

# DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - KiltEVna  
Sunday 28<sup>st</sup> February – First Sunday of Lent

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## Parish Office W/B 8<sup>st</sup> March

Tuesday 11.30am-6pm & Thursday 1pm-2.30pm  
Deadline for Newsletter is **Friday 10am**

## CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST NICHOLAS, DUNMORE

- ONLINE AND ON 108 FM

Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	Breda Burke 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary, Jack & Kitty Burke, Roy and Daughter Mary Keely Pat Noone, Mountdelvin Julia Hussey, Castle Street George & Josephine Gleeson & Paddy & Mary Gleeson, Carraroe Jackie & Margaret Lyons, Carnaseer & DFM Seamus, John & Kathleen Ward, Gurteen Stephen Hickey, Kilmurray Michael Glynn, Ballymoney
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	10am	People of the Parish
	10.30-11.30	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Tues 9 <sup>nd</sup>	8am	Private Intention
Wed 10 <sup>rd</sup>	10am	Private Intention
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Private Intention
	10.30-12.30	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup>		Nora Hegarty, Sion Hill & Tuam Michael Monaghan & DFM, Sylau Michael Higgins, wife Nora & daughter Mary Sally Blake, Milltown

## ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

All Masses will be broadcast live from Dunmore Church

Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Michael Forde, Ardclon 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary John & Briget Mullins, Ardigoole & DFM Imelda Dooley (nee Casby) Dublin
Thurs 11 <sup>h</sup>	5.30- 9.30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Oliver Kilgarriff, Garrafrauns

## CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

All Masses will be broadcast live from Dunmore Church

Sat 6 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Una Moore, Lissyconnor M.M. Patrick & Margaret Cassidy, Curragh West and Daughters Nora, Mary & Nellie. & Paddy and John
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	2-5pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 13 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	People of the Parish

### **Please pray for:**

Ollie Brennan, Guernsey and formerly of Flaskagh, Dunmore  
brother of Patrick Brennan Flaskagh, Dunmore

**+May they rest in peace+**

## PARISH COLLECTION 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> February

€775 – Thank you for your generosity

Thank you to all who have contributed to the Building Fund this week.

**WAY OF GENTLENESS** – Please join us for our online Way of Gentleness which will take place on Monday's from 8-9pm. It will be live streamed on the parish website and on facebook and can also be listened to on our parish radio 108 FM. It is a wonderful opportunity to pray together during this season of renewal.

**LENTEN CHALLENGE** please join us on Tuesday morning Mass @8am and begin the day in prayer and thanksgiving.

**GARRAFRAUNS CHURCH -** We invite you to join us on Parish Radio 108fm from St. Patricks Church Garrafrauns for short prayer and reflection on Tuesday nights at 8pm during the Lenten Season as we Walk the Way of the Cross. "Walk with me, O my Lord, through the darkness night and brightest Day "

**THANK YOU** – to all those who continue to support the parish by dropping in envelopes and donations to the parish, your support of the parish during these challenging times is greatly appreciated

**BINGO IS BACK IN DUNMORE!** Many thanks to all who supported our first Online Bingo last week. Bingo continues this Thursday night again. Join us on Zoom from 7.30 with eyes down at 8pm sharp. Books can be bought from Clubforce or alternatively go to the Dunmore MacHales Facebook page to find the link. If you need assistance buying, please call 087-4290000 or email [bingo.dunmore@gmail.com](mailto:bingo.dunmore@gmail.com). Books cost from €10, with a guaranteed jackpot of €500. See you all there!

**DUNMORE PARISH SCHEME** have the following vacancies: Day Care Assistant, General Operative, Caretaker and Administrator. Community Employment eligibility criteria applies. For further information call to Parish Scheme Office, 2 Bridge St, Dunmore or call 093 39472. These vacancies can be viewed on [jobsireland.ie](http://jobsireland.ie).

**DUNMORE DAY CARE MEALS** are providing meals for collection for those requiring the service. You must book your meal in advance. For further info or to book a meal please contact Rose on 085 708 3137.

**CLONBERNE ONLINE BINGO** This Monday at 8pm with increased prizes. PRIZE FUND of over €3,800  
To Play go to: [www.clonberne.ie](http://www.clonberne.ie)

**ANGER MANAGEMENT- ONLINE COURSE-**Knock Counselling Centre have announced details of their spring online anger management programme. "Temper Your Anger" starts online on Tuesday 13 April, 6:30pm-8:30pm and runs for five consecutive Tuesday evenings. The online programme is run in conjunction with the Irish Association for Anger Management and teaches participants tools and techniques to control their emotions and express anger in a healthy way. For further information, contact Peter Devers at Knock Counselling Centre, 0949375032 or log on to [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie)

**ONLINE PARISH DONATIONS AND DONATE NOW** – For those who watch Mass on the parish website it is possible to contribute to the offertory collection by pressing the DONATE NOW button. There you can give a once off donation or arrange a weekly contribution by following the online instructions. For those who have access to the Internet this is often a very simple and effective way of supporting their local parish.

**DUNMORE CHURCH BUILDING UPDATE-** The tendering process has now concluded and we are happy to inform you that our local building firm McGough and Walsh, Dunmore/Lavally have been awarded the contract. The work will begin shortly after current restrictions are lifted and will be completed before Christmas.  
When our renovations are completed we will have a Church that will serve our community far into the future. This major phase of the renovations will include: full wheelchair access, disability toilets, safe and energy efficient lighting, updated heating system, a day chapel that can also be used for youth and community gatherings, upgrading our sanctuary. Subject to further fundraising we hope also to upgrade our sacristy, sound system and improve our seating. Despite the challenges of Covid-19, people have continued to honour their monthly and yearly pledges. Others have contributed to the project through the Gift A Light fundraiser and we are grateful to all who helped in this regard. Our recent Grant from the All Churches Trust towards the cost of the Day Chapel was another affirmation of our project. In the coming weeks we will be planning with various parish groups how we can continue to provide for the needs of parishioners during the building phase. We intend to publish a bimonthly or quarterly up date. If you would like to receive these reports please forward YOUR email address to [dunmorechurchbuilding@gmail.com](mailto:dunmorechurchbuilding@gmail.com). Equally if you have any suggestions for this project feel free to submit them to the same address for consideration.

#### **WEEKDAY READERS**

Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	Attracta
Tue 9 <sup>th</sup>	Attracta
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>	Della
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	Della

#### **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)