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As a rule, Man's a fool
When it's hot, He wants it cool.
And when it's cool, He wants it hot,
Always wanting What is not.

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6th Sunday of Easter Year C—1st May 2016

## Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Annie Quinn & Dillon Dfm

Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo

Fri 8.00: Eamon Mulleady, Cloonaugh

Sun 11.00: Fr. Manning Gaels & Dec. Members

#### Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Dan Sorohan, Fardromin

Mon 7.00: Thomas Sheeran & dfm, Lettergeeragh

Fri 7.00: Thomas/Mary McQuaid & dfm

Sat 12.00: Mary Ann McNerney M.M.

Sun 10.00: Theresa Reynolds

Desmond Keenan, Gaigue

### Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Bridie Mollaghan
Sun: Fr. Manning Gaels
Communion Sat: Kathleen Gill

Sun: Fr. Manning Gaels

#### Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Mary McKenna Communion Sun: Cora McKenna

### **Money Matters**

Drumlish €435; Ukraine 435 Ballinamuck €345, Ukraine €265. Thank you.



Congratulations and best wishes to the following couples who made their marriage vows over the past week:

- ◆Eimear Kelleher (Greagh) & Barry Maxwell (Drumreilly
- ♥Damien McKenna (Fardromin) & Sharon Ellis (Cootehill)
- Desmond Lehany (Birmingham) & Colette Gill (Birmingham)



- ♦ Tusla: Could someone like you, help someone like me? Become a foster carer. Tusla are recruiting foster families to care for children of all ages from birth to 18. Contact the Child and Family Agency at www.fostering.ie or Tel. 043 3350771. See information at back of the Church.
- **♦ Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**, led by Bishop Francis Duffy, takes place from 27th May to 1st June. Fully inclusive price is €715. Contact Joe Walsh Tours at 01 2410812 / 01 2410811. Flights from Knock. See poster on notice board.
- ♦ Kiltycreevagh N.S. Re-union: As we are coming to the closing date in May for Memories and stories, no matter how small, to be included in our School Re-union Book. We would like to remind those who haven't yet sent in your material to please send in a.s.a.p. so we can get ready for print. Send to kittycreev@gmail.com

# First Friday

Next Friday is the first Friday. The sick and housebound will be attended in Ballinamuck area on Thursday and Drumlish area on Friday.

#### **Ballinamuck First Communion**

We congratulate the children of Ballinamuck N.S. who made their first Holy Communion on Saturday. Thanks to their parents and teachers. Thanks also to those who provided the music and entertainment both during and after the Communion. The following made their first Communion:

Aoibheann McQuaide
Hugh Gallagher
Oisin Conboy
Erinn McGee
Emma Mulligan
Niamh Lillis
Mark McQuaide

Rhia Larkin
Ella McGahern
Caoimhe Donnelly
Alex Rose Forde
Charlie Samuel
Thomas Sheeran
Maria McKenna

#### Station

Station Mass this week for Derawley is on Friday at 8 p.m. and is hosted by Tony & Maura Mullervy.
Others prepared to host a station Mass should contact Fr. Ber. Don't let this beautiful tradition die.

#### **Finance Committee**

There will be a meeting of the Finance Committee on Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. in the Parochial House, Drumlish.





## Musings

Reflecting on the Gospel brings home the reality of The Trinity and is so powerful in emphasising the unity of Christ's followers in the name of Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Many years ago, my parents taught me how to make The Sign of The Cross and at my Dublin national school this was reinforced where I was taught to make The Sign of the Cross when passing a Church and when seeing a hearse go by. How beautiful and uplifting it is to witness today's young Catholics continue to engage in this simple and yet powerful ritual. As a grandparent, I delight when I see my youngest grandchildren in their first attempts to copy their parents making this great sign of faith. How lovely it is to, witness the youngest member of the family begin family meals by leading the grace before meals.

Alan Whelan Camahone, Beaufort, Co Kerry

# Dew of Quietness

Drop thy still dew of quietness
Till all our strivings cease;
Take from our souls the strain and stress,
And let our ordered lives confess
The beauty of Thy peace.

-Whittier

