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"It is the obligation of every person born in a safer room to open the door when someone in danger knocks."



Dina Nayer

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time — 17th September 2023

Mass Intentions

Drumlish

Sun 11.00: Misa Pro Populo
Sat 8.00: John Joe/Kathleen Toole & Toole/Martin Dfm
Sun 11.00: Jim Pat Lennon, Kilmahon
Bernie McDonnell, Month's Memory

Ballinamuck

Sun 9.30: Johnny Killian, Lettergunnell
Declan Collum, Lettergullion
Fri 7.00: Anna Rose/Pat/Anthony/Mary Ann
Flavin
Sun 9.30: Patrick/Teresa/Nancy Prunty

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

Ministries for Next Week

Drumlish

Word of God	Sat	Mary Ross
	Sun	Orla Devlin
Communion	Sat	Kathleen McNally
	Sun	Marian McNally

Ballinamuck

Word of God	Sun	Helen McKenna
Communion	Sun	David Collum



Thank you for your offertory €1067, Dues €293. You can also support using electronic transfer if it is more convenient. Bank details are :

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Copies of the [Irish Catholic](#) are available weekly inside front door St. Mary's Church, Drumlish. Copies €3.



- **Longford CASA** group are seeking volunteers to assist at our monthly socials. We provide a social outlet to adults with physical/intellectual disabilities. Socials are on a Sunday afternoon once a month. Garda vetting necessary and volunteers have to be 16 years or over. Enquiries to Bernie at 0861296305
- **Clonmacnois Pattern Day** takes place this Sunday 17th September. Pattern at 2.45pm and Mass at 3pm.
- **Higher Diploma/ Diploma in Pastoral Liturgy.** St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth, are currently running a blended learning Higher Diploma/ Diploma in Pastoral Liturgy. Applications close 10th September. More information available at sppu.ie/courses or contact us at 01 7084778 or email emmadmissions@spcm.ie
- **English Classes for Our Ukrainian Families** have been running for well over a year now in Dillons, Ballinamuck, Mon mornings 10-12. We are starting back after the summer break on Sept 11th and looking for a few more volunteers to help with conversation practice. No experience required. For more information contact Catherine Carthy on 0874433610.
- **Coffee Morning in aid of Longford Hospice** in the D/B Shed on Friday September 22nd from 10 am to 12 pm, please support.
- **Eucharistic Healing Day** will take place on Saturday, September 23rd in St. Mel's Cathedral, Longford from 3pm to 8.30pm. Day will include: A Eucharistic Healing Cenacle led by Mother Adela Galindo, Veneration of St. John Paul II's Relic, and the celebration of Mass with Bishop Paul Connell. All are most welcome.
- **Mohill Computer Training** – We are now offering a full time QQI Level 5 and a part time QQI Level 4 computer course. Contact us now for more information. You may be entitled to a training allowance. Up to 390 CAO points available on our Full time course. Call 071 9632024 or email margaret@mct.ie for more information.

- **ASIMemoryWalk2023:** the Longford branch will hold their walk in The Mall Complex, Longford at 3.00pm on Sunday 24th September. You can sign up now to participate in the 2023 Alzheimer's Memory Walk at www.memorywalk.ie. Registrations cost €5 for kids and €18 for adults and include a participation pack with a Memory Walk t-shirt. The closing date for registrations to receive your participation pack before the walk is noon on Wednesday, September 20th. Many thanks for your continued support.
- **Library News:** The Parent and Toddler group meet every Thursday at 11am and new members are always welcome. Knitters meet on Thursday afternoons between 2.30pm and 4.30pm
Opening Times Thursday 10am - 6pm and Friday 10am - 5pm, Lunch 1 -2pm Saturday 10am - 2pm
Enquiries to 043 3324760 or Email drumlishlibrary@longfordcoco.ie or drop in.
- **Drumlish/Ballinamuck Philip Davis Car & Tractor Run** thank all who participated in the recent run— posters, advertisers, Cathal Quinn, businesses, donors, to Mary Gearty and Elaine McKeon for their help.

Deaths

Pray for the repose of the souls of B rigid Philomena O'Sullivan nee Harte, late of Kiltycreevagh whose funeral took place in New York on Monday. Also for Colette Kiernan nee Gregg, Manhattan and late of Creenagh who died this week. May their souls rest in peace. Sympathy and Prayers to both families.

World Day of Migrants & Refugees

The Church has been celebrating the World Day of Migrants and Refugees (WDMR) since 1914. It is always an occasion to express concern for different vulnerable people on the move; to pray for them as they face many challenges; and to increase awareness about the opportunities that migration offers. This year's theme, "*Free to choose whether to migrate or to stay,*" shines a light on the root causes that drive migration. .

Refugees

(By Brian Bilston)

They have no need of our help
So do not tell me
These haggard faces could belong to you or me
Should life have dealt a different hand
We need to see them for who they really are
Chancers and scroungers
Layabouts and loungers
With bombs up their sleeves
Cut-throats and thieves
They are not
Welcome here
We should make them
Go back to where they came from
They cannot
Share our food
Share our homes
Share our countries
Instead let us
Build a wall to keep them out
It is not okay to say
These are people just like us
A place should only belong to those who are born there
Do not be so stupid to think that
The world can be looked at another way

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