

PARÓISTE NA DROMODA- PARISH NEWSLETTER - 4<sup>th</sup> February 2018

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**SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN**

*If you have a child protection concern or wish to report an allegation, please contact the Designated Safeguarding Children Officer for the Diocese of Kerry on (087)6362780*

**MASS INTENTIONS FROM  
4<sup>th</sup> February – 11<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February**

+10.00am Mass in St Finian's celebrating Month's Mind Mass for John O'Neill.

**\*\*Blessing of throats after Mass.\*\***

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

10.00am Mass in Oratory for a special intention.

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February**

7.30pm Mass in St Finian's for special intentions.

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February**

10.00am Mass in Oratory for John and Lily Corrigan, Monaghan.

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February**

**NO MASS**

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February**

7.30pm Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the soul of Paddy McGillicuddy, Cable Station.

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> February**

12 noon: Mass in St Finian's celebrating Months Mind Mass for John Foley, Beenbane.

+7.30pm Vigil Mass in Cillin Liath for the repose of the souls of Mike and Cathy O'Shea, Derrinedin.

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February**

+10.00am Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the souls of Paddy and Mary Goold.

**CONFESSIONS:** As requested before or after Masses

**COLLECTIONS**

The offertory collection last week was €1,435. We thank you for your generosity. Next week there will be a special collection for the Lourdes Helpers.

**MINISTRY ROTA**

**Altar Servers next weekend:**

Cillin Liath: Team 3:  
Amy Curran, Eimear Daly, an other.

St Finian's: Team 4: Kayleigh Walsh, Bella Farrell, Beta Farrell.

**Lectors (Readers) for next weekend:**

Cillin Liath: Vigil Mass 7.30pm :  
Cathy Courtney.

St Finian's: Eileen Loughane.

**Eucharistic Ministers next weekend:**

Cillin Liath: Sheila O'Connor,  
Suzanne O'Leary, Betty O'Sullivan.

St Finian's: Helen O'Sullivan,  
Breda Fenton, Katherine Walsh.

**Our Lady of the Valley Church Cleaners**

**Rota for February**  
Cáit Uí Chonaill, Mary O'Sullivan

**St Finian's Church Cleaners**

**Rota for February**  
Bridie Moran, Eileen Murphy

**STATION MASS**

If you would like to have a Station Mass in your home please let Fr Gerard know. This can be a time of great blessings for your family and neighbours.

**FINANCE BOARD MEETING**

Monday night, 5<sup>th</sup> Feb , 7pm in Presbytery.

**WEEKLY ENVELOPES 2017/TAX RELIEF;**

Parishioners who have paid over £250 in their weekly envelopes during 2017 will receive a letter in the post over the coming weeks along with a Tax Relief Form. Please fill out your details in this Form and return in the envelope provided. By doing this, the parish will be able to claim tax relief for the year 2015 onwards. This tax relief will be of benefit for the upkeep and repairing costs of the parish. Thank you in advance.

If you have already received a Form for the year 2015 or 2016, then you won't be sent a 2017 Form as they are valid for five years. Thank you to all who have returned these Forms

**NOTICES**

**OPERATION TRANSFORMATION-** Waterville GAA are participating in "Light Ireland up" in association with Operation Transformation. An initiative to get people out and socialising in the dark winter weeks. It will take place from 7pm-7:45pm on 5 Mondays (29 Jan, 5, 12, 19, 26 Feb) in the lit up side of the car park with light exercises led by Eugene. All ages - children, adults, parents, grandparents etc are encouraged to come along and take part.

**ÉIGSE NA BRIDEOIGE:** 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> February throughout South Kerry. Highlights include Lectures, The Éigse concert with the music group Dordán and the launch of the Binneas CD 'Ceol agus amhráin Uíbh Ráthaigh. For the full programme of events pick up a leaflet locally or check out [www.eigsenabrideoige.com](http://www.eigsenabrideoige.com)

**CARETAKERS FOR IONAD NA DROMODA-**Tá feighlithe ag teastáil in Ionad na Dromoda i gcomharbacht ar na feighlithe ata éirithe as le déanaí. Má tá spéis ag éinne chur glaoch ar an Bainisteoir Cathy i gcomhair eolas breise. Our caretakers at Ionad na Dromoda have now retired. If anyone is interested please call Cathy an Bainisteoir for further information on 087 6852570.

**FUNDRAISING BINGO** -Colaiste na Sceilge are holding a fundraising Bingo Night on Thursday 8th February at 8pm in the Ring of Kerry Hotel, Cahersiveen. €10 per book- Jackpot must go on the night. All proceeds towards refurbishment of school library. All support appreciated

**RECYCLING WORKSHOP-** 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2pm-3pm Asana school , Quay street, Caherciveen. Recycling Ambassador Abigail Joffe in conjunction with the Ballinskelligs Environmental Action Group (BEAG) will show you what you can recycle in your household bin in this free interactive workshop as part of Voice Ireland's Recycling Ambassador Programme. The Recycling Workshops are being offered to help people improve Ireland's recycling rates and reduce levels of contamination in household recycling bins. Don't miss this opportunity to learn how to get your recycling bin sorted.

**S.N. CILLIN LIATH OPEN DAY-** For new pupils takes place on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> February 11am-1pm

**ST. FINIAN'S NATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLMENT** for Infants Class September 2018: Anyone wishing to enrol children for start of school in September 2018 should fill out the relevant School Application Form and return it to St. Finian's National School before Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> March. The Application Form is available from the School Office.