THIRTIETH SUNDAY YEAR B PARISH OF KILREA AND DESERTOHILL 24 OCTOBER 2021

Today is World Mission Sunday. Please use the special envelope to contribute to the annual collection.

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PARISH MASSES

St Anne's Oratory Sunday : 9.00 a.m. and Monday to Friday: 10.00 a.m. St Mary's, Drumagarner Saturday 6.00 p.m. and Sunday 10.30 a.m. St Mary's, Craigavole Sunday 12 noon

READERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY

Drumagarner : 6.00 p.m Aileen McKee 10.30 a.m. Liz McWilliams St. Anne's : 9.00 a.m. Mary J Rainey Craigavole : 12 noon Helen McKenna

RECENT MARRIAGE :

Congratulations to **Niamh Downey** and **Gerard McAllister** who were married in St Mary's Church, Drumagarner on Friday 22nd October.

MONTH'S MIND MASSES :

The 6.00 p.m. Mass in St Mary's Drumagarner on Saturday 30th October will be offered as a Month's Mind Mass for the late **Kathleen McLaughlin**.

The 6.00 p.m. Mass in St Mary's Drumagarner on Saturday 6th November will be offered as a Month's Mind Mass for the late **Susanne Deery**.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASSES :

The 10.30 a.m. Mass in St Mary's Drumagarner on Sunday 31st October will be offered as a First Anniversary Mass for the late **Dan McCloskey**.

The 10.30 a.m. Mass in St Mary's Drumagarner on Sunday 7th November will be offered as a First Anniversary Mass for the late **John McCloskey**.

The 6.00 p.m. Mass in St Mary's Drumagarner on Saturday 13th November will be offered as a First Anniversary Mass for the late **Charles McGrath**.

ANNIVERSARIES :

Kathleen Brennan, Jim Donaghy, Denis McWilliams, Harry Madden, Denis Molloy, Dan Cunning, Sarah Cunning, Patricia Reid, Maggie McKillen, Tommy Cunning, Paddy Deighan, Joseph Bradley, Molly Scally, Brendan Cranny, Mickey Diamond, Bridie O'Neill

SUNDAY COLLECTION :

Last Week's Collection : £1215. Your generosity is appreciated

JOHN PAUL 11 AWARD CANDIDATES :

In previous years candidates have helped with the First Communion Faith Friends Programme. It will not be possible to host the programme this year, but we hope to replace Faith Friends with a newly published programme for Year 4 children and their parents. They will be invited to attend Mass on a designated Sunday each month during which they will receive material linked to the 'Grow in Love Programme' which they are using in school. John Paul 11 candidates will help with the programme. More details after the mid-term break.

COP26 : HEALTHY PLANET/ HEALTHY PEOPLE PETITION:

Advocate on behalf of the vulnerable, whose lives are devastated by climate change. Join with Pope Francis in appealing for urgent action on climate change. please sign the petition online before 28th October. the atholic petition.org

DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2022:

The Pilgrimage Director and staff have begun planning for a return to Lourdes in early summer 2022. It is intended that the date and duration will be as in recent years and hopefully these will be confirmed and announced by the end of 2021. We ask for the prayers of the people of the diocese so that, by the grace of God and intercession of Our Lady of Lourdes, we may return to Lourdes once more.

ANAM CARA NORTHERN IRELAND :

Tuesday 2nd November at 7.00 pm. The organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents living with no surviving children. This is a free online event. If you would like to join us please get in touch on info@anamcara.ie or 028 95213120

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND :

5th – 7th November, starting on Friday evening at 8pm and ending on Sunday afternoon at 2:30pm. Hosted by Catholic Marriage Encounter this is an online experience (using Zoom). Full details on: https://www.marriageencounter.ie

DROMANTINE RETREAT CENTRE:

The following Workshop will be offered by **Fr Hugh Lagan SMA**: **'Broken Open'** Workshop – How difficult times can help us grow. Friday 19th 5pm – Sunday 21st November, 2pm. Cost £200 / €230.Enquiries and reservations: Tel 028 (048 from ROI) 30821964. Email: <u>admin@dromantineconference.com</u>