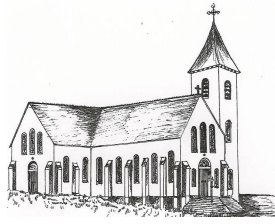


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Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter



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33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time 6 18th November 2012

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's

Sat 8.00: Pat Whitney, Esker Nth.
Sun 11.00: Michael/Fr. Tom Burbage
Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo
Fri 8.00: Maureen/Jim Kane & Dfm, Currabawn
Sat 8.00: Mary Ellen Colreavy, Cloonaugh Lr
Sun 11.00: Pat/Annie Monaghan;
John/Maggie Ellen/Michael Gillooley

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's

Sun 10.00: Katie Fallon
Wed 7.30: Brigid/Francis Corrigan, Gaigue
Fri 7.30: Tommy/Eugene McGee, MM
Sun 10.00: Shaughnessy Dfm

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Kathleen Kelleher
Sun: Billy Kelleher
Eucharist Sat: Joe Caldwell
Sun: Brendan Murray

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Adrian Lennon
Eucharist Sun: Cora McKenna

Music for the Church Year

This workshop, Derek Mahady and Fr Turlough Baxter, will present music that is appropriate for liturgies with children, especially -Do this in Memory or -Family Masses. This selection offers what will be appealing to young people but also to the whole community. Covering most seasons of the year, a number of pieces will also highlight the Year of Faith. All are welcome to attend; Choir members and directors; Family, Liturgy Teams; Teachers. 26th November @ 8 p.m. St Mel's College, Pastoral Centre. More Details: 087 9972259.

Ballinamuck Christmas Party

- This year's party will take place in the 98 Memorial Hall, Ballinamuck on Sunday 9th December 2012 at 2pm, finishing at 6.30pm. Individual invites will not be issued but all are welcome to attend on the day. Anyone wishing to entertain should contact Mary Breslin on 0861777294.
- The annual church gate collection for the Ballinamuck Senior Citizens Christmas Party will take place on 25th November 2012. Please give generously.

Volunteer in Africa

Humanitarian Volunteers are looking for volunteers to travel to East Africa in Feb 2013. The volunteers will work on a humanitarian project for two weeks. No experience required and no age restrictions. No large fundraising. Volunteers will pay their own costs. In addition, the Group will visit the resting place of the Venerable Edel Quinn during the mission. Contact Denis 6 086 8520271.

Death

Pray for the repose of the soul of Patrick Lynch, late of Crowdrummin who died in Oxford during the week. Funeral in Oxford next week. May he rest in peace.

Youth Ministry

Are you interested in being involved in Youth Ministry? Why not apply for a place on the Ignite Programme, which will offer foundational training for Youth Ministry. It will run in St Mel's College Pastoral Centre, Longford from 7-9pm Tuesday evenings for six weeks on the 13th, 20th, 27th November and 4th, 11th and 18th December. If you would like to avail of this course please contact Anita Allen, Youth Ministry Director immediately to secure a place at info@aym.ie.

Art and Model Making Competition

Drumlish/Ballinamuck Community Games, Art and Model Making Competition will take place on Sunday, 25th November from 3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. in the 98 Hall, Ballinamuck. Results and Presentation at 5:30pm. All entries must be based on a Community Games Theme or Activity. Each child needs to know their Date of Birth so they can be placed in the correct age category. The age categories are as follows:- Art Competition 6 Age's range from U8 to U16, Model Making Competition 6 Age's range from U10 6 U16. Paper will be provided. Please make sure that your child brings all other materials i.e. Colouring pencils/markers, Plasticine or Clay for Model Making, etc. Entry Fee 63.00 per child

Dates for your Diary

12th May 2013: Confirmation
18th May 2013: First Communion Drumlish
2nd June 2013: First Communion Ballinamuck

Baptism

Ellie Patricia Brady d/o Pauric & Caroline, 11 The Meadows was baptised and welcomed into the faith family of the parish last Sunday.

Drumlish Community Centre's 25 Years

A gala weekend to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the Community Centre, in conjunction with the Gathering 2013 will be held from 3rd 6 5th May 2013. A facebook page has been set up for the event for those who would like to share. Photos, stories etc. (will be saved and returned) should be handed in to Bridget in the P.O. Those interested in taking part or helping are invited to a meeting in the Community Centre on Thursday 29th November at 9 p.m. The Facebook page is: www.Facebook.Com/DrumlishCommunityCentreCelebrates25years

St. Mary's N.S. Fundraising Art Exhibition

St. Mary's National School is holding a Fundraising Art Exhibition on Thursday, 22 November in the school from 12 6 1pm and also from 6.30 6 7.30 pm. Each child in the school will have their piece of Art Work, titled and signed and it will be framed and displayed in a professional Art Exhibition. Refreshments will be served at both times. There will also be a donation box on the day, if anyone who is not purchasing a piece of Art, wishes to contribute to the fundraiser. All proceeds go towards the school. By coming along you are supporting the young children and their school.

Offertory Envelopes 2012-2013

Envelopes for the various collections for the coming year are now available. Please take your packet as you leave the church. As an act of fraternity, you might take your neighbours envelopes (those who attend Mass outside the parish) and drop them in their letter box. To help defray costs, only those who used the envelope system last year, are receiving packets this year, but if you wish to be part of the system this year, envelopes are still available 6 contact Fr. Ber, Fr. Patsy or a member of the pastoral council. You help the parish by using the envelope system of collection in that the parish can reclaim tax paid at source for PAYE workers who pay 6250 or more during the financial year. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

Offertory Collection

Drumlish: 6742; Ballinamuck 6292

In Demand!

Employee: I'll have to have a raise, sir. There are three other companies after me.
Employer: Is that so? What companies?
Employee: Light, phone and gas.