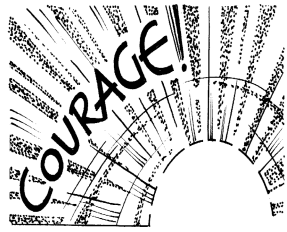


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# Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter



*Live that you won't be  
afraid to sell your  
parrot to the town  
gossip*

23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time ô 9th September 2012

## Mass Intentions—St. Mary's

Mon 12.00: Kate Ann Reilly's Funeral Mass  
Tue 8.00: Misa Pro Populo  
Fri 8.00: Margaret/John/John P Brady &  
Sinead Slevin  
Sat 8.00: Benny Carolan, Newtownforbes Rd

## Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's

Sun 10.00: Lily O'Sullivan & dfm  
Fri 7.30: Michael/Fr. Pat Kiernan & dfm  
Sun 10.00: Theresa/Nancy Prunty

## Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

**Readers** **Sat:** John Egan  
**Sun:** Ellie Halpin  
**Eucharist** **Sat:** Kathleen Gill  
**Sun:** Anna B Corrigan

## Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

**Readers** **Sun:** Kay Culliney  
**Eucharist** **Sun:** Mary Lillis

## Offertory Collection

Drumlish: þ730; Ballinamuck: þ365

## Drumlish Ballinamuck Community Games

Ballinamuck Drumlish Community Games  
AGM will take place on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> September  
2012 at 8:30 pm in Monaduff Club House.  
Please come along to the AGM and support the  
Community Games.

## Catholic Schools Partnership

With increasing critical focus on the role of  
Catholic Schools and the need for diversity, it is  
important to inform ourselves on the role of the  
Catholic School in Irish society. Please pick up a  
leaflet on your way home and read it. Apathy to  
this issue is our greatest enemy.

## Fr. Jim's Golden Jubilee & Retirement



This Saturday evening, at the  
Garden of Remembrance Mass we  
mark the Golden Jubilee of Fr. Jim  
Sorahan and his retirement from  
pastoral work. We thank Fr. Jim for the many  
blessings he brought to us over the past five  
years. We thank him especially for his gentle  
presence, his deep faith, his prayerful liturgies,  
his pastoral care and for being a faithful witness  
to the Christ and His Gospel in that time. We  
wish him continued good health in his retirement  
and assure him of our prayers and good wishes.  
We are blessed that he will continue to live in  
our parish community. Refreshments served in  
the 98 Memorial Hall afterwards.

## Ballinamuck Enhancement Group

At its monthly meeting (30<sup>th</sup> August 2012)  
The Ballinamuck Enhancement Group thanked  
and updated all the volunteers on progress to  
date and outlined upcoming events. A Table  
Quiz (þ40 for team of 4) to raise funds will be  
held in Dillon's Bar on Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> September at  
9.00 p.m. As many as possible are asked to  
organise a team and support the night. Proceeds  
will be used to enhance the village.

## Monaduff Social Club

The bus for the overnight stay in Galway on  
Sunday 9th September will depart from  
Ballinamuck at 8.30 a.m. and from the church in  
Drumlish at 9.00 a.m. We wish all travelling a  
restful time, lots of celebration and come back  
safely.

## Baptism

Dylan Michael Cryan s/o Michael & Siobhan,  
Lucan, Dublin was baptised and welcomed into  
the Christian family last weekend.

## World Suicide Prevention Day

An Ecumenical Service of Remembrance and  
Hope will be celebrated the Cathedral of Christ  
the King, Mullingar on Monday 10th September  
at 7.30 p.m. Show your support for suicide  
prevention and support those bereaved by  
suicide. All welcome. Refreshments served  
afterwards. See Poster in Church Porch.

## Claddagh Dance Academy

Claddagh Dance Academy Irish Dancing  
Lessons starting in the '98 Hall, Ballinamuck on  
Monday 10th September at 6pm and also in The  
Bent Elbow, Drumlish on Wednesday 12th  
September at 6pm. Boys and Girls of all ages  
(2+) welcome. Individual attention guaranteed.

## Drumlish Defibrillator Group Collection

Drumlish Defibrillator Group Annual church  
gate collection next weekend 16/17 September  
Drumlish. All donations greatly appreciated.

## Deaths

Pray for the repose of the souls of Kathleen  
Clarke (nee McGovern), Mary St. whose funeral  
took place during the week; her sister Margaret  
Doogan, Arva whose funeral takes place in  
Carrigallen on Monday at 11 o'c. Also for Kate  
Ann Reilly, Cloonmacart whose removal takes  
place this Sunday at 8 pm and funeral Mass on  
Monday at 12.00. May they rest in peace.

## Mill Hill Missionaries

Fr. Denis Hartnett MHM, who spoke at Masses  
last weekend sent this message: *"I extend my  
thanks to the people of the parish for their great  
generosity, their faith and their understanding of  
belonging to a universal church. I shall keep  
them all in my humble and often broken  
prayers."*

## Foróige

An information meeting on Foroige will take  
place on Thursday the 13th of September at 8pm  
in Ballinamuck Hall. All are welcome to attend  
and any one willing to help with the running of  
the club for one hour per week please come.

## Music Lessons

Music lessons in Ballinamuck all ages Guitar/  
Banjo/Mandolin/fiddle/Piano. Contact Enda  
McKenna 087/9980615.

**From today Masses at the weekend are  
as follows: Saturday Vigil at 8 pm in  
Drumlish. Sunday Mass in Ballinamuck  
at 10 am and Drumlish at 11 am.**