DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - Kiltevna Sunday 8th January 2023 – The Baptism of the Lord

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Parish Office W/B 9th January

Monday & Thursday 9.30am-2.30pm

Deadline for Newsletter is Thursday at 12pm

OUR LADY & ST NICHOLAS, DUNMORE

- ONLINE AND ON 108 FM

Sun 8th 11.30am Kitty Breheny, Abbeylands 1st Anniversary

Anne & Bridget Connell, John Gannon & deceased family members

John & Teresa Burke & deceased family members, Dunblaney

Margaret Burke, Vicar Street, Tuam Nora & James Boyle, Dunblaney

Patrick & Delia Forde & their daughters Kathleen & Bernie & deceased

family members, Knockatee

Margaret & Michael Tracey & deceased family members, Menlena Mark & Catherine Cunniffe & deceased family members, Cloonfad

Michael & Bridget Corless, their son Paddy & their daughter-in-law Kit, Killooney

Mon 9th 10am Private Intention

10.30- 11.30am Adoration

Fri 13th 6pm Liam Donelon, Cashel, Glenamaddy, 1st Anniversary

Sun 15th 11.30am Beatrice Hession, Sylaun na Gran

John & Eileen Farrelly, Carrowmunniagh, their sons Terence & John Francis, their grandson Garrett, son-in-law Arthur Upton, Sale, Cheshire & daughter-in-law Maureen

Bridget & Mary Godfrey, Carrowmunniagh Mick Crowe & deceased family members, Sylaun Martin Folan, former principal Dunmore Tech

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

ON 108FM

at 7th 7.30pm Kathleen Melia, Shanballymore

Ellen Lally, Shanballymore

Paddy Greene & deceased family members, Gortnagoyne

Tues 10th 10am People of the Parish

Thurs 12th 5.30-7.30pm Adoration

Sat 14th 7.30pm Noel Healy, Garrafrauns, at the request of Garrafrauns Community Council

Michael & Nora Corley, Ardcloon

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sun 8th 10am Ellen & Tom Burke, Paddy Burke & Bill Burke, Kilnalappa

Jim & Ann Staunton, Lissaniskea, Bekan & their grandsons James & Sean

Wed 11th 10am Special Intention

Sun 15th 10am John Donnellan, Beagh his cousins James & Katie & his grandparents Paul, Bridie & Jack

Mai Murphy, Curragh West & her husband Tommie & deceased family members

+ We remember & pray for the soul of +

Fr Michael Goaley, retired Parish Priest of Glenamaddy Fr Martin Newell, retired Parish Priest of Annaghdown

> Kieran Cooke, Sion Hill + May he rest in Peace +

MINISTERS OF THE WORD - Dunmore

Mon 9th January 11am – James Donnellan Fri 13th January 6pm – Rose Donnellan Sun 15th January 11.30am – Brian Hynes

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST- Dunmore

Sun 15^{th} January – Team C

Mary Burke, Siobhan Conneally & Marina Callinan

Thank you for your generosity to the WEEKLY COLLECTION 1st & 2nd January € 1615

MASS CHANGES From 7th/8th January, Saturday 7.30pm Vigil Mass will be in Garrafrauns and Sunday 10am Mass will be in Kiltevna. This will remain until July

<u>SVP DUNMORE</u> - 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

<u>BINGO IN DUNMORE</u> - Dunmore Community Council's January Bingo will be on this Sunday the 8th at 4pm in Dunmore Town Hall. Doors open at 3.30pm. As always there is complimentary tea, coffee and biscuits at the interval. Everyone is welcome and we look forward to seeing you for our first bingo of 2023.

<u>DUNMORE CARD GAME</u> - Dunmore Card Game starts back after the Christmas break on Monday 2nd January at 8.30pm in Dunmore Community Centre. We would like to wish you all a Happy New Year and we look forward to seeing you all back for the first game of 2023.

<u>D.A.R.A.</u> – The first meeting of Active Retirement will recommence on Thursday 12th January in the GRETB Centre at 1pm until 2.30pm. Looking forward to seeing you all. Similarly Beginners Bridge commences on Tuesday 10th January at 1pm in the GRETB Centre. Wishing a happy New Year to all our members.

<u>DUNMORE PARISH SCHEME</u> - have the following vacancies: Catering Assistant x2 (CES 2234927), General Operative x 2 (CES 2228727) Caretaker x 3 (CES 2234922) Coach/Groundsperson x 2 (CES 2234920), 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.)

GLENAMADDY THEATRE FESTIVAL-All Ireland Season Ticket's are now available to buy online via Eventbrite, with a season ticket to Glenamaddy Theatre Festival, the holder will have access to all nine performances at the reduced rate of €110 (nightly tickets will go on sale in March for €15 + booking fee). In Eventbrite's search engine add 'Season Ticket - All Ireland Confined Drama Finals 2023' to purchase. Also our social media platforms will bring you directly to the Eventbrite link. Any issues please email glenamaddydrama@gmail.com and we will get back to you. The All Ireland"s run from Thurs 13th of April - Friday 21st of April 2023 (Gala Awards night on Saturday 22nd of April)(Line up of performances will be determined at the All Ireland Draw on Sunday 2nd of April)

<u>BINGO</u> - Bingo in Glenamaddy Community Centre every Wednesday night at the new time of 8.30pm. Usual bus service

MARIA'S GOSPEL HOUR - Due to huge interest Maria will be starting a show on Youtube at 4pm on Sundays. Search "@mariadoherty" on Youtube to watch on New Year's Day onwards.

ABILITY WEST CE SCHEME - has vacancies for Instructor's Aids in Docas Day Service in Glenamaddy and in Tuam. This may be of interest to anyone who has an interest in beginning a career in the health / social care sector. 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

KNOCK YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAMME - This programme aims to bring together a group of passionate and enthusiastic people from different Parishes, to learn youth ministry skills and to bring these skills back to their parish to set up child and youth focused faith activities/gatherings/events etc. Starting February 25th. Places are limited. Contact Knock Youth Ministry on 0949375321/ youthministry@knockshrine.ie for details and application forms.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE 1st Week: 20th-27th September 2023: Knock to Mostar. Spiritual Directors: Fr. Billy Molloy & Fr. Pat Holleran. 2nd Week: 27th Sept - 4th October 2023. Knock to Mostar. Spiritual Directors: Fr. Billy Molloy & Fr. Peter Okpetu. Price: €765 if booked before 31st Jan 2023. €815 after 31st Jan. Only €100 to secure place. Price includes: Transfers from Airport to Medjugorje (30 mins), 7 nights air-conditioned accommodation minutes from St. James Church. Breakfast & Dinner each day.

THE "SEEN BUT NOT HERD" PROJECT - run by Galway Rural Development and the HSE is delighted to bring the "Fit Farmers" program to Glenamaddy in early January. This is a fantastic opportunity to shape up and to meet with like minded farmers. Shake off those winter blues and get healthy in 2023. If you or someone you know would like to sign up please contact Emily Hughes GRD on 087-4131248, places are limited

ANAM CARA GALWAY - the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 4th January at 7:15pm in the Clayton Hotel, Briarhill, Galway. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer a free online service, for more info call us on 01 4045378

<u>CLONBERNE WINDFARM ACTION GROUP COMMITTEE</u> - are holding a public meeting on Thursday 19th January 2023 at 8pm sharp in Clonberne Community Centre to discuss the proposed wind farm in Clonberne. We would like as many people of all ages from the community and surrounding areas to attend and voice their views.