

# DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - Kiltvna

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2022 - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Parish Office W/B 14<sup>th</sup> February**

Tuesday 10.30am-5pm & Thursday 12.30-2pm

Deadline for Newsletter is **Thursday at 12pm**

## OUR LADY & ST NICHOLAS, DUNMORE - ONLINE AND ON 108 FM

Sun 13 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	Mary Macdonnell, Castle Street <b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary</b> Miko Hannon, Lurgan & deceased members of the Courtney, McGrath & Hannon families John Rushe & deceased family members, Dublin Road Dermot Kenny, Friars Walk & his father Sean Dick, Eamon, Josie, Tommy & Ted Healy, Ballymoney & Boston Maud Corcoran, her husband Paddy & daughter Bridie & deceased family members, Lissybroder Tom Reddington, baby Jack & deceased members of Piggott & Reddington families
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Julia Hussey, Castle Street Tony Mannion, & deceased family members. Clonberne
	10.30- 11.30am	Adoration
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup>	4-6 pm	Adoration
	6pm	Bridget & Patrick Daly, Kilmurry & son-in-law Tommy Joe Mitchell
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	Nancy Mullarkey, <b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary</b> & her husband John & son Sean, Cappagh Seamus, John, James & Julia Ward, Gurteen Brendan Cunningham, 20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary, Woodfield & deceased members of the Cunningham & Moore families Nora Kenny & her parents Michael & Mary Ellen McNamara, The Green Paddy Neary, Renmore Mary Ellen & Patrick Ryan, Friars Walk Ellen & Michael Conneally, Cliften Paddy Connell & deceased family members, Cloonkeen

## ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS ON 108FM

Sat 12 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Margaret Quinn, Ardcloon, her brother Frank & deceased family members
Tues 15 <sup>st</sup>	10am	Special Intention
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup>	5.30-9.30pm	Adoration
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Delia Lally, Shanballymore Rev Bro Aloysius Morgan, Gortnagoyne & Manchester

## CHRIST THE KING CHURCH , KILTEVNA

Sun 13 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Una Moore, Lissyconor <b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary</b> & her husband James & daughter Bridie Mannion John & Mary Burke, & deceased family members Parkroe Flaskaghmore
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Special Intention
	2-5pm	Adoration
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	10 am	Angela Brennan, Cortoon, Flaskagh & deceased family member

## PARISH COLLECTION 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY

Weekly Collection	€1125	Thank you for your generosity
Building Fund	€625	Thank you

## 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)

We welcome into our Parish community ....

Áed Patrick Burke son of Áine & Brian Burke, Ballintise who was baptised in Dunmore church on 30<sup>th</sup> January

**WELCOME** –to our first and second year students from Dunmore Community School who will be leading us in our liturgy on Monday morning at 10 am. We invite you to join us.

**DUNMORE TIDY TOWNS** - Work is well underway to further improve the community environment.

Stone Flower Beds, Resurfacing of river Walk, Completion of Tuam road Path, Sign cleaning, Graveyard maintenance, 500 bulbs were planted last Autumn, Wild Flowers and Perennial Planting . Congratulations to the Rugby and Soccer Clubs for providing a wonderful Amenity which integrates with the existing riverwalk way, Both walking amenities are now lit by the state of the art led lighting. This project will provide a year round exercise asset for our community. The wooden flower planters have been removed and disposed of because of their poor condition, in this context we wish to thank councillor Joe Sheridan for sourcing a €1500 grant to defray the cost of their removal and disposal. We welcome Galway County Council Investment of €80,000 for footpaths at the Green and Barrack Street, in particular the councils commitment to provide Dunmore's first pedestrian crossing at the National School on Sion Hill.

**DUNMORE ST PATRICK'S DAY PARADE** - After a successful meeting on Thursday last, we are delighted to announce that Dunmore St. Patrick's Day Parade will return this year! We are appealing to all businesses, sporting clubs and organisations to get involved. We haven't been able to have a parade in a few years, so let's all make an extra effort this year! The parade is open to everyone, and its success is dependent on everyone. Meetings every Thursday at 9.30pm in Glynn's Bar. All enquiries to 087-9591725

**DUNMORE COMMUNITY COUNCIL BINGO** - is fully back in action next Sunday 13th February at 4pm in the Town Hall. Doors will open at 3.30pm. There is no need to book a space and we are looking forward to seeing everyone again after our short break. If you have any questions please call Marie on 086 3224420

**DUNMORE MENS SHED** – The Annual General Meeting of Dunmore Men's Shed will take place on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> February at 11am in the Men's shed. All members are welcome to this important meeting.

**DUNMORE ACTIVE RETIREMENT** – after a long absence we are pleased to report that Active Retirement have been given the go ahead to hold their fortnightly meetings once again. The Annual general meeting will be held in the enterprise centre on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 11am. We look forward to welcoming back all our old members and would love to see some new members join us, so put this date in your diary.

**SVP DUNMORE** - We are living in challenging times, if you or your family or friends are struggling financially Saint Vincent DePaul Dunmore is here to help. Please call our Helpline 086-4169828 for confidential assistance.

**DUNMORE PARISH SCHEME** - have the following vacancies: Day Care Assistant (CES 2206864), Admin Assistant Researcher (CES206868), General Operative (CES 2206864) Caretaker x 3 (CES 2206869, 2206867, 2206863, 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** - are open for indoor meals please book in advance by contacting Rose on 085-7083137

**PUBLIC MEETING OF PROPOSED PLAYGROUND** – a public meeting will take place in Garrafrauns Community Centre this evening, Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> February at 8.15pm after mass, to inform the community of the proposed playground for Garrafrauns village, all welcome.

**THE DROP IN LISTENING SERVICE AT KNOCK COUNSELLING CENTRE IS OPEN TO ANYONE** - If you feel the need to talk to someone in confidence, you can 'drop -in' (no appointment necessary) on Thursdays. The drop-in service begins at 11am with final sessions no later than 3pm. This is an open and accessible service to help those who find themselves in need of support. Find out more by contacting Knock Counselling Centre; Telephone 094-9375032, or email [counsellingoffice@knockshrine.ie](mailto:counsellingoffice@knockshrine.ie)

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT** - Losing a loved one is always a difficult experience. During Covid many support services were missing but from February 2<sup>nd</sup>, the weekly bereavement support group will resume every Wednesday morning at 11am in the Family Centre at Knock Shrine. These meetings aim to help those who are grieving to find healing, hope and comfort. All are welcome. Further information from Monica Morley on 094-9375320.

**COVID 19 BOOSTER VACCINE** - Pfizer Covid 19 Booster vaccine offered at Dunmore Pharmacy for Healthcare workers and over 60's. Please call in to register your interest.

**MACRA NA FEIRME GALWAY**- Roadshow taking place Tues Feb 15<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in Headford, H91 HH92. For anyone between 17 & 35 that is looking for an opportunity to be welcomed into a fun, vibrant community of other young people living and working in rural Ireland, come along on the night! There is something for everyone in Macra! 0867808987 for more details.

**ABILITY WEST CE SCHEME**- has two vacancies in Tuam. Instructor's Aid in Milaoise Day Service in the Weir Road, Tuam and Instructor's Aid in Docas Day Service in Glenamaddy. These are developmental opportunities, so no experience is necessary, full training will be provided. You must be in receipt of a social welfare payment in order to be eligible. Please contact Breda Kerans, CE Scheme Supervisor on 087 675 1415 or [bredak@abilitywest.ie](mailto:bredak@abilitywest.ie).

**AFFORDABLE LIVE-IN HOMECARE** - provides live-in carers for the elderly in your area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for your relative, please call Eileen or Tom today on 087 991 6791 or 087 744 0729. Our website is [www.alhomecare.ie](http://www.alhomecare.ie)

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD - Dunmore**

20<sup>th</sup> February - Lucia Kelly

**WEEKDAY READERS – Dunmore**

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> February – Brian Hynes

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST**

20<sup>th</sup> February - **Dunmore** – Team D  
(Brian Hynes, Martina Reddington &  
Therese Boyle)