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"The great gift of Easter is hope."

Basil Hume

Easter Sunday — 17th April 2022

Mass Times & Intentions

Drumlish

Sun 11.00: Margaret Doris
Mon 10.00: Misa Pro Populo
Wed 10.00: Tom Keogh
Fri 8.00: Peter/Maura Whitney

Ballinamuck

Sun 9.30: Brigid Calcagno
Mark Tomlinson
Fri 7.00: Private Intention
Sun 9.30: McNerny/Hourican/Rehill/Creegan Dec
Paddy/Margaret Cassidy &
Cassidy/Gilless Dfm
Paddy/Mary Kerrigan

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

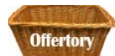
Ministers of the Word & Holy Communion

Drumlish

Word of God Sat Bridie Mollaghan
Sun Marie McKeon
Communion Sat Kathleen Gill
Sun Marian McNally

Ballinamuck

Word of God Sun Helen McKenna
Communion Sun Bridie Reilly



Offertory €887, Dues €245 Lenten Alms €38. You can also support our Church by electronic transfer if it is more convenient. Bank details are :

Account Name: Drumlish Church

BIC: AIBKIE2D;

IBAN: IE 15 AIBK 9321 4006 6850 07

Please write your name on your docket when making a transfer because Box numbers change from year to year. Thank you

Copies of the Irish Catholic are available weekly inside front door St. Mary's Church Drumlish.



- **Drumlish Land War Commemorative Panels** launch on Friday 6th May at the Men's Shed gable at 6 p.m. by Terence Dooley, Professor of History, Maynooth University—the event will take place outdoors. Open invitation to all who wish to attend.
- **98 Hall Ballinamuck:** A meeting will be held on Tuesday 26th April at 8.30 p.m. The running committee is very small and is in need of new volunteers to join. It entails attending 4 meetings a year and helping out at bingo on Tuesday night on a rota basis. The bingo is the main source of income to cover the running costs and to keep the Hall open. Without the support of the community at our Bingo (when it returns) we will be looking at the closure of the hall. Looking forward to seeing some new faces.
- **The Lough Derg Pilgrimage** season re-opens Sunday 1st May. There is the possibility of a One Day Retreat and/or Three Day Pilgrimage. For details of times and dates please check the notice Board at the front door of Drumlish Parish Church.

Tax Relief Forms

If you believe you have given €250 or more to the parish/clergy in the tax year 2020, please take and fill in the form '**Enduring Certificate**' (CHY3) and return to the Parochial House before the end of the month. There is a slight change in the format from previous years and does not require to be renewed for a period of five years, unless your circumstances change.

Choir Returns

We are delighted to welcome back our Parish Choir. Augustine, the great fifth-century bishop of North Africa, once said, "*Those who sing pray twice.*" The words of our hymns are prayers. Fifteen times, the Old Testament tells us to "sing to the LORD."



Trócaire 2022



Holy Week is the traditional time for returning your Lenten Trócaire savings (Boxes). With the crisis in the Ukraine we can easily forget that a similar crisis exists in many other parts of our globe. This year, while the Trócaire campaign focused on Thandekile and her family from Zimbabwe, it has also been engaged in funding and supporting the people of Ukraine

who have lost family, their homes and senseless destruction of their towns and cities. Your support and generosity to these causes are a witness to your understanding and empathy that we are a 'global family' and when one suffers all suffer. Please return your Box/offering this week—no contribution is too small and is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Walk with us

Jesus, you know what it's like
to feel abandoned
lost and afraid.
Walk with us
And show us how to walk with others,
who live in fear,
who face death
through hunger or war.
Show us how to pray
for those we do not know
and will not meet,
but who are always loved by you.
Walk with us Jesus, Amen.

Linda Jones/CAFOD

Easter Greetings

For the past two Easters we were unable to come together to celebrate and sing Alleluia that Christ is risen. It is with a great sense of joy that we can do so this Easter. We welcome you back to our Churches where we gather as family, a faith family, to give praise and thanks to our God. Coupled with our gathering to pray and worship, it is also important for building up our sense of being a 'faith family' that needs social contact and person to person support. As we celebrate the Easter joy that Christ is risen we welcome back to our Churches all who have longed for this day and those who may have been following Mass during the Covid period on Radio, T.V. or via Streaming. To any who have become 'comfortable' at being away from Sunday worship, I invite you to re-engage again with our worshipping community. The empty spaces call out to you to fill them with the presence of your light. The House of God continues to be an oasis of peace, comfort and healing. We also acknowledge that there are some who remain nervous and fearful about gatherings, and to these I say '**take courage, I have overcome the world**' (John 16:33). I wish you and your families a happy Easter full of Christian hope and joy. Alleluia! Christ is risen.

