelea	Special Intention
Friday	7.00 pm	Tarmon	Special Intention

Lent: During Lent there will be a 7am Mass in Drumkeeran Church on Wednesdays. The Thursday Mass will be held at 7pm in Creevelea.

Altar Servers: There will be a short meeting for the parents of Altar Servers after the 8pm Mass on Sat 9 Mar in Tarmon and again after 11.15am Mass on Sun 10 Mar in Drumkeeran (including Creevelea) regarding child safeguarding, all parents need to attend.

Confession: Available after weekday Mass or anytime on request.

Lourdes Pilgrimage: If you forgot your contribution last weekend, you can leave it in the Sacristy this weekend, thanks. We have €130 collected so far.

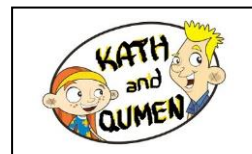
St Patrick's Day: We will be having a collection next Saturday and Sunday, please be generous in your contribution to the collection for the following good causes; Nigerian Missions and the Emigrant Collection. 80% goes to the Nigerian Mission and 20% to the Emigrant Fund. Thanks.

Novena of Hope: Held at The Graan is from Sat 23 Mar (6.30pm) to Mon 1 Apr. Please see their poster at the back of Church or contact The Graan on 028 66322272.

Job Vacancy: We require a Sacristan for Drumkeeran Church. An adult over 18 years of age, male or female, who would be interested in these duties, please contact Fr. Tom for full information. Applications on or before Fri 29 March 2019.

Learning about the Mass with Kath and Qumen for the First Communion pupils:

The Creed - After the Homily the Priest invites us to stand and profess our faith. We do this by saying the Creed. There are two Creeds that can be said at Mass; The Apostles' Creed and The Nicene Creed. The Creed tells us simply what we believe as members of the Church. We stand to show that we are proud to be followers and friends of Jesus.



Prayer of the Faithful - During this time we pray for the needs, particularly for the Church, the leaders of our country, those who are sick and in need of God's healing and those who have died. The Prayer of the Faithful is normally spoken by the Minister of the Word on our behalf. At the end of each prayer there is a moment of silence and then the Minister of the Word says: "Lord hear us" or "We pray to the Lord", and we answer: "Lord graciously hear us" or "Lord hear our prayer".

Kilmore Diocese: 1. A workshop will take place in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cavan next Wednesday evening from 7:30pm to 9:30pm for choir members, organists, musicians and all who are interested in music in the liturgy to prepare for Lent and Easter. This extended choir practice will be led by Fr. Charlie O'Gorman, Diocesan Director of Sacred Music, and will feature some new material. All welcome and refreshments will be served. Booking is essential, contact the Centre on 049 4375004 or email to pastoralcentre@kilmorediocese.ie.

2. A formation evening for new and existing Ministers of the Word (Readers) will be held in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cullies, Cavan on Tues 2 April at 7.30pm.

3. A formation evening for new and existing Ministers of the Eucharist will be held in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cullies, Cavan on Tues 9 April at 7.30pm. To book a place for either phone 049-4375004 or email: pastoralservices@kilmorediocese.ie.

Galilee Spirituality Centre: Located just outside Boyle on the N4. We are developing our programmes and would like to make them more widely known, please see <https://www.galilee.ie/programme/> or www.galilee.ie.

Drama: Drumkeeran Drama Group stage the hilariously funny, 3 Act Comedy play, "Mother Knows Best" by Jimmy Keary in Drumkeeran Community Centre on Sat 9 and Sun 10 March at 8.30pm each night. Doors open at 7.45pm. This is one of the funniest plays ever staged in Drumkeeran. So audiences are in for wonderful entertainment. They will laugh all the way from the curtain rising until it falls. So don't miss it!

Set Ceili: To be held in the Community Centre on Mon 18 Mar from 4-7pm. All are welcome to attend.

Tarmon National School: Parents' Association is holding a cake sale in the school on Saturday 9th March at 8.30pm after Mass. Please support.

Lough Allen College: Is holding a "Cash for Clobber" on Wed 20 Mar. If you have old clothes shoes etc. they can be dropped to the school.

Note: We have a couple of boxes of "used" Sanctuary Lamp candles, Can anyone reuse the wax left in them before they get sent off to land fill? Please see the Sacristan at Drumkeeran Church.