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Go out on a limb. That's where the fruit is

Jimmy Carter



5th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A - 8th February 2026

Mass Intentions

Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Martha/Tom Gunshinan
Mon 10.00: Misa Pro populo
Wed 10.00: Our Lady of Lourdes, Day of Prayer for the sick
Fri 8.00: Michael Sweeney, Brocklagh Family Mass of Gratitude
Sat 8.00: David Corr Fergal Mulleady
Sun 11.00: Shane Lawlor

Ballinamuck

Sun 9.30: Maggie Killian, Lettergunnell
Fri 7.00: Peggy Cassidy

Ministries for Next Weekend

Drumlish

Word of God Sat Aaron Smith & Conf
Sun Kathleen Dunleavy & Conf
Communion Sat Terry Cooney
Sun Marian McNally

Ballinamuck

Word of God Sun Nuala McLoughlin & Conf
Communion Sun Bridie Reilly



Offertory €1210, Shrine €235. You can also use electronic transfer if it is more convenient. Bank details:

**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. Thank you.

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

Upcoming **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

- **Drumlish Ballinamuck Women's Shed** are holding our AGM on Tuesday 10th February at 8pm in the shed. Please come to support us, we would love to see you there.
- **Mohill Enterprise Centre:** Starting April 2026 – Digital Citizenship, AI & Communication Skills for the Workplace. Apply now as places are limited. Call 071 9632024/085 8118818 or email eileen@mct.ie.
- **Ballinamuck ICA:** The February meeting of the guild will take place on Monday night, February 9th at 8pm in the '98 Hall. All members are asked to attend. New members are always welcome.
- **Monaduff Social Club** meeting on Saturday 21st February from 3-5pm in Monaduff.
- **The Longford branch of The Alzheimer Society** will hold their monthly support group on Wednesday 11th February at 7.00pm in our office, 2 Earl street ,Longford, opposite Mollaghan's furniture shop. Contact Breda on 086 3802183.

Deaths

Pray for the response of the souls of Anna Bohan, Killavehy whose funeral Mass took place this Saturday; Philomena Scott, Kiltycreevagh whose funeral Mass is in Ballinamuck on Monday at 12 p.m. May they rest in peace. We extend our prayers and condolences to both families.

Ushers for Funeral Masses & Removals I ask for volunteers to help out at these occasions so that sympathising can be conducted in a dignified manner. Text or phone me at 086 8213422 Note also Diocesan Guidelines re Reposing of remains in Churches which can be found on our Parish Website under 'news'.

International Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking

Each year, around 2.5 million people are victims of trafficking and slavery. For those engaged in trafficking it has become one of the most lucrative illegal activities in the world. Through the Day of Prayer we reflect on the experience of those who have suffered, but also we are called to reach out to victims and survivors. The following prayer by the late Pope Francis invokes the help and healing of Saint Josephine Bakhita, a victim and patron of those trafficked:

Saint Josephine Bakhita, you were sold into slavery as a child and endured unspeakable hardship and suffering. Once liberated from your physical enslavement, you found true redemption in your encounter with Christ and his Church. O Saint Josephine Bakhita, assist all those who are entrapped in slavery; Intercede on their behalf with the God of Mercy so that the chains of their captivity will be broken. May God himself free all those who have been threatened, wounded or mistreated by the trade and trafficking of human beings. Bring comfort to survivors of this slavery and teach them to look to Jesus as an example of hope and faith so that they may find healing from their wounds. We ask you to pray for us and to intercede on behalf of us all: that we may not fall into indifference, that we may open our eyes and be able to see the misery and wounds of our many brothers and sisters deprived of their dignity and their freedom, and may we hear their cry for help. Amen.



Eucharistic Adoration



The Diocese is renewing and developing its Adoration Lay Committee in order to increase the practice of Eucharistic Adoration in parishes throughout the diocese. You are welcome to attend an Information Meeting on Thursday, 26th February at 7.30 p.m. Octagonal Room, Longford Cathedral N39 TC58. Registration from 7 p.m. and includes light refreshment. See poster in Church.



disciples	salt	earth
taste	seasoned	thrown
trampled	underfoot	light
world	city	mountain
hidden	lamp	bushel
basket	lampstand	house
shine	deeds	glorify

