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# Parish Newsletter Drumlish & Ballinamuck

"Keep awake therefore,  
for you know neither  
the day nor the hour."



Matthew 25:13



*Wisdom is the reward you  
get for a lifetime of  
listening when you would  
have preferred to talk.*

Doug Larson

32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A —12th November 2017

## Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Brigid Dillon, Longford Rd.  
Eleanor Reynolds, Longford Rd.  
Mary Gray & Dfm, Currabawn  
Sun 11.00: Mary/Jim Hannify, Drumlish Hill  
Phil Davis, Longford Rd.  
Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo  
Fri 8.00: Francis/Theresa Furey  
Anna/Patrick Kiernan  
Sat 8.00: Michael/Mary/Sheila Cooney  
John Kiernan, Monaduff  
Sun 11.00: Brian Joe/Brigid Campbell, Cloonaugh  
Pat/Jane Quinn, Kilnashee

## Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Philip/Mamie Martin & Dfm, Aughadowry  
Margaret Davis, Gaigue  
Terence Gilleece & dfm  
Fri 7.00: Frank McQuaide  
Sun 10.00: Katie Fallon, Dernacross

## Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Bridie Mollaghan  
Sun: Ellie Halpin  
Communion Sat: Joe Caldwell  
Sun: Pat Corrigan

## Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Mary McKenna  
Communion Sun: Cora McKenna

## Money Matters

Drumlish €1671, Mission Sunday €42.  
Ballinamuck €540.  
Priests November Dues €1805. Many thanks.

## Death

Pray for the repose of the soul of Bernie Heaney,  
(sister of Mary Breslin, Shanmullagh), whose funeral  
takes place in Birmingham this week. Rest in peace.

## UPCOMING Events

- **Irish Blood Transfusion Service** will be in Lough Gowna on Wednesday/Thursday 15th/16th Nov. from 4.30 pm—8.00 pm. Save a life!
- **Koriena Ivers**, the new Stroke Support Coordinator with Irish Heart for Mullingar and Longford. The support group meetings bring stroke survivors together for a chat, sharing of information and physio therapy exercise as well as activities that help improve hand/eye coordination. The groups run every Tuesday morning from 11-1 in Temperance Hall in Longford town beginning on 7th November. Contact: 0871911060. kivers@irishheart.ie
- **St Vincents Minor Football Club - AGM** - we are holding our AGM on Sunday 26th November at 5pm in Monaduff Club House. All Parents & Friends of the Club are invited to come along.
- **The Men's Shed Community** initiative will be opening soon. This project is continuing to make progress. Watch this space for further information.
- **Monaduff Social Club Christmas Party** will take place on Saturday, 2nd December from 2—6 p.m. Please give your name to a committee member.
- **B Pro Heart Testing** at The Nature Trail, Health Shop, MOHILL on Saturday 25th November. This non invasive test could save your life. Trained technician in store. Cost of test €25.00. Booking essential. Please contact 0879766738 or 0719631818 for appointment.
- **Ballinamuck children's choir** practice every Friday from 7.30-8.00 in the church everyone welcome if you can play an instrument bring it along.
- **Ballinamuck Hall** committee are meeting on Monday 13th Nov at 8.30 in upstairs meeting room. Everyone please attend. New members welcome.
- **Meeting re: Ballinamuck senior citizens Christmas party** next Monday 13th at 8pm. Please support.
- **Ballinamuck Enhancement** thank everyone who supported the night in Dillon's Bar & Bistro on the bank holiday Saturday night for Tidy Towns. Thanks to Margaret & Peter for hosting us.

- **St Helen's** hold their end of year party in the Community Centre, Drumlish from 6pm to 8pm on December 02nd 2017. Certificates will be handed to all U/10, U/12, U/14 & U16 players. There will be food and entertainment on the evening. Admission is free and we hope to see you there.

**The Parable of Ten Virgins**

Make all the words fit into this crossword

Wedding Lamps  
Five Foolish  
Wise Oil  
Bridegroom  
Door Closed  
Midnight

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## Three Gates

There are three huge gates that lead into the Cathedral of Milan. Over one gate there is an inscription in marble under a beautiful flower bouquet that says, "The things that please are temporary." Over the second gate, there is a cross with this inscription: "The things that disturb us are temporary." However, over the central gate, there is a big inscription saying, "Eternal are the important ones." Source unknown

## A Prayer for the Future

*Disturb us, Lord, when we are too well pleased with ourselves, when our dreams have come true because we have dreamed too little, when we arrive safely because we have sailed too close to the shore. Disturb us, Lord, when with the abundance of things we possess, we have lost our thirst for the waters of life; having fallen in love with life, we have ceased to dream of eternity; and in our efforts to build a new earth, we have allowed our vision of the new Heaven to dim. Disturb us, Lord, to dare more boldly, to venture on wider seas where storms will show your mastery; where losing sight of land, we shall find the stars. We ask you to push back the horizons of our hopes; and to push into the future in strength, courage, hope, and love.*

- Sir Frances Drake

Watch therefore,  
for ye know neither  
the day nor the hour  
wherein the  
son of man  
cometh  
Matthew 25:13