

☉Fr. Ber Hogan 043 3324132  
086 8213422  
Email: drumlishparish@gmail.com  
Website: www.drumlishparish.ie  
Live Stream direct link:  
www.churchservices.tv/drumlish  
or login to Parish Website



FOR GOD SO  
**LOVED**   
THE WORLD  
JOHN 3:16

"There are people in the world so hungry, that God cannot appear to them except in the form of bread."



Mahatma Gandhi

Feast of the Most Holy Trinity Year A — 31st May 2026

**Mass Intentions**

**Drumlish**

Sun 11.00: Misa Pro Populo

**Ballinamuck**

Fri 7.00: Janey Gorman, Fardromin

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

**Ministries for Holy Week**

**Drumlish**

Word of God Sat Kathleen Kelleher & Conf Cl  
Sun Orla Devlin & Conf Cl  
Communion Sat Declan Mimmagh  
Sun Derek McKeon

**Ballinamuck**

Word of God Sun Helen McKenna & Conf Cl  
Communion Sun Bridie Reilly



Offertory €1215, Dues €1360. 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. Thank you for your support.**

St. Christopher's Services thank you for your contribution to recent Church Gate Collection which totalled €975

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

**Helplines**

**If you are suffering from mental/emotional stress or suicidal tendencies you can find help from:**  
**Samaritans: 116 123 free, anonymous telephone**  
**Suicide or Survive: 01 272 2158**  
**Spunout: HELLO to 50808 – anytime**



*Lord, when our mothers are tired, give them strength. When they feel alone, bring them comfort. When they are overwhelmed, bless them with peace. In their hardest moments, be their Light. Today we ask You to bless them with what they need most. Amen.*

*Upcoming*  
**COMMUNITY EVENTS**

- ♦ **Bingo in 98 Hall** continues every Tuesday everyone welcome.
- ♦ **Join Accord:** Accord supports couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. If you think you could help in this work join Accord and become a facilitator. For more information contact Accord on email: [marriagepreparation@accord.ie](mailto:marriagepreparation@accord.ie). Or phone 015053112
- ♦ **All Ireland Rosary Rally**, taking place at the International Marian and Eucharistic Shrine in Knock on Saturday, 6th June 2026.
- ♦ **St Padre Pio's Annual Pilgrimage to Holy Cross Abbey**, Thurles Co. Tipperary next Sunday May 31st. Bus leaving Cathedral Car Park 9.00 am. Peter Reynolds 087 6613510
- ♦ **Ballinamuck Social Dancing** in the '98 Memorial Hall, Ballinamuck next Sunday the 31st May from 5pm – 7pm. Music Sean Kerrigan - White Lightening. Contact Aisling on (086) 3663901.
- ♦ **Longford Alzheimer Cafe** will meet on Wednesday 27th May at 7.00pm in their office on Earl Street, Longford. Guest speaker is Carla Flynn, Senior Occupational Therapist in Longford. Contact Eileen on 085 8724475
- ♦ **First Friday calls** will all take place on the Friday from now on.
- ♦ **Ballinamuck N.S. Bakesale** on Tuesday, 2nd June at the school. All welcome
- ♦ **Garden Open Day** at Paddy/Mary Gillooley's in aid of Longford Hospice Care on Saturday next 6th June from 10.30 to 6 p.m. Tea/Coffee etc. served. All welcome.

*A prayer for Mothers*

**School Cleaner Vacancy—St. Mary's N.S.**

- ♦ **Position details:** 15 hours per week; school term only; part-time afternoon/evening work.
- ♦ **Duties include:** Daily cleaning of classrooms, corridors and toilets; emptying bins and general tidying; providing the school office with a list of cleaning supplies required/areas that need attention.
- ♦ **Requirements:** ability to work independently, experience desirable but not essential, good attention to detail, reliable and trustworthy, Garda Vetting is essential.
- ♦ **Location:** St. Mary's Mixed School, Drumlish.
- ♦ **Applications:** please send a CV and short letter of application to [mrshannafinp@drumlishns.ie](mailto:mrshannafinp@drumlishns.ie)
- ♦ **Closing date:** 10.06.2026. Interviews will be held on the week of June 11th to June 17th 2026

**Parish Funeral Ministry**

The Diocesan Parish Pastoral Council is offering 3 nights of training for Parishes that would like to develop a funeral Ministry team in their Parish. The idea would be that a minimum of 4 people would be trained to assist families in their journey through bereavement with the loss of a loved one. This would include: Meeting with the family of the bereaved. Preparing the Liturgy for the Funeral Mass/Service. Leading prayers in the presence of the body in the family home, funeral home, or church. Accompanying the family during the funeral Mass. The Parish Pastoral Councils are asked to identify and invite 4 people from our Parish to attend 3 nights of training that will be given in: The Family Centre, Teallach Íosa, St Mel's Road, Longford on Wednesday 30th September, Wednesday 7th and 14th October @ 7pm. The names of those attending should be forwarded to [ardnacassa55@gmail.com](mailto:ardnacassa55@gmail.com) before Wed 23rd Sept.

**Death**

Pray for the repose of the soul of Margaret Kiernan, Derawley whose funeral took place during the week. May she rest in peace. We extend our prayers and sympathy to her family at this time.

**Feast of Corpus Christi**



Next Sunday is the feast of Corpus Christi. In the past there was the tradition of the children who made their First Holy Communion attending the Corus Christi Mass dressed in their First Holy

Communion outfits. I invite the children who made their First Communion this year to revive this beautiful tradition by doing so at the 9.30 Mass in Ballinamuck and 11 a.m. Mass in Drumlish..

H W B D X Z B O T V Y Y A Z A I A  
F S O N Q Q N E V A H Y F O Y R D  
Q B C F S S S V E Y W F O R Y L B  
X H G O D K P H V W T V J U X I L  
X H G X Q U G W E H X L I O F H S  
N X S E Y E Z W R O E E K B O Y W  
E H F F N H B H L E M Z N F Z G L  
F N U I J T V I A V A G E L R J O  
B F E L T K F T S E E C B S X E V  
S O V I N V R I T R G G O C V I E  
D E A J M B A A I Z H C L Q E A D  
G X G Y O N Q P N S E V E I L E B  
O W X H P C C E G D C X Y R Y S Y  
N O H I M A N Q J L U R S Z S X L  
L R N X Y T N N G W X F R L W D I  
Y L G A R Z P R G H G R A T Q J O  
W D W C Z X R K G C N L E J R Y N

EVERLASTING	BELIEVES	WHOEVER	WORLD
LOVED	LIFE	HAVE	ONLY
GAVE	HIM	SON	GOD
FOR			

**Reflection**

The line that stands out today is 'For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son'. The generosity of that gesture by the Father means that we have light coming into our world, and that light gives us life. How can I ensure that such a burst of spiritual activity takes place in my own life?  
*[Sacred Space—Irish Jesuits]*