



MASS & INTENTIONS

Date	Time	St Mary's, Star of the Sea
Saturday, 25th July	6pm	Sarah Blaney, Lurgan Noel & Kathleen Flynn, Victoria Sq Michael, Rhoda, Marie, Rhoda & Lorna Woods, Drumreagh John Craxton, Glenross Patrick O'Prey, Drumreagh Rd
Sunday, 26th July World Day for Grandparents & The Elderly	11.30am	James & Rosaleen Murphy, Parklane Phelim Sloan, Kilbroney Rd & The Deceased Members of the Sloan, Fegan, O'Callaghan & Trainer Families
Monday, 27th July	9.30am	Mass
Tuesday, 28th July	9.30am	Annie Brannigan, Johnny Morgan & Family, Church St
Thursday, 30th July	9.30am	Nellie Smyth, Church St
Friday, 31st July	9.30am	Mass
Saturday, 1st August	6pm	Mary Fegan, Knockbarragh
Sunday, 2nd August	11.30am	Bill Farrell, Shore Rd Alice & Sean Walsh, Church St James & Annie Morgan & Their Son Harry, Drumreagh Patrick & Mary Morgan & Their Son Michael, Drumreagh James Morgan, Drumreagh Jim Morgan, formerly New York
Date	Time	Sacred Heart Church, Killowen
Sunday, 26th July	9.30am	Nancy, Paddy & Hugh Byrne & Barbara & Mickey Shields, Burren
Sunday, 2nd August	9.30am	Mass

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The collection for the upkeep of the parish was **£2043**, made up as follows:

Weekly Envelope £1067
Monthly Envelope £119.50 (Priest Collection)
Loose Plate £383.50
Standing Orders £473

Your ongoing generosity is deeply appreciated

SACRAMENTS

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM takes place on the second Sun of the month at **12.30pm** and on the following Sat at **4pm**

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION before the **6pm** Vigil Mass on Saturday from **5.30pm**

CROAGH PATRICK – 22nd & 23rd AUGUST

The Dromore Diocese invites young adults 18 – 35 years to join them climb Croagh Patrick - on route we will visit Lough Derg and Knock Shrine — transport and accommodation is organized – collecting Newry, Banbridge and Lurgan - if interested or want more information, email youthdirector@dromorediocese.org or phone **Frances on 028 30833898**

THE ANNUAL NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE CELEBRATING THE 6th WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

Sunday, 26th July 2026- Knock Shrine
 Chief Celebrant Archbishop Eamon Martin commencing at **2.30pm** with the anointing of the sick. A day of grace and blessing for the whole family as we honour Grandparents and the elderly. Please join us. All are welcome. Visit our website for resources:

www.Catholicgrandparentsassociation.org



SAFEGUARDING of children, young people & vulnerable adults – contact Stephen Sherry at 07301246329 or:

safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org

ACTION ON ELDER ABUSE

Free phone helpline at 08088088141, Monday-Friday from 9am-5pm

www.elderabuse.org.uk/northernireland

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

For those who are lonely, in need, or just want a chat please call **07738837954**

ADORATION CHAPEL

Available when the Church is open

PRAYER FOR THE 6th WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

Holy Father

Who watches over every person
 Watch over me too when I am elderly.
 You have revealed your name to me in Christ,
 And You were not discouraged by my frailties.

You hold me tenderly in your hands,
 And You caress my lines.
 You will never forget me!

Grant that I may not fear my weakness;
 Help me learn to love it
 Just as You love it.
 Help me learn to listen to it
 Just as You listen to it.
 Help me embrace it
 Just as You have chosen it –
 You who, though all-powerful, clothed yourself in humility.
 May growing old strip away all our pride and all division
 So that we may live these years united in You.
 You will never forget us! **Amen.**