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"Ask, 'Who am I, where have I been, and where am I going?'"

- Carl Sandburg



16th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C — 20th July 2025

Mass Intentions

Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Mary Higgins
Joe Sullivan
Margaret Horan, Month's Memory
Sun 27th July 11 am: Tom Crowe

Ballinamuck

Sun 9.30: John Joe/Margaret Donnelly
Fri 7.00: John F Duignan & Dfm

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

Ministries for Next Weekend

Drumlish

Word of God Sat Áine Maher
Sun Helen Crowe
Communion Sat Mary Gearty
Sun Pat Corrigan

Ballinamuck

Word of God Sun Catherine Carthy
Communion Sun Catherine Carthy



Offertory €1112, Dues €70, Peter's Pence €163,
Shrine €302. 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 your name on your docket when
making a transfer because Box numbers change
from year to year. Thank you for your support.**
The committee thank you for supporting St. Mary's
Meals Church gate collection €682.70 last weekend.

Caution!

During the work on the steps of Drumlish Parish
Church I ask those attending the Church to use the
side doors for entry and exit. The work on the steps
will take a few weeks and I ask for your patience
during that time. Thank you for your understanding.

Upcoming COMMUNITY EVENTS

- ♦ **Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** takes place on
Sunday 7th September with anointing at 2.30 p.m.
followed by Mass at 3 p.m.
- ♦ **The annual Pioneer pilgrimage to Knock Shrine**
will take place this Sunday 20 July. Prayers will be
offered at Our Lady's Shrine for all who work in
alcohol and drug treatment centres in Ireland.
Contact Fr Robert McCabe.
- ♦ **DB Women's Shed annual clothes collection**
takes place again this year. We can take all old
clothes shoes bags belts sheets towels, but NO toys
duvets pillows or cushions. The last date for
collection will be the 30th August. If you have
anything to contribute please drop to Dolores House
N39CP77. If you need to get anything collected
please let some of the committee know.

Mandatory Safeguarding Training

Lyn McDermott, of the National Safeguarding Board
will cover the full child safeguarding training to all
Clergy, Sacristans, Leaders of Youth Choir, of Pray
& Play, Ministers of Eucharist to the Housebound,
etc. In other words all persons volunteering in
church activities with children are requested to
attend. The session will last 3 hours from 6.30pm to
9.30pm, tea/coffee on arrival, and will amalgamate an
information session, refresher and the full training in
one. Once completed this training is good for 3
years. Training/Refresher course will take place in
Longford Deanery as follows: Thursday, 24th July in
Temperance Hall, Longford, N39 R9X8 from 6.30
p.m. to 9.30 p.m. Note: this is mandatory and in
keeping with best practice. If unable to attend
alternate dates are: Granard Deanery Thursday 11th
Sept.; Athlone Deanery Wed. 17th September.

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

At the Home of Mary and Martha

"Martha, Martha," the Lord answered, "you are worried
and upset about many things, but only one thing is
needed. Mary has chosen what is better, and it will not
be taken away from her." Luke 10:41-42 (NIV)
The puzzle is based on Luke 10:38-42 (NIV).



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| VILLAGE | THING | MARTHA | FEET | HELP |
| SISTER | PREPARATION | WORK | NEEDED | BETTER |
| WOMAN | UPSET | JESUS | TAKEN | NEEDED |
| DISCIPLES | WORRIED | MADE | MARY | CHOSEN |



Martha and Mary

Martha was busy and hurried,
Serving the friend divine,
Cleansing the cups and platters,
Bringing the bread and wine;
But Martha was careful and anxious
Fretted in thought and in word.

She had no time to be sitting
While she was serving the Lord,
For Martha was "cumbered with serving,
Martha was "troubled" with "things"---
Those that would pass with the using---
She was forgetting her wings.

Mary was quiet and peaceful,
Learning to love and to live.
Mary was hearing His precepts,
Mary was letting Him give---
Give of the riches eternal,
Treasures of mind and of heart;
Learning the mind of the Master,
Choosing the better part.

Do we ever labour at serving
Till voices grow fretful and shrill,
Forgetting how to be loving,
Forgetting how to be still?
Do we strive for "things" in possession,
And toil for the perishing meat,
Neglecting the one thing needful---
Sitting at Jesus' feet?

Service is good when he asks it,
Labour is right in it's place,
But there is one thing better,
Looking up in his face;
There is so much he can tell us,
Truths that are precious and deep;
This is the place where he wants us,
These are the things we can keep.

Annie Johnson Flint