# DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - Kiltevna Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent

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Tue 8th

Wed 9<sup>nd</sup>

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Monday to Friday 10 – 12

Deadline for Newsletter is Friday 10am

## CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST NICHOLAS, DUNMORE

Sun 6<sup>th</sup> 11.30am Eithne Howley, Barrack Street

Patrick & Mary Canny and DMF, Cloondalagan

Larry Quinn, sons Damien, Declan & Michael, Coal Island, Tyrone

Kerry McKenzie & Kevin Rafferty, Co Armagh Jane, Michael & Bridget Forde, Knockatee Martin & Nellie Byrne & DMF Grange

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> 10am Special Intention

10.30-11.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
10am Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Maggie & Jimmy Reddington, High Street & DMF

Patrick & May Bruen & DMF

Mary & Jimmy Burke, Brackloon

Margaret & Bernard Rattigan & DMF, Sylaun West

Fri 11<sup>th</sup> 10am Private INtention

10am

10.30-12.30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> 11.30am Jimmy Diskin (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv) Carnagur

John Neary, London & Menlena Mary Weston, Killavoher & DMF

Olivia & John Martin Walsh, Knockroe & DMF

Mary & jimmy Burke, Brackloon Julia Hussey, Castle Street

James & Nora Bowens, Knockroe & DMF

Denis Meehan, Roy & DMF Tom Nolan, Roy & DMF

## ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

Sat 5<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Marian Greene, Gortnagoyne (M.M.) and grandson Gerrard

Mary O'Dowd

Denis & Kathlen Kenny, Cloonfane

John & Mary Reddington, Quinaltagh & DM Reddington Falily

Michael, Delia Mai Quinn & DMF, Darrary

Margaret & Frank Quinn, Parents & DMF Ardcloon

Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> 5.30-9.30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Sat 12<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Eamonn Canny & Oliver Kilgarriff

Mary & Walter Burke and granddaughter Elaine, Carranthomas

## CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 10am Jane Power, Flaskagh (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv), husband Martin & DM Power & Goldrick Families

Thur 10<sup>th</sup> 2-5pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> 10am Private Intention

Please pray for: Paddy Burke, Kilnalappa +May he rest in peace+

## PARISH COLLECTION 28th//29th November

€ 1245 Thank you to all who contributed so generously at Masses last weekend and to those who dropped their envelopes into the Presbytery. Thank you to all who have contributed to the Building Fund this week.

<u>WELCOME</u> – We are delighted to welcome you our parishioners back to public worship. We ask you to follow the stewards instructions and remind you to please wear your mask for the duration of the Mass. A big thank you to our stewards and sanitisers for allowing us to return to Mass in a safe environment.

## **CHRISTMAS MASSES PARISH OF DUNMORE**

We are conscious that as parishioners you may wish to attend one Mass over these sacred Christmas Days and we as a parish will endeavour to accommodate as many people as possible while observing all the required protocol to keep everyone safe. Masses are scheduled and listed below and parishioners are asked to reserve one Mass at the day/ time of their choice by ringing the Parish Office at 093-38124 Monday-Friday from 10-12pm to include your name. Places will be allocated on a first come basis.

Christmas Eve: 7 pm Garrafrauns; 8:30 pm Dunmore

Christmas Day: 8:30 am Dunmore 10 am Kiltevna 11:30 am Dunmore

St. Stephen's Day: 12 pm Dunmore 7:30 pm Garrafrans

Feast of Holy Family (Sunday) 10am Kiltevna; 11:30 am Dunmore

<u>GIFT A LIGHT – LET'S KEEP THE MOMENTUM GOING!</u> A big thank you to Dunmore people at home and abroad for the extraordinary response through through our website <u>www.giftalight.com</u>. If you haven't done so already, we encourage you to gift a light to a relative, friend or in memory of a loved one this Christmas by clicking on the above website or by purchasing a card.

<u>GIFT A LIGHT CARDS</u> - can be purchased at local shops, Post Office or from the parish office for €20 Please remember to fill in and return the enclosed slip letting us know the name of the person you would like remembered. The cards are a beautiful way to send our love and prayers to friends or relatives at home or abroad.

<u>BLESSING AND LIGHTING OF CHRISTMAS TREE</u> - This year we will mark at the feast day of Saint Nicholas 6<sup>th</sup> December with blessing and lighting of our 'Gift A Light' Christmas Tree. The event will be livestreamed at 6 pm through the parish website.

<u>WAY OF GENTLENESS FOR ADVENT</u> - will begin on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 8 pm. Please join us for this hour of quiet prayer as we prepare to welcome Christ into our lives this Advent.

<u>DUNMORE DAY CARE</u> will re-open for meals on Monday next December 7th. In order to comply with Covid 19 level 3 restrictions pre-booking is absolutely essential. Telephone 087 9215551 to reserve a place as spaces are limited.

<u>ST JARLATH'S COLLEGE</u> Amateur Operatic Society in association with Scoil Bhríde, the Mercy proudly presents its annual production, GODSPELL as an online event on Friday December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 8pm. Tickets (€11) are available from <u>www.gr8events.ie/jarlathsmercyopera2020</u>. Thank you for your support.

<u>DUNMORE TOWN AFC</u> 15th Annual Christmas Raffle has arrived! Tickets have been given to our players and we have a prize for best under-age seller. Tickets can be returned to Dunmore Hardware. You can buy a ticket in local businesses. Great prizes include 1st prize of €250 Smyths Toys Voucher + €50 vouchers for Mark's Meats, Elle's, Dunmore Hardware, Egans, Eurospar & more prizes on the night. Tickets are €2 or 6 for €10. You can support online via <u>www.klubfunder.com</u> - search Dunmore Town AFC to buy €10 tickets (6 entries).

<u>CLONBERNE DRIVE IN BINGO</u> returns this Monday December 7th at 8pm. Over €2200 in prizes including the €1000 jackpot on 45 calls. To book a car space call 083-0948389

## Christmas Novena

30<sup>th</sup> November – 25<sup>th</sup> December (to be said 15 times a day)

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born of the most Pure Virgin Mary, at midnight, in Bethlehem, in piercing cold. In that hour vouchsafe, O my God! To hear my prayer and grant my desires, through the merits of our Saviour Jesus Christ and of His Blessed Mother.

Amen

#### **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