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Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter



We live in a strange world where the poor walk miles to get food and the rich walk miles to digest food

26th Sunday of Year C — 29th September 2019

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sun 11:00: Brigid/Mary Corrigan, Main St. Rose Leonard, USA
Elizabeth O'Sullivan & O'Sullivan/Whitney Dfm
Fri 8:00: Elizabeth/Patrick Kiernan
Sat 8:00: John Joe O'Toole/James Martin

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10:00: Pat Collum, Lettergullion

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Kathleen Kelleher
Sun: Orla Devlin
Communion Sat: Mary Gearty
Sun: Pat Corrigan

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Ciaran Mulligan
Communion Sun: Chantel Connell

Money Matters

Offertory €880. Thank you.

Fr. Manning Gaels—County Finalists



Best wishes to Fr Manning Gaels as they do battle in the Intermediate County Final today, Sunday. This is a great achievement for the players and management. If anyone would like to give a donation to the Club to help cover costs it would be greatly appreciated. All sponsors will be recognized publicly. Any donations can be given to a committee member.

"An arrogant rich and a humble poor both need help! The former needs help to be human; the latter needs help to live humanely!" — Mehmet Murat ildan



- **Beginning Experience weekend 18-20 October** for people who have lost a spouse through death, divorce or separation Esker Retreat Centre Athenry; Phone Maureen 0876646896 or Josie 0879881143!!
- **The Irish Cancer Society** is looking for volunteers to drive patients to and from their chemotherapy treatments in all public hospitals nationwide. Volunteers will need their own car but all expenses are paid. Contact www.cancer.ie or Laura on 01 2310 594 or email transport@irishcancer.ie
- **Drumlish Ballinamuck Women's Shed** are hoping to set up a Pickle Ball Club. This activity can be enjoyed by both men & women up to 80 years old at a pace to suit all. More details later.
- **Mohill Computer Training** - Evening Courses in early October including - Internet Security with Basic Computing and Digital Photography. ☎ 071-9632024, email: info@mct.ie
- **Galilee Spirituality Centre**, Boyle regular events: (i) Mindfulness Meditation: Monday 7.00-7.45pm (ii) Reflection on Sunday readings: Thur 7.30-9.30 (iii) Taizé Prayer: last Fri of the month, 9.00-10.00 (iv) Personal and group retreats, days of reflection and spiritual direction by arrangement. Info@galilee.ie 071-966-4101 www.galilee.ie
- **First Friday calls** take place next Thursday for the Ballinamuck area and on Friday for Drumlish.
- **A day in Honour of Our Lady** - "Calling all Families". Consecrate your families to Our Lady on Sat. 5th Oct in Knock Shrine at the 3pm Pilgrimage Mass. Followed by testimony, food + music in the Rest + Care Centre and concludes with a Holy Hour to pray for our Priests, Bishops & their Dioceses. Contact HLI Ireland in Knock 094-9375993/085-8608835 or email: mail@humanlife.ie

Baptism

Ava Sharon McKenna d/o Damien & Sharon, Fardromin was baptised and welcomed into our faith family last weekend. Congratulations to all concerned.

Sacramental Enrolment

The young people making their First Penance, First Communion and Confirmation are being enrolled today (Sunday) in Ballinamuck during 10 a.m. Mass and tomorrow (Monday) in St. Mary's Church, Drumlish at 7 p.m. This is the start of a process of preparation guided by their parents, their teachers and the parish community. All three pillars of influence have a very important part play in the faith formation of our young people. Personal example and true witness are the greatest influence in any young person's life.

A Tale of Two Neighbors Luke 16:19-31



The rich man's crime is not what he has done but what he has failed to do. It is not enough to avoid wrong, but we must, with God's help, pursue goodness and justice. The first of the faults attributed to the rich man is his insensitivity to the abject poverty of those around him. The second fault attributed to the rich man is the way he ignored the word of God coming through Moses and the prophets. [Extract: Intercom]

Deaths

Pray for the repose of the souls of Nicola Murphy nee Cawley. Removal to St. Mary's Church, Newtownforbes this Sunday at 7 p.m. Funeral Mass Monday at 12 a.m.; Pauline Tate, Fardromin, funeral service on Tuesday in Ballinamuck at 10.30 with removal to Glasnevin Crematorium afterwards. May they rest in peace.

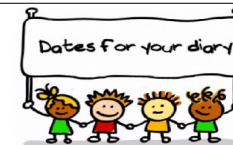
Bishop William O'Higgins Heritage Project



The project is well under way having been approved for LEADER funding to the tune of 75% of the total cost. The sculptor is Dublin based Dony Mac Manus who has just completed a commission of St Oliver Plunkett for Armagh Cathedral. A few fundraisers are scheduled over the next 9 months to help bridge the funding gap. The first is a sponsored WALK-A-THON of 10 and 5 Kilometres on Sunday October 13th at 2pm. Sponsor Cards available local library and shops. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

October—Mission Month

Tuesday is the beginning of October and is highlighted in the life of the Catholic Church as (a) World Mission Month and (b) the month of the Rosary. The theme for World Mission Month this year is: "Together we are Mission". We sometimes think that only priests and sisters, catechists and lay people that work with those in need, are called to mission—but through Baptism we all are. Prayer is the soul and the foundation of the mission of the Church: to support the apostolic effort of the missionaries of Jesus scattered throughout the world, we are proposing the Rosary, which is still practiced in many parts of the world, and which has been a deeply held devotion in Ireland over many years.



- 25th April 2020 First Communion, Ballinamuck at 11am
- 9th/10th May 2020 Diocesan Assembly Longford
- 16th May 2020 First Communion, Drumlish 11am
- 21st May Confirmation Drumlish & Ballinamuck in St. Mary's, Drumlish at 4 p.m.
- 7th June 2020 Blessing of Graves