

DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - Kiltевна
Sunday 1st December– 1st Sunday of Advent

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Parish Office W/C 2nd December
Monday to Friday 10.30 – 12.30
Deadline for Newsletter is **Friday 10am**

CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST NICHOLAS, DUNMORE

Sun 1 st	11.30am	Michael, Jane & Bridget Forde Knockatee Christy & Delia Mitchell, Ballymoney Tom Hession, Sylau Thomas & May Gilmore and Grandson Paul Giblin, Judy & Johnny Concannon & DMF Michael Lyons, Castle Street John & Kathleen Concannon & DMF, Cathill Tommy Healy & Son Ted, Boston & Ballymoney John Rushe, High Street, Dunmore
Mon 2 nd	10am	Adoration 9am – 10am & 10.30am – 11.30am Michael Walsh, High Street and his daughters Anne & Margaret Martin Mannion & DMF, Killavoher
Wed 4 th	10am	Michael Walsh, High Street and his daughters Anne & Margaret Tom Gleeson, John, Julia & Christy Burke, Brackloon Dec. Members of Legion of Mary
Fri 6 th	11.30am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 11 – 6pm
Sun 8 th	11.30am	Margaret Rattigan, Sylau West Eithne Howley, Tuam Road Maggie & Jimmy Reddington Mae & Patrick Bruen John & Mary Gormley, Menlena & DMF John Neary Menlena Kevin Rafferty, Kerry McKenzie, Damien, Declan & Michael Quinn Bernard & Margaret Rattigan and Son Gerry, Sylau West Michael Donelon, Clooneen Anne Trapka Nee Connell, Cloonkeen & London & DMF Michael J. & Delia Quinn DMF, Lemonagh

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

Sun 1 st	10am	Patrick Joyce, Corahan (1 st Anniv) Tom, Aggie, Frank, Phillis, Kieran & Anna Nestor, Quinaltagh
Tues 3 rd	10am	Private Intention
Thurs 5 th	5.30-9.30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 7 th	10am	John McWalter, Knock (Fr Mick Coen)
Sun 8 th	10am	Mary O'Dowd, Garrafrauns Denis & Kathleen Kenny, Cloonfane Mary & Walter Burke and Grand-daughter Elaine John & Mary Reddington, Quinaltagh & DMF

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sat 30 th	7.30pm	Martin & Lilly Coleman & Thomas and Ellen & DMF, Attyflynn
Thurs 5 th	2-6pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday 6 th	10am	Private Intention
Sat 7 th	7.30pm	Patrick and Thomas Geraghty & DMF, Lissyconnor, Dunmore

PARISH COLLECTION 23rd/24th November

€-2390 Thank you for your generosity
Thank you to all who have contributed to the Building Fund this week.

WE PRAY FOR.....

Pat Raftery, Dublin, Husband of Kitty McDermott, Tuan Rd., Dunmore +May he rest in peace+

SHOP LOCALLY, IMPACT GLOBALLY – SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESS – Over the last few months we have heard much about doing our bit for Climate Justice. But do we realize that the most enduring impact on Global Warming can be achieved by small incremental changes in our own lives? During Advent our Parish Pastoral Council have asked that we think locally and act globally. They urge all parishioners to **SHOP LOCALLY AND SUPPORT BUSINESSES IN OUR COMMUNITY**. Think of the petrol and diesel we can save by buying what we need in our Parish. Think of the jobs that can be secured and the CO2 emissions that are saved when people don't travel to Galway or further afield to seek employment. Think of the food wastage when we buy more than we need from bigger outlets. Think above all of the sense of community it creates when people meet, shop and socialize in their local town. So think locally, impact globally this Advent by shopping and doing business within our parish. It will have a lasting effect on our community and help leave a wonderful legacy for future generations.

DUNMORE WINTERVILLE EXTRAVAGANZA will take place in the BIG MARQUEE from 12-5pm on Saturday 7th December

WAY OF GENTLENESS Monday evening during Advent 8pm to 9pm, A Personal Enrichment Journey for Advent.

SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS PARTY takes place in The Community Centre Dunmore Sunday 15th December 2019

DUNMORE COMMUNITY SCHOOL Parent Council are holding their annual Family Fun Quiz at 7 p.m. on Thursday 5th December, in the Sports Hall. Tables of four. Quiz master is Mr. Ollie Turner. Great prizes and spot prizes for all tables. Please support.

SUNDAY READERS ROTA from 15th December – 7th June are left on table in centre of Church. Please collect your copy.

CHRISTMAS BINGO in the Pantry Dunmore is on December 1st at 4-6pm. Refreshments served. All welcome.

SHOWTIME 2020, Tickets now available, January 16th, 17th and 18th. Children's auditions take place again in the Community Centre at 2pm this Sunday and all are welcome! This unmissable production celebrates the best of music and memories in Dunmore over the past 25 years!

THE COUNTDOWN IS ON..... On Saturday 7th December Winterville Extravaganza will take place in the BIG MARQUEE from 12-5pm. Afterwards the CHRISTMAS TRACTOR PARADE, Children(Reg in National School) Adults(Reg in Stira), its time to decorate those tractors. Please support this look event.

SENIOR PENDANT ALARM contact details for information Dunmore Area Mary Jessop 087 6505373 and Tuam Area Luke Tighe 087 2860852.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL ANNUAL APPEAL takes place in Dunmore Church this weekend 1st December and next weekend Sat/Sun 7th & 8th December in Kiltvna/Garrafrauns Churches. Please support this local cause.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL helpline 086 4169828.

DUNMORE CARERS GROUP meet on Wednesday 4th December from 7-9pm (Please note the change of day). All family carers in the Dunmore area welcome to attend.

BLESSING FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS on Saturday December 7th a blessing ceremony for all parents who are expecting a baby, will take place at Knock Shrine at 12 noon. It will include a short prayer for protection and safe delivery with an individual blessing for all mothers-to-be who are present. All welcome.

TRACTOR RUN in Aid of Tuam Cancer Care will take place on Sunday the 8th of December in Glenamaddy Equestrian Centre. Registration 10-11:45 am and roll out at 12pm. All support for this worthy cause would be greatly appreciated.

Contact Michael for more information on: [086-8466688](tel:086-8466688)

FIVE FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS are being hosted in the Knock Old Parish Church next Saturday 7th December. Starts at 11.00am with Rosary, meditations, and concludes with Holy Mass at 12.00 noon, Confessions and Enrollment of the free brown scapulars. Everyone is welcome to attend to benefit from Our Lady's heavenly promises.

PROGRESSIVE 25 fundraising card game in Castlehackett N.S, Sun 01 Dec, 7pm. Great prizes and raffle plus refreshments provided on the night. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

THE ANNUAL ESKER HEALING MISSION takes place in Esker Redemptorist Church from Mon 9th December to Friday 13th December. Daily 10am, 5pm, 7pm & 9pm. Further details www.redemptoristsesker.ie 091 -844549

GALWAY COUNTY PUBLIC Participation Network (PPN) in partnership with Galway Co Council would like to invite all community groups to a funding clinic on Galway Co Council's Community Support Schemes on Thursday 5th December – Tuam - Ard Ri Hotel at 7.30 p.m. For more information please contact Niamh Seoighe at 087 4555 428 or nseoighe@galwaycoco.ie

_ MINISTERS OF THE WORD

7th Kiltvna – Ursula Cloonan, Martina Mullins

8th Garrafrauns – Eoin Nicklin, Emer Dooley

8th Dunmore – Tony Walshe, Della McGarry

WEEKDAY READERS – Dunmore

Mon 2nd Eileen Gildea Wed 4th Chris Rushe

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

7th Kiltvna – Patricia Scarry, Bernie Mullin

8th Garrafrauns – Rita Reddington, Paddy Slattery

8th Dunmore – Team E

10th Family of Saoirse McCormack

BASKET COLLECTORS Brendan Walsh

PARISH BAPTISMS

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

newsletter@dunmoreparish.ie

Available dates are:

Sunday 5th January

Saturday 18th January

