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# Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter



The fragrance always stays in the hand that gives the rose

—Hada Bejar

7th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C — 20th February 2022

## Mass Times & Intentions

### Drumlish

Sun 11.00: Misa Pro Populo  
Fri 8.00: Hugh/Mary Kate Collum, Barraghmore  
Sat 8.00: Micheál Diffley, Drumlish Hill

### Ballinamuck

Sun 9.30: Päckie Bohan  
Sun 9.30: Mary/Dan McLoughlin & Dfm

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

## Ministers of the Word & Holy Communion

### Drumlish

Word of God Sat: Kathleen Kelleher/Conf. Class  
Sun: Kathleen Dunleavy/Conf. Class  
Communion Sat: Bernadette Noonan  
Sun: Sr. Kathleen Duffy

### Ballinamuck

Word of God Nuala McLoughlin & Conf. Class  
Communion Bridie Reilly



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**Account Name: Drumlish Church**  
**BIC: AIBKIE2D;**  
**IBAN: IE 15 AIBK 9321 4006 6850 07**

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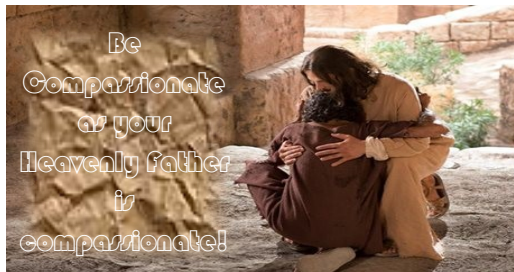
Discerning if God is calling you to give your life in service as a priest is different for everyone. For some, it is a moment of discovery. For most, it is a growing awareness that develops over time. For all, it is a moment in time when an internal stirring suggests the next step toward a clearer focus on "God's call in my life." It is not necessarily a call to priesthood, but a call to consider the possibility. [See Poster in Church]



- **St. Vincent's Minor Club Bingo** on Sun. 10th April in Ballinamuck 98 Memorial Hall.
- **AGM Drumlish Heritage & History Society** will take place in Drumlish Library on Monday 21st February at 7.30 p.m. New members welcome.
- **Save the Date:** Celebration of new Land War Commemorative Panels and Drumlish Heritage Trail will take place on Friday 6th May at 6 p.m.
- **Virtual Alzheimer Café:** The Longford branch of The Alzheimer Society Of Ireland, will hold their Monthly Virtual Alzheimer Café on Wednesday 23rd February at 7.30 pm. Guest speaker on the night is John Kerrigan. For Further information you can contact Eileen on 085 8724475 or email longfordwestmeathvirtualcafe@alzheimer.ie
- **Friday is International Day of Prayer** for Survivors and Victims of Sexual Abuse.
- **Drumlish Ballinamuck Women's Shed are climbing Cairn Hill** in support of Charlie Bird and Vicki Phelan on Saturday 2nd April 2022 @ 11am. We would love you to join us on the day. There will be a bus leaving St. Mary's Church, Drumlish @ 10:30am. Donations to raise funds for Motor Neurone Disease Association and Pieta House will be collected on the day or online [https://www.idonate.ie/fundraiser/11426621\\_drumlish-ballinamuck-women-s-shed-dbws-s-fundraising-page.html](https://www.idonate.ie/fundraiser/11426621_drumlish-ballinamuck-women-s-shed-dbws-s-fundraising-page.html)
- **St. Vincent's Minor Club** are holding our **REGISTRATION EVENING** on Wednesday 2nd March in Monaduff Clubhouse 8pm to 9.30pm. All children born from 2004 to 2017 are eligible. Fee is €10 per child or €20 for 2 or more per family. Children must register for the new season before playing.

## Deaths

Pray for the repose of the souls of Margaret (Maggie) Dunne nee Gunshinan, Guilford and Lettergullion who died in the UK and also for Michael Sweeney, Brucklagh who died in Birmingham. His funeral arrangements later. May they rest in peace.



*Prayer inscribed on the healing stone unveiled at the 50th International Eucharistic Congress in 2012 and which now has a permanent home at Lough Derg.*

Lord, we are sorry  
for what some of us did to your children:  
treated them cruelly,  
especially in their hour of need.  
We have left them with a lifelong suffering.  
This was not your plan for them or us.  
Please help us to help them.  
Guide us, Lord, Amen.

## Luke 6: 27-38

N F U J I W V V J M J P U N C O E  
N V Z R X T Q N E B E D R O V S L  
E A S I E R T D S X K K R T A A V  
N T I N I E S T U A C T L I F Y K  
C N K S I O E U S Q I Z M C V I P  
V E L H Y P O C R I T E I E M N G  
P L A N K H I Z M V Y E S W M G O  
C H U N D E R S T A N D T O D T O  
U S P O C X P S M V K A A O I V D  
C P N J R G T R I G H T K D S Q O  
X L K R I V X T D S O O E X C B J  
C I B X T V E L V O T L U P I K E  
H N G S I I X D U M H E T Q P O S  
A T S P C M F Q H E E R C K L L U  
N E E E I Y R N V O R A L L E N S  
G R E C S Q G W F N S T L P S T N  
E Y E K E D D Y J E R E I V N P B

wood	saying	act	understand	tolerate
criticise	tiniest	Jesus	easier	someone
good	right	others	change	notice
see	jesus	splinter	speck	mistake
eye	disciples	plank	hypocrite	

## Some thoughts on today's scripture

Jesus uses extreme language to highlight the importance of our relationships to one another. We are to deal with others, mindful of how we ourselves have received the good gift of forgiveness from God. This reminds us of the words in the 'Our Father', 'forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us'. When one has difficulties with others, it is good to pray for oneself, to know one's own faults, if any; and to pray for the others, that they may receive the grace from God for their better self to emerge. Do to others as God has done to you

# EMPATHY

The ability to understand  
And share feelings of another  
The power to put an arm around  
A Sister or a Brother  
The act of being able to  
Be aware and sympathise  
Being able to view the world anew  
Through another's eyes  
The chance to taste, to feel, to know  
What strangers are thinking and seeing...  
To walk in someone else's shoes  
To be a Human Being.

Put yourself in  
**THEIR**  
shoes



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