

21st Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A -23rd August 2020

### Guidelines to the public Celebration of Mass

## St. Mary's N.S. Drumlish

We are all set for a return September 1st 2020. What categories of children should not attend school?

If your child is in one of the following categories, they should <u>**not**</u> attend school

• Children who have been diagnosed with Covid-19

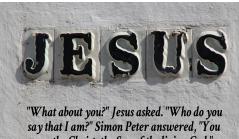
Children who have been in close contact with a person who has been diagnosed with Covid-19
Children who have a suspected case of Covid-19

and the outcome of the test is pending

• Children who have been in contact with a person who has a suspected case of Covid-19 and the outcome of the test is pending

• Children with underlying health conditions who have been directed by a medical professional not to attend school

Children who have returned home after travelling abroad and must self-isolate for a period of 14 days. This is very clearly stated and we would respectfully ask that any family who has been abroad self isolate in accordance with the guidelines in place. We all have a duty to protect each other. I have 240 + children in the school, their families, 19 staff and their families to consider. I need 100% support from you all, especially in this regard. Email me on drumprincipal@gmail.com with your dates of return and we will record it on the system.
Children who are generally unwell



are the Christ, the Son of the living God." - Matthew 16:15-16 -

#### **Ballinamuck Footpath**

The Fundraising Target has been achieved. Thanks to all who have donated to make this happen. Work is starting soon and updates will follow.

#### **Baptisms**

Patricia Faith McGeary d/o Declan & Mitos, 47 Mill Race Park and Frank Nicholas Curley s/o Damian & Sinead, 23 Mill Race were baptised and welcomed into our faith community last weekend. Blessings and congratulations to all concerned.

# St. Peter Wordsearch

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#### Drumlish Sun 11.00: Misa Pro Populo Wed 10.00: Private Intention 8.00: Mary/Jim Kenny & Mike Crowe Fri 8.00: Anthony Courtney, Cloonaugh

**Mass Intentions** 

#### Ballinamuck:

Sun 10.00: Private Intention

Note: Because of the limited numbers permitted to attend Church at any one time, the weekend Masses will be kept free of bookings—those who wish to book Mass may avail of the weekday Masses. [Existing bookings will be honoured and we will continue to pray for your deceased at weekends ].



Offertory  $\notin 2,353$ , Priest's Dues  $\notin 447$ , Shrine  $\notin 200$ . Harvest Dues next weekend. For those who don't use the envelope system to contribute, there are special **Priests Dues Envelopes** (which go to the upkeep of the priests) at the entrance to the church. Thank you for your continued support in these difficult times.

#### **Readers for Next Week**

#### Drumlish:

Readers Sat: Shane Hagan Sun: Billy Kelleher

**Ballinamuck:** 

Reader Sun: Helen McKenna

# Church leaders urge worshippers to wear face coverings to reduce the spread of coronavirus

Following consultations with public health authorities, the Roman Catholic Church along with the leaders of the other main Christian churches formally recommend and encourage the use of face coverings at all services of worship, with the exception of those who are leading from the front during worship, including preaching. Those attending Mass in Drumlish/Ballinamuck are asked to sign in, using the book provided at the main entrance. This is to insure traceability in the event of anyone contracting the Covid-19 virus. When attending Mass, please observe the following guidelines:

- Wash your hands before and after attending Mass
- Sanitise your hands as you enter and leave Church
- Observe social distancing, as marked
- Wearing a face cover/mask is recommended
- Enter by main door and Exit by side doors
- Offerings/Envelopes should be placed in the basket in front of altar at end of Mass on exiting.
- When receiving Holy Communion, please come seat by seat, starting at the front and returning by the side passages, while observing social distance. All receive Communion on the hands.
- Thank you for your cooperation and keep safe.

Note: in view of recent regulations, particularly relating to 'subdivisions' it is not possible for now to increase the capacity of our two churches in Drumlish & Ballinamuck beyond the number 50. Sincere thanks to the Covid-19 Committees and volunteers in both Drumlish and Ballinamuck for the tremendous work they are doing in keeping our churches sanitised and keeping us safe.

#### Deaths

- Pray for the following who died recently:
- † Eva Dooner, Rooskey, sister of Phil Hagan, Kilnashee
- + Des Cole son of Pat & Mary Rose Cole, late of Gaigue who died in London
- John Campbell, late of Cloonaugh who died in UK
  Eileen Cooney, Barraghmore whose funeral took place this week.
- + Frank McVeigh, Fardromin whose funeral Mass takes place in Ballinamuck on Monday at 12 o'c. May they rest in peace.