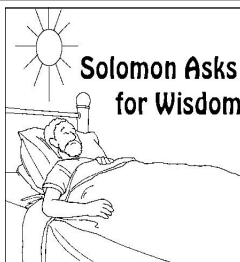
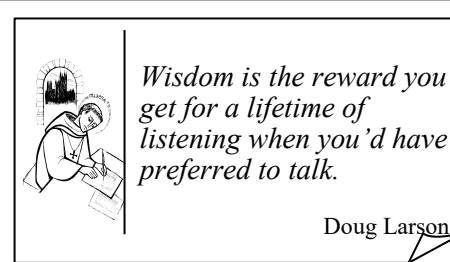
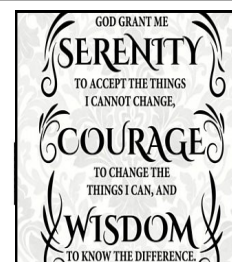


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Parish Newsletter Drumlish & Ballinamuck



17th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A —30th July 2017

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sun 11.00: Tom Crowe, Derawley
Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo
Fri 8.00: Pauline O'Leary

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Peter/Kathleen McCarthy, Aughadowry
Mon 7.00: Bernard/Brigid Bohan, Fardromin
Fri 7.00: Sean Mulligan, Kiltycreevagh

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Shane Hagan
Sun: Kathleen Dunleavy
Communion Sat: Irene McNally
Sun: Pat Corrigan

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Helen McKenna
Communion Sun: Kieran Duffy

Money Matters

Drumlish €790, Trócaire €1,180, Shrine €317
Ballinamuck €430, Trócaire €280, Shrine €175
Priests Dues €45. Many Thanks.

Parish Census 2017

If you have completed the Parish Census 2017 forms, please return them directly to the Parochial House, Drumlish or give them to any member of the Parish Pastoral Council or bring them to the Sunday Mass. Names of the Parish Pastoral Council are at the back of the form. Thank you for your cooperation

Marriage

Congratulations and best wishes to Sharon Nertney, Cloonmacart and Stephen Curran, Lamagh who were married this week in St. Mary's Church, Drumlish.

Many thanks: Trócaire East Africa Appeal: €1,460

UPCOMING Events

- **Relics of St. Teresa of Calcutta:** A first class relic of St. Teresa of Calcutta, known to many still as Mother Teresa will arrive in St. Mel's Cathedral, Longford, on Monday 31st July and remain there until Wednesday 2nd August. This event is being organised by the Knights of Columbanus. Further details will be announced nearer the time.
- **Youth 2000 Summer Festival:** A weekend of fun, faith and friendship; live music, prayer and reconciliation, talks and workshops; all this takes place at Cistercian College, Roscrea from 17th to 20th August. For ages 16—35. Donations only. Free Buses. Details are on web www.youth 2000.ie. Or phone 016753690. See poster in Church porch
- **FREE Digital Skills Training:** Getting Citizens Online Programme' is focused on supporting and empowering citizens. This programme is open to everyone in the community and will be delivered in Drumlish Community Centre in the coming weeks - Course duration 10 hours delivered over 2 hour sessions, course includes : Email, Motor tax, Booking flights, Dept of Agri website- herd profiling, movement, internet security, and much more, To book a place please contact Romie 087 2171109 or Breda 087 9181787
- **First Friday** next week. Sick and housebound will be attended as usual.
- **Blood Transfusion Service** will be in Lough Gowna on Wednesday, 9th & Thursday 10th August from 4.30 to 8.00 p.m. Many patients in hospital need our blood and this need never ceases.
- **Bingo continues every Tuesday** night in 98 Hall at 8.30 more local support would be appreciated.
- **Youth 2000 Summer Festival** is a Catholic festival where over 1000 young people between the ages of 16 to 35 come together in the Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co Tipperary from Thursday 16th August to Sunday 20th August 2017. You will have the chance to meet new friends, explore your Faith and find out what it means to be young and Catholic today. For info on transport from Longford, call 086 -8775036.

- **Vacancies** now available with Dromard Development Assoc CLG on the Community Employment Scheme in Legga and Drumlish. Eligibility to participate on the Community Employment Scheme is linked to Male/Females who are 25 years, 35 years and 55 years of age or over and in receipt of an Irish social welfare payment for 1 year or more. Please contact Teresa McNerney 0861026252 or Thomas Gill 0868487548 for further information
- **98 Hall** committee meeting on Monday 31st July at 8pm in upstairs meeting room all members please attend new members welcome.
- **A Town Team meeting** will be held on Monday, 31st July in Drumlish Community Centre at 7.30 p.m. This is for all in the parish who would like to have a say in the development of the Drumlish area.

Count Your Blessings

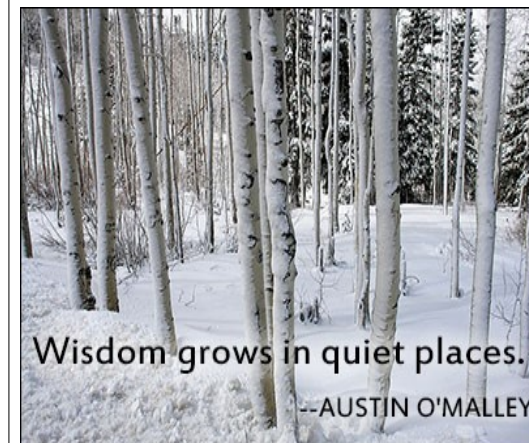
Count your blessings instead of your crosses;
Count your gains instead of your losses.
Count your joys instead of your woes;
Count your friends instead of your foes.

Count your smiles instead of your tears;
Count your courage instead of your fears.
Count your full years instead of your lean;
Count your kind deeds instead of your mean.

Count your health instead of your wealth;
Love your neighbour as much as yourself.

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“Improvement
begins with
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Wisdom grows in quiet places.

--AUSTIN O'MALLEY

Only God can turn a MESS
into a MESSAGE, a TEST
into a TESTimony, a TRIal
into a TRIumph, a VICTim
into a VICTory. GOD is
GOOD... all the time!