

PARISH OF INISHMAGRATH

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

27th October 2024

Fr Tom McManus – 964 8025

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

Fr Loughlain Carolan 985 3012

Masses

Important Notice: The Sunday Mass will return to Drumkeeran Church this Sunday 27th October. Thanks you for your patience whilst the works have been going on and we look forwards now to having a warm place to worship.

Should you wish to help with the costs of repair, please send a donation to Fr Tom and mark envelopes "Heating", cheques payable to Drumkeeran Church Account or make the donation directly to; IBAN: IE12 BOFI 9054 0829 8913 29 please use the reference "Heating" and your name. Thanks to the parishioners who have given a donation to help cover the cost of the new heating system.

Sat 26th Oct	7:00pm	Creevelea	
Sun 27th Oct	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Sean & Donald Fidgeon. Pauline O'Connor (MM).
Mon 28th Oct	6:00pm	Drumkeeran	Adoration.
	7:00pm	Drumkeeran	Mass. Jack Gallagher, Derrycullinan.
Tue 29th Oct	11:00am	Áras Bhríde	
Wed 30th Oct	10:00am	Creevelea	
Thurs 31st Oct	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Fri 1st Nov	7:00pm	Tarmon	All Saints Day. Patrick & Helen Leydon & Deceased Family.
			All Souls Day. Peter Gallagher (2nd Anniversary) & Deceased of The Gallagher Family.
Sat 2nd Nov	7:00pm	Creevelea	
Sun 3rd Nov	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Mary Ellen & John Byrne & Deceased Family. Sean, Noel & baby Ann, Pat & Mary Ellen & All Deceased of the McWeeney Family. Tony Forde & Deceased Family.

Relics of Saint Bernadette: Will visit the Cathedral of Saint Patrick and Felim on Mon 28 Oct and Saint Clare's Church, Manorhamilton on Tues 29 Oct. The relics have been brought on a very rare trip outside of France, coming to Ireland from Lourdes and are expected to draw many as they are venerated in Catholic Churches throughout Ireland. Further information available on the noticeboards and website.

Financial Appeal to Parishioners: All parishioners in all the parishes of the Diocese are asked to increase their contributions to the Offertory Collection; this supports the churches in the parish. The letter from the Bishop is available at the door of the church together with a sign-up option form with the bank details of the parish to give you the best choice for you to contribute. The increase in the offertory collection is to meet increased expenses in the Parishes and to contribute to the administration of the Diocese - the guidance given is €1 per day or €7 per week.

Leitrim County Council: There will be a Mass said for the deceased members and staff of Leitrim County Council in St Mary's Church, Carrick on Shannon on Mon 4 Nov at 8:00pm.

Visitations: Fr Tom will be doing his rounds on Fri 1 Nov.

November Masses to Pray for the Deceased: You can write out a list of your Deceased Family and include it in the Masses in your local church for November. These lists are put in a box on the Altar. Please don't include November offerings unless there is Mass in the church at that time.

Church Ministers for November:

Readers:

Drumkeeran Church - Mary Louise McCabe.

Creevelea Church - Frances McMorro.

Readings are available in the Sacristy of each church.

Eucharistic Ministers:

Drumkeeran Church - Margaret McPartlan, Carmel Wynne,
Josephine White

Creevelea Church - 2 Volunteers wanted if Paddy McMorro &
Mary Kerins not present.

Collectors:

Drumkeeran Church - Paul Gallagher, Tomás Cassidy, Carmel Wynne, Fintan
Gilrane. (If needed in the Choir, please get a substitute.)

Creevelea Church - 2 volunteers needed please.

Thanks to all who volunteer to help out.

Helpers Wanted: Stewards from this Parish to help out in Manorhamilton on Tues 29 Oct for the visit of the Relics of St Bernadette. If you can help out for any of the hours from 10:00am to 10:00pm, please give your name and the time that suits you to Fr Tom. Thanks.

Thought for the Day:

Mark 10:46-52

'The Most Holy Virgin in these last times in which we live has given a new efficacy to the recitation of the Rosary to such an extent that there is no problem, no matter how difficult it is, whether temporal or above all spiritual, in the personal life of each one of us, of our families ... that cannot be solved by the Rosary. There is no problem, I tell you, no matter how difficult it is, that we cannot resolve by the prayer of the Holy Rosary.'

Sister Lucia dos Santos of Fatima

Drumkeeran NS: Are holding a Cash for Clobber Collection on Thurs 7 Nov, please drop in clean, dry clothes, matched pairs of shoes, handbags, belts, etc. into school. We cannot accept duvets or pillows. If you have a large amount of black sacks, a collection can be arranged and delivered to school for you. This is an important fund raising event for the school please support.

Tarmon NS Parents Association: Presents our Community Halloween Pumpkin Patch event at Tarmon NS, on Sun 27 Oct from 12 noon to 3:00pm. Admission is €10 per child or €25 for a family of 3 or more. Parents and children under 2 are Free. All welcome.

Drumkeeran Youth Café: Halloween Movie night, on Wed 30 Oct at 7:00pm in the Courthouse. Showing Hotel Transylvania at a cost of €5 per child with treats included, fancy dress is optional. This event is aimed at National School aged children.

Walking Football: Walking football continues at the Astro Turf pitch this coming Tuesday at 7:00pm. It is open to anyone over 40 and of course there is no upper age limit. Come along get some steps in and have a kick about!