

# DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - KiltEVna

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent

Fourth Sunday of  
**Lent**  
He Renews

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### Parish Office

Open Monday 12.30-3.30pm,  
Thursday 12.30pm-2.30pm & Friday 12.30pm – 3.30pm.  
Deadline for Newsletter is **Friday 12noon**

## CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST NICHOLAS, DUNMORE

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| Sun 31 <sup>st</sup> | 11.30am                                | Paddy, Mick & Rita Coen, Quarter<br>Paddy Connell, Ballintava & baby Michael Connell & DM Connell & Gannon Families<br>Paddy Kennedy, Pollaphoca, Menus   |
| Mon 1 <sup>st</sup>  | 9-10am<br>10am<br>10.30-11.30am<br>8pm | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament<br>Kevin Lyons, Birmingham & Castle St.<br>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament<br>Way of Gentleness   |
| Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | 10am                                   | Patrick Burke, Menus  |
| Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>  | 11am-6pm                               | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  |
| Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>  | 11.30am                                | Catherine & Martin Cleary & DM Mullin & Cleary Families, Kilmurray<br>Francis Neary, London & Menlena<br>Bea Cullinane, Carnagur<br>Evelyn & Pat Ward & daughter in law Phyllis, Graigueachullaire<br>Claudia Gavin, Sion Hill<br>Bill & Mary Mullin, Baunogues & DMF |

## ST PATRICKS CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

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| Sat 30 <sup>th</sup>  | 7.30pm        | Kathleen Ryder, Gortnagoyne (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.)<br>Patrick & Mary Ryder, Gortnagoyne<br>Jack & Caitriona Dooley, Garrafrauns<br>Paddy Noone, Shanballymore   |
| Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | 7.30am<br>8pm | Kathleen McWalter, Garrafrauns<br>Stations of the Cross   |
| Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup> | 5.30-9.30pm   | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  |
| Sat 6 <sup>th</sup>   | 7.30pm        | Michael & Bridie Shally, Cloondalga<br>Michael, Margaret, Michael & Kevin Keadin, Garrafrauns<br>Delia, Thomas & Joe Jordan, Gortnagoyne<br>Andrew, Mary, Willie John, Patsy & Andy Mullarkey, Quinaltagh |

## CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

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| Sun 31 <sup>st</sup>  | 10am  | Bridie & Paddy Shally, Flaskagh    |
| Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup> | 2-6pm | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament |
| Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>   | 10am  | Private Intention                  |
| Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>   | 10am  | People of the Parish               |

## PARISH COLLECTION 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> March

## WE PRAY FOR .....

€1410 Thank you for your generosity.

Kathleen Newell, Tuam Road  
John McCarthy, Ballintise & Waterford  
Sally Blake, Milltown, sister of Nora Murray & John Tierney  
Simon Byrne, Co. Wicklow, father of Tom Byrne, Garrafrauns  
+May they rest in peace+

### Dunmore Graveyard Collection

The Annual collection for Dunmore Graveyard will take place on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April. Envelopes are available from the church porch. Please give generously

**STATION MASS** Kilmurray, Killavoher, Lisroe – Home of Mary Higgins on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 8pm. All welcome.

## LENT IN THE PARISH.....

**Mondays during Lent at 8pm** – ‘Way of Gentleness’ in Dunmore Church

**Tuesdays during Lent at 7.30am** – Early Mass in Garrafrauns Church (instead of 10am)

**Tuesdays during Lent at 8pm** – Stations of the Cross in Garrafrauns Church.

**FIRST FRIDAY CALLS** Fr Fergal will call to households in Garrafrauns & Kiltvna on Tuesday and Dunmore on Wednesday.

**TRAINING FOR NEW PASTORAL COUNCIL** on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 7.3pm in the Presbytery.

**ENROLLMENT NIGHT FOR DUNMORE NATIONAL SCHOOL** for Junior Infants 19/20 takes place in Scoil Nioclás Naofa, Dunmore on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm.

**RETREAT DAY IN KNOCK** for 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Children & parents & siblings on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April 11am-2.30pm. Still some spaces available. Contact Marie 093 38124 or [newsletter@dunmoreparish.ie](mailto:newsletter@dunmoreparish.ie).

**DUNMORE CARD GAME** will take place at the later time of 9pm from tomorrow night (April 1<sup>st</sup>) and will remain at this time until the end of the season at Easter.

**DUNMORE CARERS GROUP** meet on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April at 8pm. All family carers in the Dunmore area are welcome to attend.

**COMMUNITY GAMES ATHLETICS** on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April in the Fairgreen. Registration from 1.15pm. Starting at 2pm. All children from the Parish welcome.

**GET INTO GOLF REGISTRATION** Dunmore Demesne Golf Club are holding a Registration and Information Morning for their Get Into Golf 2019 programme on Saturday April 6<sup>th</sup> at 10am in the Golf club. This programme would be suitable for children aged 10 and upwards. Contact Niall on 087-2346508

**6 WEEK SLIMMING CHALLENGE** starts Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 8pm in Eurospar. Men's weigh in 7.45pm. Special price €35. Places filling up fast. Take the challenge!

**TIDY TOWNS HERITAGE PROJECT** Do you have an interest in history? Would you like to find out more about the heritage of your parish? We are looking for people to get involved in a new heritage project in Dunmore. To find out more come along to a short meeting in Eurospar Coffee Shop on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 8pm. All welcome.

**DUNMORE TIDY TOWNS** Due to unforeseen circumstances litter is not being collected at present. Dunmore Tidy Town's would very much appreciate if businesses and homes would keep the area around their premises and homes as clean as possible until such time that the Tidy Towns can resolve this situation. Many thanks - Dunmore Tidy Towns  
**'UNDERSTANDING YOUR TEENAGER'** Child psychologist, Bronagh Starrs, presents a one-day seminar on Sat 6<sup>th</sup> April in Knock to assist parents with positively influencing and communicating with their teenager. €65. Booking essential. Please call 09493 75032 or email [counsellingoffice@knockshrine.ie](mailto:counsellingoffice@knockshrine.ie)

**COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT VACANCIES** Dunmore Parish Scheme have vacancies in the following areas. Day Care Assistant (Ref: 2103566) General Operative (Ref: 2103563) Caretaker.(Ref: 2103564) Community Administration Assistant.(Ref: 2106177) These vacancies can be viewed on [jobsireland.ie](http://jobsireland.ie). Community Employment eligibility criteria applies. For further information call to Parish Scheme Office, 2 Bridge St, Dunmore 093 39472 or 086 8203417. Email: [dunmoreparishscheme@eircom.net](mailto:dunmoreparishscheme@eircom.net)

**LISHEEN CARD GAME** A 25 Drive card game in aid of Lisheen National School will take place in the school on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 8.30pm. Tea, sandwiches and refreshments will be served, and there will be a raffle and spot prizes on the night. Many thanks to those who support our card games.

**GLENAMADDY AGRICULTURAL & PLOUGHING SHOW** A Special Meeting is being held in Glynn's Bar, Dunmore at 9pm on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April to promote and grow the show. Your thoughts/ideas/support would be most appreciated.

### MINISTERS OF THE WORD

6<sup>th</sup> Garrafrauns – Scott Ryder & Marie Diskin

7<sup>th</sup> Dunmore – Charlie Kelly & Madeline Mitchell

### WEEKDAY READERS – Dunmore

Mon 1<sup>st</sup> Catherine Storzaker Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Chris Rushe

### MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

6<sup>th</sup> Garrafrauns – Bernie Connolly & Ann Mannion

7<sup>th</sup> Dunmore – Team A

### OFFERTORY GIFTS

6<sup>th</sup> Garrafrauns – Family of Emily Cheevers

7<sup>th</sup> Dunmore – Family of Michael Forde

### BASKET COLLECTORS – APRIL

Dunmore – Hubert Birmingham & Pat Howley

Garrafrauns – Mary Cosgrove & Olive Connolly

### PARISH BAPTISMS

On the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month at 12.30pm. To book please contact the Parish Office on 093 38124 or email

[newsletter@dunmoreparish.ie](mailto:newsletter@dunmoreparish.ie)

Available dates are:

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April – Garrafrauns

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April - Garrafrauns

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May - Dunmore

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June