

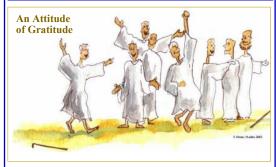
28th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C -9th October 2022

Baptism

Tessa Catherine Monaghan d/o Oliver & Eileen, Lisduff was baptised and welcomed into our faith community last Sunday. Congratulations to both families

Diocesan Safeguarding Conference

Clergy, Parish Safeguarding Representatives and Leaders of Youth in our Parish are invited to attend the Diocesan Safeguarding Conference in St. Mel's College, Longford on Wednesday, 12th October at 7.30 p.m. Guest speaker is Dr. Jessie Rogers, Dean of Faculty of Theology, Maynooth. Light refreshments served on arrival at 7 p.m.



Jews and Samaritans didn't mix, they avoided each other. These ten lepers call from a distance for healing. Jesus responds to all of them without making any distinction and they all receive healing. However, only one returns and gives thanks to Jesus, and he was a Samaritan. God's message to us can often come through unlikely people.

Often I can ask God for my needs but can forget to give thanks. To give thanks completes the circle, and I am enriched by doing it. I ask the Lord to teach me to practice gratitude. I review my day during this prayer with a grateful heart.

Diocesan Assembly

Subsequent to the Diocesan Assembly the Steering Committee (renamed Interim Diocesan Pastoral Council) met a number of times to implement some of the goals of the Assembly. A number of delegates kindly volunteered to assist. A

meeting was held on Mon Sept. 19th last at which three groups were set up to advance outreach to youth, family and lay formation. We wish the groups and the interim Diocesan Pastoral Council well as they try to impellent some of the fruits of the Assembly process.

Life through the Lens of the Gospel

The cure of the lepers is not just a physical cure, it also brought the people healed back from exclusion into the community. Perhaps you have experienced the movement from exclusion to inclusion. Some people work hard at breaking down barriers in society, seeking inclusion for those who find themselves labelled as lepers by society. When we do good for another we may not do it for the thanks we hope to get, but it can hurt when no gratitude is shown. Sometimes it is those closest to us who can take us for granted.

(Extract from Intercom. John Byrne OSA)



Wishing Fr. Manning Gaels team and mentors the best of luck in their tussle with Ballymahon in the Intermediate County Final this Sunday. It's a great

achievement to reach a final, reflecting the hard work and commitment of all involved. It's a proud day for our Parish of Drumlish & Ballinamuck.

Mass Times & Intentions

Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Theresa/Willie/Joe Caldwell Mon 10.00: Misa Pro Populo

Ballinamuck

Sun	9.30: Hugh Donnelly & Dfm	
	Gabriel/Brendan McLoughlin	
Sun	9.30: Patrick/Theresa/Nancy Prunty	
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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 & Communion Next Week

Drumlish

Word of God	Sat	Rosa Collum & Conf. Class
	Sun	Elizabeth Devlin & Conf Class
Communion	Sat	Mary Gearty
	Sun	Mary Gillooley
Ballinamuck		

Word of God Sun Helen McKenna & Conf. Class Communion Sun Breege Donnelly

Money

Matters

Offertory $\notin 1069$, Shrine $\notin 330$, Dues $\notin 176$, Mission Sunday $\notin 10$. 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 <u>vour name</u> on your docket when making a transfer because Box numbers change from year to year. Thank you

Diary Dates

Confirmation Drumlish 25th March at 11 a.m. Confirmation Ballinamuck 1st April at 11 a.m. First Communion Ballinamuck 6th May 11 a.m. First Communion Drumlish 13th May 11 a.m.

Upcoming

- **Drumlish Library**. Knitting and Crochet group meet every Wednesday at 2.30pm. Very relaxed, all welcome. Learn a new skill or revive your old skills. Other crafters also welcome. Enquiries 043 3324760 or just pop in.
- **Coffee Morning in aid of Longford Hospice** in the D/B Shed on Friday 14th October from 10 till 12pm, please support.
- Costal Rosary for Faith and Life in Ireland on Sunday 9th October, the annual Costal Rosary will take place at 2.30 p.m. Join thousand of people from around Ireland to pray the Rosary for Life and Faith at our coasts, grottos, rivers, churches and other suitable places. Simply sign up a Rosary location at www.coastalrosaryireland.ie or text your location to 087 2786552.
- Monaduff Social Club have their next day out on Saturday 15th October in Drumlish Library from 3 to 5 p.m. All welcome.
- Parent Toddler Group starts on Monday 10th October in Drumlish Library at 11 a.m. A chance for parents to meet other parents, chat over a cup of tea and bring your baby or toddler with you. You don't need to be a library member. No cost involved. Enquiries 043 3324760.
- Hail Holy Queen Conference 2022 is live on Radio Maria Ireland from 2 p.m. Saturday 15th October. Speakers include: Fr. Vincent Stapleton, Antonia Moffat, Fr. Brian McKevitt OP, Katrina Leyden. Radio Maria Ireland can be listened to by downloading the Radio Maria Ireland APP, Saorview Channel 210 or listen live at (01) 4373277
- Alzheimer Society Support Group—Longford Branch—are delighted to announce that their support group is returning, face to face on Wednesday 12th October at 7.00pm in The Attic House, Ballinalee Road, Longford. Pre booking is essential and this can be done by contacting Breda on 086 3802183.

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