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# Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter





So live your life that your autograph will be wanted, not your fingerprints



15th Sunday of Ordinary Time — 14th July 2024

## **Mass Intentions**

## Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Jim/Mary Hannify Sun 11.00: Misa Pro Populo

Sat 8.00: Mary Higgins, Cloonaugh

#### **Ballinamuck**

Sun 9.30: John Duffy

Fri 7.00: Sylvester/Michael/Mary Heslin Sun 9.30: Rosaleen Prunty, Kiltycreevagh

John Joe/Margaret Donnelly

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 Aaron Smith
Sun Annette Kane
Communion Sat Terry Cooney
Sun Derek McKeon

**Ballinamuck** 

Word of God Sun Adrian Lennon Communion Sun Mark Duffy

## money

Offertory €1550, Dues €160, Holy Land €40, Gift €200. You can also support using 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>your name</u> on your docket when making a transfer because Box numbers change from year to year. Thank you for your support.

Mary & Paddy Gillooley's Garden Open day raised €4898 in aid of Longford Hospice Home care. Thanks to all who supported it.

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



- DBWS (Women's shed) annual clothes recycle collection on August 30th. We need all kind of old clothes belts shoes towels sheets no duvets toys or bric a breac please. Let some of the committee know if you need anything collected. There is a collection point at Dolores Kane's house.
- Olde Fair Day—wishing the organisers a great day on Sunday. A great community effort and deserves to be supported by all the parish.



## **Rota of Ministries Update**

The rota for ministers of the Word and ministers of Holy Communion for the remainder of the year are now updated and may be found on the Drumlish Parish Web www.drumlishparish.ie under 'Liturgy & Sacraments'. If you prefer a hard copy of the rota, please contact Fr. Ber.

## Children and Information Technology

Anne Marie Lee is a retired Public Health Nurse and Healthcare Tutor and offers the following tips for parents and how to engage with children:

- Decide when to give your child a phone and what type of phone.
- Talk to your child, appropriately for their age, about safety in using information technology.
- Once your child has a smartphone, he/she must be warned to be extremely careful who he/she gives their number to.
- Switch on all safety apps on the child's phone.
- Always have the code for their phone and check it regularly.
- No phone, laptop or TV in the bedroom
- If the phone is missing, block it as you are responsible for the cost of calls made.
- It is illegal to access the phone of an 18-year old without permission
- Encourage socialisation and communication, guide your children in developing their talents.
- Give them opportunities to embrace diversity in race, culture and social status.

## Some thoughts on today's scripture

"Wallet, keys, phone..." Many of us have a mantra we recite as they leave home, to ensure we are ready for the day. Jesus sends us out with less, inviting us to trust, to be ready to engage with and respond to the world around us. Many people allow themselves to become defensive and protective, aware of slights and insults. Jesus invites his followers to shake off and leave behind acrimony, resistance and unfriendliness. The disciples were allowed to take only one thing with them - a staff - something to lean on, to support them as they journeyed. Who, or what, is my 'staff'? Where do I find supports in living out my life as a disciple today? We ask Jesus to help us to keep our eyes on him and his heart rather than letting our hearts be restricted or narrow.

[Extract: Sacred Space - Irish Jesuits]

## Jesus's Disciples



James son of Alphaeus James son of Zebedee John son of Zebedee

Simon the Zealot Judas Iscariot Bartholomew

Simon Peter Thaddaeus Matthew
Thomas Philip Andrew

