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Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter

We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B — 16th September 2018

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sun 11.00: Elizabeth O'Sullivan
& O'Sullivan/Whitney Dfm
Paddy Rogers
Mon 9.30: Margaret/John Quinn, Greagh
Tue 9.30: Misa Pro Populo
Sat 8.00: John Joe Toole & James Martin
Sun 11.00: Jim Pat Lennon, Kilmahon

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Declan Collum, Lettergullion

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Kathleen Kelleher
Sun: Orla Devlin
Communion Sat: Irene McNally
Sun: Pat Corrigan

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Kay Culliney
Communion Sun: Mary Breslin

Money Matters

Drumlish €825, Shrine €200, Ballinamuck €460. Bus (Pope) €390; Harvest Dues €325. Many thanks.

Baptism

Tadhg William Lee s/o Garry & Aisling, Greagh was baptised and welcomed into our faith family last weekend. Congratulations to all concerned.

Junior Cert

Congratulations to all the young people of the area who received their Junior Cert results during the week. It is said that compliment giving is contagious. So why not start an epidemic?

- **Longford College Further Education** has places available in Business, Nursing, Healthcare, Motor, Engineering, Information Technology, Beauty & Hairdressing. Get 8 Distinctions in One Course & gain 390 CAO Points. Apply online @ Longford cfe.com
- **Learn to Jive** with Mairéad Gaffney & Craig Lovett. Five week course commencing Wednesday 19th Sept. in the Longform Arms Hotel. 8.30pm start. No partner needed. Contact 086 1928568.
- **Overseas Volunteers Required**! Volunteer Carpenters, Builders, Media Specialists, Early Childhood Practitioners, Occupational Therapists, Primary/Secondary Teachers, Accountants, Social Workers, Farmers...required for placements on Missions in Africa, SE Asia and the Caribbean. No previous overseas experience required, no upper age limit! Volunteer training programme begins 22nd September in Dublin - open to all! Contact Viatores Christi +353-1-8689986 or email apply at viatoreschristi.com for more info.
- **Full time QQI Level 5 Practical Computing** Programme can help you. Up to 390 CAO points available. Training allowances available to eligible participants. Places are limited. Call 071 9632024 or email: naomi@mct.ie.
- **AGM of Drumlish Heritage & History Society** takes place on Monday 24th, at 7.30 p.m. at Drumlish Library. All welcome!
- **National Tidy Town's Results** are expected Monday 24th September, join the Drumlish crew in Gallagher's Pub from 9p.m.on the 24th to see how Drumlish got on.
- **Drumlish Cemetery Ltd annual AGM** takes place on Monday 1st October in the Community Centre at 8pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Autumns Harvest moon grows bright,
As the crispness of the fall air blows,
And the cool warm breeze settles
In the night. *[Word Art by Southern Quinn]*

The Road Less Travelled!

Throughout the Gospels Jesus indicates that his way is the road less travelled that leads to salvation. Indeed, early Christians called the Church "The Way" — and so those who truly follow Jesus are — of necessity — traveling down that same road less travelled that he did, otherwise we're not really following him. In today's Gospel, Jesus declares that he "will suffer greatly and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests and the scribes, and be killed, and rise after three days."
When Peter tries to talk him out of taking this path, which will lead to unspeakable suffering, Jesus says: *"Get behind me, Satan. You are thinking not as God does but as humans do ... Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross and follow me."* This is the way that leads to salvation. [*Bishop Anthony B. Taylor*]

Harvest Thanksgiving

We will celebrate our Harvest Thanksgiving at Mass this Sunday 16th September. You are invited to share a cup of tea after the 10 am Mass in Ballinamuck and after the 11 am Mass in Drumlish. Thanks to the organisers in both communities for preparing and setting up the displays in both Churches and for organising the cup of tea afterwards. Stay a while!

Thanksgiving

For each new morning with its light,
For rest and shelter of the night,
For health and food,
For love and friends,
For everything Thy goodness sends.

- Ralph Waldo Emerson

Word Search

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JESUS QUESTION JOHN CHRIST
STRICT SUFFER ELDERS DEATH
CROSS PROPHETS RENOUNCE LIFE

A bit of Humour!

A beggar approached a wealthy looking gentleman out in the streets of a large city one day and asked for a handout.. "Certainly not" said the gentleman indignantly. "I never hand out money to anyone in the street."
"What do you want me to do then?" asked the beggar. "Open an office?"