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For last year's words belong to last year's language. And next year's words await another voice.

T. S. Elliot



Second Sunday of Christmas Year C — 2nd January 2022

Mass Times & Intentions

Drumlish

Sun 11.00: Mary Ellen Corr MM, Kilnashee and Jack & Micheál (Deferred till later)
Wed 8.00: Feast of Epiphany (Vigil)
Thur 11.00: Feast of Epiphany
Sat 8.00: Catherine/James Kane, Main St. Anthony Davis, Main St.
Sun 11.00: Michael/Mary Cooney, Greagh

Ballinamuck

Sun 9.30: Misa Pro Populo
Thur 7.00: Feast of Epiphany
Fri 7.00: Martin Collum, Lettergullion
Sun 9.30: Michael/Maisie Kiernan, Lettergunnell

Note: Mass will be celebrated on Fridays in Ballinamuck only when there is a special intention
Note: Mass streamed on the Parish Webcam as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 10 a.m. Friday & Saturday 8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.

Ministers of the Word & Holy Communion

Drumlish

Word of God Sat: Mary Ross
Sun: Elizabeth Devlin
Communion Sat: Kathleen Gill
Sun: Marian McNally

Ballinamuck

Word of God Nuala McLoughlin
Communion Kieran Duffy



Offertory €2592, Dues €3783, Shrine €335. You can also support our Church by 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**

NOTICES

Offertory Envelopes/Boxes 2022

Offertory Boxes for the year 2022 are now ready but because of data protection regulations they will be distributed as last year. I ask the people who helped last year to do so again this year, please. To help reduce costs, only those who used the 'envelope system' over the past year receive boxes. However, if you would like to receive an 'offertory box' please contact me at 0868213422 or any member of the parish pastoral council. If you are donating online I ask you to put your name on your banking docket rather than your number as the number on your Box may change from year to year. Once again I express my sincere thanks to the many who so generously supported parish and clergy over the past year, not only financially but also in human terms by your prayers, well wishes and human concerns.

Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord

Thursday next is the feast of the Epiphany and is a Holy Day. Masses in Drumlish on Wednesday at 8p.m. (Vigil) and Thursday at 11 a.m. Mass in Ballinamuck on Thursday at 7 p.m.

House & Sick Calls

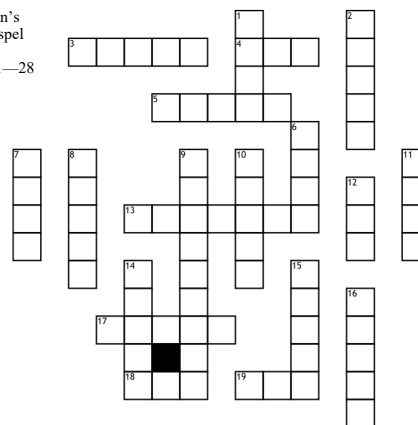
The sick and housebound will be attended in the Ballinamuck area on Wednesday and in the Drumlish area on Friday. If there are any parishioners who would like to be attended please contact Fr. Ber at 0868213422.

In the beginning was the Word ...

Jesus is that Word



John's Gospel
1: 1—28



Across

- 3. A slug with a shell on its back?
- 4. Who did he come to? v11
- 5. Who bought us the law? v17
- 13. Who was in the beginning with God?
- 17. What does the life bring to everyone?
- 18. You hear through it?

Down

- 1. What kind of bird came upon Jesus? v32
- 2. Who brought us grace and truth? v17
- 6. Another word for feeling pleased
- 7. Who came to tell everyone about the light? V6,7,8

8. What did the word become? v14

- 9. Where did the son come from? v14
- 10. What have we seen? v14
- 11. What was in him? V4
- 12. You catch fish in it
- 14. What does the light do? V5
- 15. To where did the light come? V9
- 16. The light on a candle

Names & Characteristics of the Three Wise Men

Gaspar, the king of Sheba, who wears a green cloak and a gold crown with green jewels on it represents the Frankincense brought to Jesus.
Melchior, the king of Arabia, who has long white hair and a white beard and wears a gold cloak represents the Gold brought to Jesus.
Balthazar, the king of Tarse, who has a black beard and wears a purple cloak represents the gift of Myrrh that was brought to Jesus.
Meaning of the Gifts for Jesus
Gold is affiliated with Kings and Christians believe that Jesus is the King of Kings.
Frankincense is used in liturgical worship in traditional Churches and represented that people would worship and praise Jesus.
Myrrh is a fragrance that is embedded on dead bodies to make them smell pleasant and represented that Jesus would endure persecution resulting in his death.



A New Year's Prayer to help those in need.



May all of my family members and friends who need a New Year miracle be blessed.
May whoever has had a bad year face this new year with hope in their heart.
May all of those who have had heavy burdens this year have their load lightened and the opportunity to enjoy the New Year.
and May the person reading this prayer have a happy and prosperous New Year.

Share this New Year's prayer on your wall for all of those who may need it.

Keeping Omicron at Bay

- ♦ Enter by the front door of the Church & exit by side doors
- ♦ Wear Facemask when in Church
- ♦ Sanitise your hands as you enter/leave the Church.
- ♦ Keep social distancing. Do no crowd at the back of the church—there is usually space towards the front and side aisles.



"Low gluten" communion hosts can now be received in our parish churches. Please indicate your wish to receive a 'low gluten' host by raising your hand as you come to receive.

The Irish Catholic

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