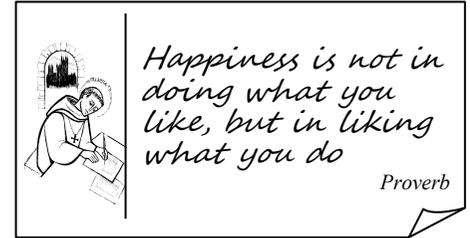


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6th Sunday of Year A—12th February 2017

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Fergal Mulleady
Sun 11.00: Charles/Noreen Kiernan, Longford Rd.
Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo
Fri 8.00: Mary McGee, Cloncowley

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Mairead Lynch, Kiltycreevagh
Fri 7.00: Frank Gill, Gaigue
Sun 10.00: Mary/Michael Flynn

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Mary Ross
Sun: Orla Devlin
Communion Sat: Joe Caldwell
Sun: Mary Gillooley

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Confirmation Class
Communion Sun: Ryan McGee

Money Matters

Drumlish €780; Ballinamuck €300.
Priests Dues €50. Thank you for your support.
 Lourdes Assisted Pilgrimage Collection this weekend will be taken up after Communion.

Married Couples

Gift yourselves a special weekend break together to boost and refresh your relationship by making a Marriage Renewal Weekend. The next Weekend will be at The Creggan Court Hotel, Athlone from 3rd to 5th March 2017. For more info and / or to book, visit www.marriageencounter.ie or call (087) 784 0408. Weekends are presented by Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland.



- **Drumlish Ballinamuck Community Games:** Children wishing to participate in the swimming competition should contact Siobhan on 086 8143352 immediately. Children wishing to participate in the talent competition (music, song and dance) competitions should contact Sonia on 0876248308.
- **Bingo** continues in the 98 Hall, Ballinamuck on Tuesday nights at 8.30 p.m.
- **Pennies for Presents:** To help cover the costs of the annual children's Christmas party in Ballinamuck we have collection boxes in Gala , Dillons and Eclipse salon. The aim is to collect as many 1c,2c coins (and any others) which may be lying around in jars etc. throughout the year. All the monies raised will go to the running of the free event, which includes Santa, a gift , face painting.
- **98 Hall Committee** meeting on Monday 13th February in upstairs meeting room at 8pm sharp. All members please attend.
- **Divine Mercy Conference RDS Dublin:** Bus leaving Longford Cathedral Car Park on Saturday 25th Feb at 8.30 a.m. To book a seat on the bus, ring 0876378619 or 0879980615
- **Ballinamuck Essert Twinning 2017:** The 20th anniversary will take place in France in July and will include a specific Erasmus supported project for young people to take place in Strasbourg, followed by a coming together of adults and young people from 15th to 20th July in Essert. If you are interested in taking part please contact Paddy Howe (0879613312). To help with the airfares of the young people traveling in the first group a pub quiz will be held in Dillon's on the 24th February. Your support will be gratefully appreciated.
- **St Vincents Minor Club GAA:** If you are interested in coaching or helping our coaches for Under Age level please contact Colin on 086-0761556 or Paul on 083-3046640.
- **Ballinamuck ICA:** The February meeting of the Guild will take place on Monday night next February 13th at 8.30pm in the Visitors Centre. All members are requested to attend..

- **Breathe Stretch and Relax.:** Beginners and Improvers 4 Week Course in Breath Stretch and Relax start Thursday 16th Feb. from 7.30-8.45 in the '98 Hall Ballinamuck (Registration before class). Nonstrenuous stretching exercises, including exercise for Cardiovascular fitness, and Core strength. 4 week booking is essential, as spaces are limited. Contact 0872868254 for further information.
- **Drumlish Tidy Towns 2017** season starts with a meeting in the Community Centre kitchen on Tuesday 21st February at 7.30 sharp. Anyone interested in joining the group for the new season and contributing ideas to enhance the village are invited to join.

A Parents Prayer

Loving God,
You are the giver of all we possess,
the source of all of our blessings.
We thank and praise you.
Thank you for the gift of our children.
Help us to set boundaries for them,
and yet encourage them to explore.
Give us the strength and courage to treat each day as a fresh start.
May our children come to know you, the one true God,
and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.
May your Holy Spirit help them to grow in faith, hope, and love,
so they may know peace, truth, and goodness.
May their ears hear your voice.
May their eyes see your presence in all things.
May their lips proclaim your word.
May their hearts be your dwelling place.
May their hands do works of charity.
May their feet walk in the way of Jesus Christ,
your Son and our Lord.
Amen.

Baptism

Grace Ann Donaghy d/o Connell & Yvonne, St. Patrick's Court, Ballinamuck was baptised and welcomed into our faith family last weekend. Congratulations to all .



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