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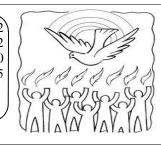
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"People that criticize the harshest usually are the ones who would trade places the fastest"

- Garv Hopkins

Pentecost Sunday - (A)ô 8th June 2014

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sun11.00: Charles Kiernan, Longford Rd

Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo

Sun11.00: James/Nellie Mollaghan, Kilmahon

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Thomas Cassidy, Fardrummin

Mon 9.30: Harte Dfm

Wed 7.30: Bridget/Bernard Bohan Sun 10.00: Marlyn/Brian McDermott

Note: Adoration & Confessions after Friday Mass.

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Bridie Mollaghan

Sun: Ellie Halpin

Communion Sat: Irene McNally

Sun: Marian McNally

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Shauna Hagan Communion Sun: Ryan McGee

Money Matters

Drumlish b815, Shrine b302 Ballinamuck b265, Shrine b364

Bingo

Don't forget **Bingo** every Tuesday in the 98 Hall Ballinamuck at 8.30. þ1300.00 in prize fund.

Parish Pastoral Council

A meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council in the 98 Hall Ballinamuck on Monday 9th June at 8.30 p.m.

Monaduff Social Club

The day trio outing is on Wednesday, 18th June. People who are going on the outing, please call into the Library in Drumlish on Saturday, June 7th between 10 a.m. and 12 a.m. to finalise details.

Ballinamuck ICA

- The June meeting of the Ballinamuck Guild will take place on Monday, 9th June at 8pm in the 98' Hall. All members are asked to attend.
- Managing Stress and Building resilience: Paul Marsden, Occupational Psychologist, will discuss what stress is, how it affects people, and what we all can do about it. The talk will commence at 9pm in the meeting room in the 98' Hall on Monday night June 9th. The talk is free and everyone is welcome.

Prayer for Peace

During his recent visit to the Holy Land Pope Francis invited President Shimon Peres and President Mahmoud Abbas to his home to pray to God for the gift of peace. This important moment will take place in Rome next Sunday 8th June, the Solemnity of Pentecost. Pope Francis has requested prayers for peace in the land of Jesus. On this feast of the Holy Spirit we join with all world leaders in praying for peace, not only in the Holy Land and Middle East, but throughout the world where conflict and brokenness is the experience of many.

Junior School Warden Competition

The Regional Final of the Junior School Warden competition will be held in St. Maryøs N.S. this Wednesday at 11 a.m. Itøs a great privilege for our school to host this final and deserves our praise and support. Congratulations and best wishes to all concerned.

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel

Jesus comes into a room full of fear. Sometimes it is fear itself that makes us close the door on others and on God. Occasionally a person comes along with the gift of breaking through our closed doors, a person who comes to be with us in our fears. Jesus showed his wounds to his friends. Moments of grace can occur when another shows us their vulnerable side, or when we do that with them. Spirit-filled people are people who forgive. *John Byrne OSA*

Prayer of the Spirit: a poem for Pentecost

Where the Spirit is, there God is, Christ is, Love is. Where the Spirit is not, there God is not, Christ is not, Love is not.

Where the Spirit is, there people grow, lives develop, Love thrives.

Where the Spirit is not, there people shrink, lives collapse, Love dies.

Where the Spirit is, there are meetings and beginnings.

Where the Spirit is not, there are partings and endings.

Where the Spirit is, there is the Word.

Where the Spirit is not, there are only words.

Where the Spirit is, there is dry land

Where the Spirit is not, we are at sea. Where the Spirit is, there is talk.

Where the Spirit is, there is talk.

Where the Spirit is not, there is babble.

Where the Spirit is, there is fire.

Where the Spirit is not, there is ash.

Where the Spirit is, we are Church. Where the Spirit is not, we are nothing.

Lucy Berry 2013

BLESSING OF GRAVES TAKES PLACE AFTER MASSES NEXT SUNDAY, 15TH JUNE

