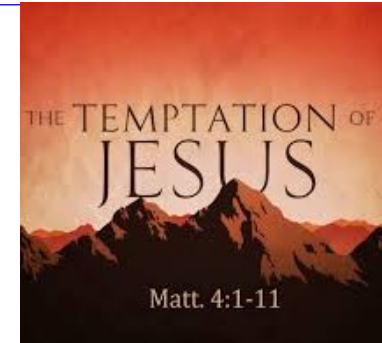




Parish of Murhaun

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Masses this weekend:

Saturday 4th March: 8.00 p.m. Barney, Mae & Marian McCormack.
Sunday 5th March 9.00 a.m.: Pro Populo.
Sunday 5th March 11.30 a.m.: Tommy Cullen.

First Sunday of Lent

Masses: Monday 6th March 2017 – 12th March 2017

Monday	7.00 a.m.	
Monday	7.00 p.m.	Michael Gormley.
Tuesday	7.00 a.m.	
Tuesday	7.00 p.m.	Leo & Mary Teresa McManus & Mahon Family.
Wednesday	7.00 a.m.	
Wednesday	7.00 p.m.	James Moffatt (Deffier)
Thursday	7.00 a.m.	
Thursday	7.00 p.m.	Tommy P. Fox.
Friday	7.00 a.m.	
Friday	7.00 p.m.	
Saturday	10.00 a.m.	Philomena Wynne.
Saturday	8.00 p.m.	The O'Connor Family.
Sunday	9.00 a.m.	Pro Populo.
Sunday	11.30 a.m.	John, Tim Shanley & deceased members of Shanley & McTigue families.

Ministers of the Word

Vigil: Mairead Flood, Timmy Kane, Chloe Gilmartin & Shane McKeon.

11.30 a.m. Aisling McCauley & John O'Connor. **Convent:** A

Altar Society: Eucharistic Ministers
 Month of March : Group G Group B

Prayer Meeting: Monday @ 8 p.m. Aras Phádraig.

Senior Citizens Meeting : Wed in Aras Phádraig @ 2 p.m.

Offertory Collection last weekend : €1573.00

Readers club will commence on Wednesday next in Fr. Frankie's home 10.00 a.m. -11.00 a.m. All are welcome.

A Lenten journey of Forgiveness" Forgiving God, ourselves and others— reflection and prayers 6th, 13th & 20th March in conjunction with Prayer Meeting , Aras Phádraig @8pm. on Mondays.

Drumshanbo Community Council CLG: AGM on Tuesday 7th March @ 7pm in the Food Hub. New members will be welcome.

The Irish Music Course in Drumshanbo 11th annual concert on Fri 10th March at 8pm in the Mayflower. Entry is €5 and under 12s are free and all money raised goes to Pieta House, Leitrim Animal Welfare and Drumshanbo Irish Music Course

The Irish Natura & Hill Farmers Association :meeting in Bee Park Centre, Manorhamilton Fri.10th March @ 8pm. (071919302715).

"Drumshanbo Fire Service would like to thank everyone who contributed to their recent Car Wash. €2200 on the day for the North West Hospice.

Pioneer Lenten Challenge! Many people abstain from alcohol and take the Short-Term Pledge during Lent. Make your Lenten pledge by visiting: www.pioneerassociation.ie and joining online or by contacting your local Pioneer centre representative. Take this opportunity to help someone you know/love with an alcohol or drug problem by offering up your Lenten sacrifice as a prayer for their freedom and well-being.

This Sunday the young people preparing for Confirmation make their Young Pioneer Pledge and abstain from alcohol and abusive substances until they are 18.

This is a huge commitment in the context of our drink culture today. We wish these young people well and we thank God for the courage they show and we ask God to pray for them.

Word for the World

Of the world's current population of 6.8 billion, 5.8 billion are living at levels of poverty that deprive them of their basic needs. More than 1 billion people go hungry each night. Hunger kills more people each year than AIDS, malaria or tuberculosis combined. About 21,000 people die of hunger-related causes every day. Millions of peoples suffer hunger and thirst, and we are haunted by pictures of children with nothing to eat. Lord, let us hear the cry of those who hunger and thirst for bread and water this holy time of Lent.