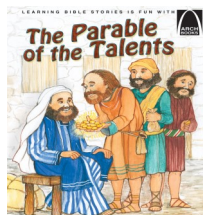


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God gives us our talents not to put our names in lights, but to bring light into the lives of others

33rd Year of Ordinary Time Year A - 15th November 2020

### Mass Times & Intentions

Due to the level 3 Covid-19 restrictions there will be no public celebration of Mass for the present. Anniversary masses which have been booked will be streamed on the Parish Webcam or alternatively may be cancelled or booked for a later date. Because of no public celebration of Mass, the Saturday/Sunday may be booked again for streaming until further notice.

Mass for the following intentions will be streamed on:

Sunday 11 am: Jack/Sarah McCormack  
Monday 10 am: Willie Teague, Currabawn  
Tuesday 10 am: Paddy Ginty, Shanmullagh  
Wednesday 10 am: Misa Pro Populo  
Friday 8 pm: Private Intention  
Saturday 8 pm: Michael/Kathleen McLoughlin  
Sunday 11 am: Katie/Michael Fallon

**Masses will be streamed on the Parish Webcam as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 10 a.m. Friday & Saturday 8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.**



Offertory €1314, Nov. Dues €918, Heating €40  
Mission Sunday €218. Thank you for your continued support, particularly in these difficult times when many of you have your own challenges.

### Dates for your Diary 2021

#### First Communion

Saturday, 8th May—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck  
Saturday, 15th May—St. Mary's Drumlish

#### Confirmation:

Saturday, 22nd May—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck  
Saturday, 29th May—St. Mary's Drumlish

*"When I stand before God at the end of my life, I would hope that I would not have a single bit of talent left, and could say — 'I used everything you gave me'." — Erma Bombeck*

### Covid-19 Public Regulations Update

The following are the implications for Church practice in line with Government regulations relating to Level 3 Covid-19:

- \* Public Masses cannot be celebrated from midnight 6th October 2020.
- \* The following exceptions are allowed:
  - (a) Funeral Masses with up to 25 mourners.
  - (b) Marriages with up to 25 guests.
- \* Churches may remain open for private prayer, with adequate sanitising measures.

### Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals is named after and dedicated to Our Lady, the mother of Jesus. Mary's Meals believes that no child should endure a day without a meal. Every school day, we feed 1,667,067 hungry children across 19 countries. It costs just €18.30 to feed a child with Mary's Meals for a whole school year. Please pray for our work. There is lots of information on [www.marysmeals.ie](http://www.marysmeals.ie)

### World Day of the Poor

Today is World Day of the Poor. Pope Francis, establishing this Day, said that it would serve as *"the worthiest way to prepare for the celebration of the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, who identified with the little ones and the poor and who will judge us on our works of mercy."*

### Deaths



Pray for the repose of the souls of Pat Dalton, Carrickedmond, father of Bernie McCann, Cloonaugh Lower and Ann Theresa Morohan nee McNamee, who died in New York, sister of Frank McNamee, Derawley. May their souls rest in peace.



### Innate Talent

*I was born with a gift  
An innate talent  
It was coursed through my ancestors  
It flows through my veins  
Embedded in my heart and mind  
Even in my very soul.*

*The gift is like breathing  
It was anchored  
To my very existence  
Nobody could imitate  
It has been etched in me  
By the One Above.*

*But this gift  
Shall be honed  
To its perfection  
And shall be used  
In accordance with  
Its noble purpose.*

*I shall not be proud  
Instead I shall be humble  
This is my gift  
To the one who gave me  
This talent  
The One Above.*

Rose Marie Juan-Austin

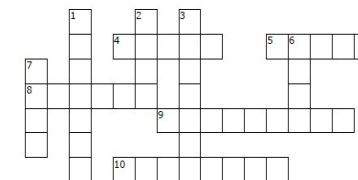
### Seeing Life through the Lens of the Gospel

A gift given in love, is given to be enjoyed, treasured and used. Through fear, one servant failed to recognise the loving trust being shown to him and buried the talent. On the level of our personal life, faith is not given to us to be locked away, but to be 'traded' with. We trade it when we believe in its value, trust it, and use it, bringing it into the experience we have in daily life. Likewise with our own personal gifts and talents. We can fall into the trap of seeing these as our personal possession so that we can do with them as we like, rather than share them as gifts so they can be multiplied. Pope Francis in his letter **The Joy of the Gospel** wrote, "I invite everyone to be bold and creative in this task or rethinking the goals, structures, style and methods of evangelization in their respective communities...the important thing is to not walk alone, but rely on each other as brothers and sisters."

[John Byrne OSA, Extract from Intercom]

### The Parable of the Talents

But the man who had received the one talent went off, dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money. Matthew 25:18  
Based on Matthew 25:14-30 (NIV)



#### ACROSS

4. The coins and bills that are used to buy things
5. To divide or use something with others
8. To be filled with fear
9. A feeling of pleasure, satisfaction, or joy
10. To be trusted or loyal

#### DOWN

1. A trip, especially one over a great distance
2. The opposite of bad
3. A person who is employed to do work for another person
6. Put something in a place where it cannot be found
7. Not willing to work

AFRAID	HAPPINESS	LAZY	JOURNEY	FAITHFUL
GOOD	HIDE	SHARE	MONEY	SERVANT