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Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter

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The law is the light that reveals how dirty the room is, not the broom that sweeps it clean.

6th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)ô 16th February 2014

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Frank/Mary/Michael Mollaghan Sun 11.00: Noreen Kiernan, Longford Rd Mon 9.30: Mary McGee, Cloncowley

Tue 9.30: Misa Pro Populo

Fri 8.00: Paddy Mollaghan, Cloonmacart

Sat 8.00: Frank McWade, Mill St Sun 11.00: Frankie/Monica Mulleady

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Mairead Lynch

Fri 7.30: James/Margaret Heslin & Rose Hardy Sun 10.00: Michael/Josephine Kiernan, Bandra

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Darren Quinn

Sun: Elizabeth Devlin

Eucharist Sat: Bernadette Noonan

Sun: Marian McNally

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Rachel Howe Eucharist Sun: Mary Breslin

Money Matters

Drumlish þ887; Cathedral Restoration Fund þ498 Ballinamuck þ385; Cathedral Restoration Fund þ159

Bereavement Course

A six week Bereavement Course begins in the Family Centre, Longford on Wednesday, 5th March (Ash Wednesday) at 8 p.m. This course is led by two trained Bereavement facilitators. Feed back from previous courses has been very positive. Booking and further details contact 043 3346827 / 087 2843034. See poster in Church porch.

Divine Mercy Conference

A bus will leave Cathedral Car Park at 8 a.m. on Saturday 22nd February for the Divine Mercy Conference. Contact: 087 7056605 or 043 3324131.

Lourdes Annual Collection for Assisted Pilgrims

- Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes Annual Collection for assisted pilgrims takes place after Communion this weekend, 15th/16th Feb. It
 ø a voluntary collection and people should feel free to contribute or not.
- The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, led by Bishop Francis Duffy, takes place from 27th May to 1st Juneô five nights, fully inclusive for þ699.
 Contact Joe Walsh Tours at 01 2410812 or 01 2410811. See poster at back of the Church for further details.

St Vincent's MFC

St Vincentøs MFC are holding their annual Bingo on Sunday the 23rd of February at 3.00pm in the 98 Hall Ballinamuck. b2500 in prize money, also a raffle on the day with first prize being b100. All support is greatly appreciated.

St Helens Ladies Football Club

On Wednesday Night, 26th February, the Moth Productions will present *A Lock of Fierce Roars* in the 98 Hall. All proceeds going to St Helens Ladies Football Club. Tickets þ10.00 euro can be bought in all local stores, from any committee member and at the door on the night. We are hoping to see a large crowd so please come out and support.

Death

Pray for the repose of the soul of Canon Jeremiah Macaulay, retired Parish Priest of Lanesboro, whose funeral took place this week. May he rest in peace.

Getting married in 2014

There are still some spaces available on the ACCORD Pre-Marriage Course: 10th and 13th March 2014 and 4th and 5th April 2014. For further information contact ACCORD 043 3347222 or book any of the 2014 courses on-line at www.accord.ie.

YOGA

Breathe Stretch and Relax. 6 Week course for beginners and improvers on Thursday 7.30 - 8.45 in the Village Inn Drumlish. This is a full 6 week course costing þ60 with payment in full on enrolment night. Contact Kathleen for further details @ 0872868254

Schools' Enrolment

- Tst. Mary's Drumlish N.S. Enrolment for Junior Infants for September 2014/2015. Enrolment forms can be collected from the office from Fran (Secretary) or Deirdre (Principal) at your convenience.
- St Patrick's N.S. Ballinamuck 2014/2015 enrolment will open Monday 10th February and end Friday 28th February. Forms are available in school office.
- ☐ Dromard preschool enrolment for 2014 will take place from 17th 6 21st February, 10am to 1pm daily. For children already enrolled, Parents must confirm their place and fill out the necessary forms. Places are limited. For further information, contact 049 4328955.



Drumlish Tidy Towns

Drumlish Tidy Towns are looking for volunteers for a major clean up of Drumlish Village and the main approach roads - from Kilnashee down to the Fr. Manning Gaels Football park on the Arva Road - Saturday 8th March, meet opposite the Post Office: Gloves, hi viz vests, bags and litter picks will be supplied.

Wisdom of the Saints

If you notice something evil in yourself, correct it; if something good, take care of it; if something beautiful, cherish it; if something sound, preserve it; if something unhealthy, heal it. Do not weary of reading the commandments of the Lord, and you will be adequately instructed by them so as to know what to avoid and what to go after.

Bernard of Clairvaux

The mistakes to avoid

- Remorse over yesterday's failures.
- · Anxiety over today's problems.
- Worry over tomorrow's uncertainty.
- Waste of the moment's opportunity.
- Procrastination with one's present duty.
- Resentment of another's success.
- · Criticism of a neighbour's imperfection.
- Impatience with youth's immaturity.
- Scepticism of our nation's future.
- · Unbelief in God's providence.