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"I feel the healing hands of God touch my heart and kiss my soul."
— Harley King



13th Sunday of Ordinary Time — 30th June 2024

Mass Intentions

Drumlish
Sat 8.00: Michael/Kathleen Sweeney
Sun 11.00: Joseph & Theresa Gill
Theresa McGowan/Mary Briggs

Ballinamuck
Sun 9.30: Private Intention
Fri 7.00: Patrick/Mary Jo McKenna
Katelyn McKenna
Sun 9.30: Bridgie Collum

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

Ministries for Next Sunday

Drumlish
Word of God Sat Collette Brennan
Sun Sr. Kathleen Duffy
Communion Sat Mary Gearty
Sun Sr. Kathleen Duffy

Ballinamuck
Word of God Sun Nuala McLoughlin
Communion Sun Olive Donnelly



Offertory €1235, Dues €50, Holy Land €100. You can also support using electronic transfer if it is more convenient. Bank details are :

Account Name: Drumlish Church
BIC: AIBKIE2D;
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Wedding

Congratulations Dermot Collum & Caitlin Gill, Lettergullion who were married in Moygownagh. Wishing them blessings and happiness in their future together.

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



- ♦ **Ballinamuck Social Dancing** (Last Sunday of each month) takes place in the 98 Memorial Hall, Ballinamuck this Sunday, 30th June from 5–7 p.m. More faces welcome. Music by The Ramblers. Contact Aisling 086 3663901.
- ♦ **Job Vacancy - Kilmore Diocese:** The Diocese of Kilmore is recruiting for the position of Primary School Diocesan Advisor. Initial one-year part-time contract. Working hours will be half a normal school-working week. This post will require travel around the schools in the Diocese of Kilmore in the West Cavan, North Leitrim areas as well as in two parishes in Fermanagh. For full details please visit kilmorediocese.ie
- ♦ **Swimming at Keeldra Lake.** Water Safety Ireland Annual Swimming and Life saving classes commence at Keeldra Lake on Monday 1st July, 2024 at 10.00am for two weeks. Note there will be no Enrolment on the morning of the classes.
- ♦ **First Friday** calls will be made this week on Thursday and Friday at the usual times. Please note if you are housebound or unable to attend weekly Mass but would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact Fr. Ber at 086 8213422.

The power of Touch

There is a way of touching Jesus without really touching him. A lot of people touched Jesus that day in that crowd, but only the woman got his power after the touch. So, what unlocks his power? Just this: personal need of a saviour and the empty hands of faith. That's all this woman had. And that's all she needed. So many in the crowd that day were just excited about what Jesus might do for others. This woman was desperate for what he could do for her. That's the difference. Until you understand your personal need for Jesus, his power will be withheld from you. But when you come to him with the empty hands of faith, desperate for salvation, his power races towards you. (Extract: David McLemore, *Intercom*)

Some thoughts on today's scripture

The Gospel reading presents us with two stories about how Jesus healed people. At the end of the first of these stories Jesus gives us the key to his healing ministry when he says, 'Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease'. The remedy Jesus says is faith in his love. The woman with the haemorrhages took the initiative in approaching Jesus. Her situation was somewhat desperate. She had faith, believing that touching his cloak would make her better. Lord, help us to realise where we lose life and energy, where we need to touch you and be touched by you to find true life.



There Is Power in a Touch

"If I just touch his clothes, I will be healed." Mark 5:28
Based on Mark 5:25-34 (NIV)



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X C C A E L E T Q G E R V K E
O M W S V T H G G B A A Z R I
Y P R C T P E N V U Q D R A X
S O V E F D A U G H T E R P S
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SUFFER	FEAR	WOMAN	WORSE	FAITH
PEACE	FREE	YEARS	DAUGHTER	TRUTH
DOCTORS	TOUCH	BLEEDING	HEAL	GONE
CLOAK	TWELVE	POWER	BETTER	JESUS

A Prayer: "Jesus took he by the hand and helped her up"

Jesus you are God's gospel presence
For our broken and fractured world.
For all who have felt betrayed and let down,
take them by the hand to a place of understanding.
For those angry, having never been heard,
take them by the hand and help them tell their story.
For those in our church who failed our young people,
take us by the hand to a place of repentance.
For all of us in our church, wounded by painful truth,
take us by the hand to a place of healing.
For all of us entrusted with the care of others,
take us by the hand to a gentle Shepherd.
For all of our church at this time of darkness,
take us by the hand into your infinite light of Compassion. Amen.

Saints of the Week

Monday is the feast of St. Oliver Plunkett who was hanged, drawn and quartered on 1st July 1681 in Tyburn for promoting the Catholic faith. Was canonised 12th October 1975 by Pope Paul VI. Wednesday is the feast of St. Thomas, one of the apostles who is said to have preached the gospel in India where he was martyred for his faith.

Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around.

LEO BUSCAGLIA

