

PARÓISTE NA DROMODA- PARISH NEWSLETTER - 25th February 2018

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

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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
25th February - 4th March 2018**

Sunday 25th February

+10.00am Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the soul of Julia Sugrue, St Finian's Tce.

Monday 26th February

10.00am Mass in Oratory for the repose of the souls of John and Bridie Hynes, Glenbeigh/Garranafula.

Tuesday 27th February

7.30pm Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the souls of Bernadette and Bill Mandefield, Murrioch.

Wednesday 28th February

10.00am Mass in Oratory for the repose of the soul of Timmy O Sullivan and deceased family members, Dromid.

**Thursday 1st March
NO MASS**

Friday 2nd March

7.00pm St Finian's:
The Gifts of the Community.

7.30pm Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the soul of Catherine Fenton, Spunkane.

Saturday 3rd March

+7.30pm Vigil Mass in Cillin Liath for the repose of the souls of Nora O Connell and Eileen Sheehan, Derriana.

Sunday 4th March

+10.00am Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the soul of John Sullivan, Dromeragh.

CONFESSIONS: As requested before or after Masses

COLLECTIONS

The offertory collection this week was €1,170. Thank you for your generosity. Special collection this weekend for World Meeting of Families 2018.

FIRST FRIDAY VISITS
will take place this week.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the boys of Second class, S. N. Cillin Liath, who celebrated their First Confession this week.

Congratulations to Fergal Cronin and Claire Donnelly who were married this weekend.

MINISTRY ROTA

Altar Servers next weekend:

Cillin Liath: Team 3: Amy Curran,
Eimear Daly, Sarah O Shea.

St Finian's : Team 3: Finbarr McCarthy,
Evie Final.

Lectors (Readers) for next weekend:

Cillin Liath: Vigil Mass 7.30pm :
O Connell Family

St Finian's: Sullivan Family

Eucharistic Ministers next weekend:

Cillin Liath: Richard Maher, Eilish Farley,
Angela Hallissey.

St Finian's: Eamon McCarthy,
Anne McCarthy, Ursula Jouen.

Our Lady of the Valley Church Cleaners

Rota for March

Helen O'Sullivan, Peggy O'Shea

St Finian's Church Cleaners

Rota for March

Colette O Sullivan, Joan O Shea,
Mary Clifford.

LENTEN REFLECTION

On Friday's during Lent Fr. Gerard will present a short talk/reflection on the theme "Our family - a Eucharistic family". All are welcome, especially those engaged in ministry at Mass.

TAX REBATE NEWS

Good News! Many thanks to all who returned the Tax rebate Forms that were sent to people who had contributed over €250 for the years 2015, 2016 or 2017. These returned signed Forms are valid for 5 years.

The Parish benefitted greatly by receiving a rebate of €5,930.00 for 2015/2016. This money will be of great benefit for the parish ministries. Again, many thanks for completing and returning the Form. No returned Form, no tax rebate for the parish.

NOTICES

PIARSAIGH NA DROMODA REGISTRATION NIGHT. Takes place TONIGHT Saturday night Feb 24th immediately after Mass in Ionad na Dromoda. Membership Fees for 2018 - Players €50, non players €30, Couples €50, Minors €25, Coiste na nOg, 1st child €20, 2 children €40, 3 and more €50.

PARADE- Register now for Waterville's St Patrick's Day Parade which takes place on Sat. 17 March @ 4.30pm-To Register/ further info contact IRD Waterville on 0669474366 irdwaterville@eircom.net

FR PETER MCVERRY LENTEN TALK – "Homelessness – A Challenge For Society and Church" is the topic that Fr. Peter McVerry will explore on Monday March 5th @ 8pm in Colaiste na Sceilge, Cahersiveen. All Welcome

ST. FINIAN'S NATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLMENT8: Anyone wishing to enrol children for start of school in September 2018 should fill out the relevant School Application Form and return it to the School before Friday, 9th March. Application Form available from the School Office.

AGM- Waterville Community Centre AGM Monday 12th March @ 8pm In Community Centre

Jer "The Yank" O'Sullivan Memorial Card Drive on Mon 12th March at 8.00 P.M. in the DROMID CENTRE. Anyone interested in playing. Please contact (087)9673736 (087)0968103 or (087)6298584

TRANSFIGURATION

We are not meant to be spectators at the transfiguration but, like the apostles, we are to climb the mountain, reflect on its message, and live it out with conviction and sincerity. It was only through his passion and death that Christ came to the glory of the resurrection. If he is to transfigure our wretched bodies and make them copies of his own glorious body, then the road we must journey is the one of suffering taken by Christ.