

PARISH OF INISHMAGRATH

The Baptism of the Lord
7th January 2018

Fr Tom McManus – 964 8025

Neighbouring Priests Fr T Mannion 964 3014 Fr A Fagan 916 4143 Fr C O’Gorman 985 3012

Sunday Masses

St. Patrick’s Church, Tarmon

Sat 6th Jan 8.00 pm The Epiphany
Sat 13th Jan 8.00 pm Mick Smyth & Daughter, Teresa Bruckner & Deceased of the Gilmartin Family.

St Brigid’s Church, Creevelea

Sun 7th Jan 10.00 am
Sun 14th Jan 10.00 am John Brandt (MM)

St Brigid’s Church, Drumkeeran

Sat 6th Jan 11.15 am The Epiphany
Sun 7th Jan 11.15 am
Sun 14th Jan 11.15 am Kevie Harkin

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	10.00 am	Creevelea	Special Intention
Thursday	10.00 am	Drumkeeran	Special Intention
Friday	7.00 pm	Tarmon	Special Intention

Confession: After weekday Masses or anytime on request.

WMF: If you are interested in getting a ticket or helping out as a volunteer next August for the World Meeting of Families, you need to first register online at www.worldmeeting2018.ie

Collection Envelopes!: Please take your box of envelopes for next year from the table at the back of the Church in your area. Thanks. Also, please check that you have paid your Dues and Offertory Collections for 2017. The Dues support the Priest. The offertory supports the Church. If paying Dues by cheque, make it payable to “Priests Revenue a/c” and if to your Church make it payable to either “Drumkeeran Church a/c”, “Tarmon Church a/c” or “Creevelea Church a/c”. If you are new to the Parish and want to support your local Church financially, please contact Fr Tom.

Welcome: To Madison Kate Ward, daughter of Liam and Bernadette, Lisnanaw; who was baptised on Sat 30 Dec in St Brigid’s Church Creevelea.

Ministries for January:

Readers: Drumkeeran Church - Aimee O’Grady
Creevelea Church - Sara Bouchier
Tarmon Church - Brian Keane
Collectors: Tarmon Church - Kathleen & Gerry Rynn
Eucharistic Ministers: Drumkeeran Church - Margaret McPartlan & Paddy J Daly
If a Eucharistic Minister is not available please inform Eamonn O’Grady on 086 8627106. Collect the list from Fr. Tom that gives the timetable for Eucharistic Ministers for Drumkeeran.
Altar Society: Drumkeeran Church - The Williams Family

Congratulations: To the couples who got married recently in the Parish. Conor Tiernan and Chelsea Carroll who got married on Sun 31 Dec in St Brigid’s Church, Drumkeeran and Alan Murdock and Crystal Hamilton who also got married on Sun 31 Dec in St Brigid’s Church, Creevelea. May both couples know God’s Blessings all through their married lives.

Women’s Group: A post-Christmas lunch is being planned on Sun 7 Jan at 2pm in Jack’s Restaurant in Belcoo. If interested, please contact Frances on 087 776 4748 at the earliest.

Rowanberry Centre: Would like to apologise to the whole community as the Library didn’t open as planned due to unforeseen difficulties, we will keep you posted with a new opening date in the very near future. Thank you from The Rowanberry Board.

Drama: Drumkeeran Drama Group present a 3 Act Comedy, "A Wake in the West" on Fri 12 Jan, Sat 13 Jan and Sun 14 Jan in Drumkeeran Community Centre, nightly at 8.30pm. Booking is by ticket only, tickets can be booked by calling 086 1608378 and your tickets can be paid for and collected at the door on the particular night.

Drumkeeran Youth Café: Courthouse renovations are due to start in the New Year. We are delighted to inform you that we’ve received funding for heaters for the building. But these cannot be installed without repairs to the roof and floors. We are currently applying for grants for the building and will be doing fundraising to get our young people back into their Youth Club. We thank you for your continued support in this matter.

The Ice Skating trip was a great success!

There are still limited spaces available for the Pantomime trip on Sun 14 Jan to see Beauty and the Beast. The bus will leave at 6pm. The trip is open to non-Youth Club members and tickets will cost €15 for third class and above.

Contact: Maeve Gallagher on 086 2250866

Annual Eucharistic Healing Retreat: Led by Mr Eddie Stones & Fr Bill Keogh in the Abbey Hotel, Donegal Town - Fri 12 Jan (starting at 4pm), Sat 13 & Sunday 14 (finishing at 2pm). Registration €25. Contact: Mary 087 7847304 / Catherine 087 9432846 / Philip 087 2508043.

Tanagh Forest School: Rossmore Park 2018. Dates: On the following Saturdays; 10 Feb, 17 Feb, 24 Feb, 3 March & 10 March 2018. Cost: €40 per child for the 5 weeks. Suitable for those aged 6-12yrs. This Forest School is subsidised by Monaghan County Council’s Environmental Services and the Local Agenda 21 Environmental Partnership Fund 2017. Limited spaces on the course, book early to avoid this appointment. Booking and Payment in advance is essential with Tanagh Outdoor Education and Training Centre. Contact Philomena on 049-5552988 for more information