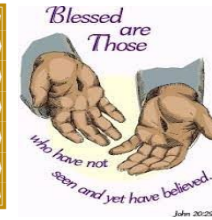


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If you have the smile of God what does it matter if you have the frown of men?

Leonard Ravenhill

2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) — 16th April 2023

Mass Intentions

Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Stephen/Mary Ellen Colreavy
Sun 11.00: Kathleen McWade
Kathleen Croke
Fri 8.00: Peter/Maura Whitney

Ballinamuck

Sun 9.30: Patrick/Mary Kerrigan
Packie Curwin, Months Memory
Janette Cassidy
Fri 7.00: First Confessions
Sun 9.30: Sean Coyle, Months Memory

Note: Mass streamed Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 10 a.m. Friday & Saturday 8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.

Ministries for Holy Week

Drumlish

Word of God Sat: Theresa Whitney
Sun: Sr. Kathleen Duffy
Communion Sat: Terry Cooney
Sun: Irene McNally

Ballinamuck

Word of God Sun Nuala McLoughlin
Communion Sun Olive Donnelly



- **B Pro Heart Testing** at The Nature Trail, Mohill on Saturday 22nd April. Booking essential. Please contact 0876861552 for appointment.
- **Eddie stones** will attend St Mary's Church Newtownforbes on Friday April 21st at 7PM
- **REVAMP Longford** invites you to an event on April 20th 10 - 1pm at REVAMP, Athlone Rd. Longford, N39 Y0F4, to empower and mobilize you and your community to develop ideas in the home or community, learn by doing, and assist in making an everlasting impact. Speaker and live demo's of REUSE on the day. Contact 043 3347515.
- **Next meeting of Monaduff Social Club** will take place on Saturday 22nd of April 3—5 p.m.
- **Mechanical Street Clean** is happening this Wednesday. Request to keep motors off street for the morning period to enable a deep clean of all areas take place.

Wedding

Congratulations Jamie Rosney & Joanne Ross who were married in St. Mary's Church, Drumlish this week. Wishing them every blessing.

Easter Gratitude

I wish to thank the people of our parish and surrounding areas for turning out in such great numbers over Holy Week; it was so uplifting and encouraging. Thanks also to the large number of people who were actively involved— readers, Euch Ministers, servers, pastoral council, choir and many others.



Thank you for returning your Trócaire Boxes and contents. Trócaire is the overseas development agency of the Catholic Church in Ireland. Your support and generosity is much appreciated.

Diocesan Assembly—Sub-committee Report

Last June, in the absence of a bishop to guide the diocese post the Assembly, and to ensure that the progress of the assembly process wasn't just shelved, the Assembly Committee, with the blessing of our diocesan administrator, Fr. Tom Healy, remained on as the Interim Diocesan Pastoral Development Committee, (IDPDC). Last autumn the IDPDC formed three sub committees on Family, Lay Formation and Youth and each of these committees has been active and has submitted a progress report to the IDPDC.

Report from Lay Formation Group

Following discussion on the conclusions of the Diocesan Assembly in relation to lay formation, the Lay Formation subcommittee agreed two focus points for 2023: 1. Formation for the Ministry of Pastoral Leadership in parishes and 2. Working towards Faith Formation in parishes. It will be important to identify the roles required in the diocese and parishes for the development of vibrant faith communities into the future. To progress these aims they, with the help of parish priests and parish pastoral councils, hope to identify people already active in various roles in the parishes and the diocese, e.g. catechists or groups already engaged in initiatives like the Do This in Memory programme. It will be necessary to recruit other volunteers where needed and also decide on the resources that will be required in order to help them fulfil these roles.

Report from the Family Group

The focus of the Family Group for 2023 is on Family Masses. In some parishes the frequency of these Masses is once a month at present, while some parishes will have family masses less frequently. Volunteers are needed to assist in each Parish. The Parish Priests along with the Parish Pastoral Councils and the Assembly Delegates in each parish were sent letters outlining this initiative, and it is hoped that each Parish will engage the help of parents of young families to assist with these Masses. To assist the lay volunteers, an information workshop, at which 20 parishes were represented, was held in the Family


Centre, Longford before Christmas. Resources and necessary materials, to assist young people with Readings, Prayers of the Faithful etc. were circulated. These materials are still available for collection in the presbytery, Longford (during office hours) by any parish not represented at that meeting.

Report from the Youth Group Celebrating and sharing the Message

The Youth Group decided that their focus for this year will be on second level students. They are currently planning a one-day event in Longford's St Mel's Cathedral and Temperance Hall for transition year students. It is hoped that this will take place towards the end of the present school year. The day will include a Taizé moment of quiet time that captures something of the atmosphere of the Young People's Pilgrimages to Taizé over the years. It will include a sharing of the Good News and it will end with a concert/ritual that expresses the concern of youth for the environment and the need to care for themselves and for each other.

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