

DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - Kiltевна
Sunday 26th March 2023 – Fifth Sunday of Lent

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Parish Office W/B 27th March

Monday & Thursday 9.30am-2.30pm

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

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

Sun 26 th	11.30am	Jimmy Nestor, Quarter Months Mind Michael Monaghan & deceased family members, Sylau West Peter Conway, Nelly Schwartz & deceased members of the Flaherty & Conway families, Ballymoney Nora & Francis Miskell, Knockatee Paddy Gannon, Graigueachullaire Tony Finnegan, Carraroe
	10.30- 11.30am	Adoration
Fri 31 st	5-7pm	Adoration
	7pm	Teresa Flaherty, Castle Street, 1 st Anniversary Myra Guckian, Carrick-on-Shannon
Sun 2 nd	11.30am	Palm Sunday Francis Neary, London & Menlena Paddy Connell & baby Michael Connell Francie Burke & deceased members of the Connell & Gannon families Deceased members of the Fallon family, Menus Teresa, James, Dympna & Kitty Fallon Evelyn & Pat Ward, Graigueachullaire Paddy Coen, Tuam Road Mick, Rita & Paddy Coen Mary Coleman, High Street 10 th Anniversary Catherine & Martin Cleary & deceased members of the Cleary & Mullin families Paddy, Martin & Tom Burke, Menus

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS ON 108FM

Sat 25 th	7.30pm	Margaret Canny, CarranThomas Stephen & Mary Nickolson, Cloonagh Betty Ann Licka, Chicago & Shanballymore
Tues 28 th	8am	
Thurs 30 th	5.30-9.30pm	Adoration
Sat 1 st	7.30pm	Palm Sunday Kathleen & Damien Ryder, Gortnagoyne Patrick & Mary Ryder, Gortnagoyne

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sun 26 th	10am	John Michael Shally, Flaskagh 1 st Anniversary & his wife Bridie, Flaskagh & Birmingham Bridie & Paddy Shally, Flaskagh & Mira Hurley(nee Shally) Maureen & Sean Gallagher, Flaskagh & Belmullet Josie & Jim Feerick & deceased members of the Regan & Feerick families Martin & Lily Coleman & deceased family members, Attyflynn
Wed 29 th	7.30pm	Special Healing Mass
Thurs 30 th	3-5pm	Adoration
Sun 2 nd	10am	Palm Sunday Martha King, Ballycostello

+ We remember & pray for the souls of +
Ann McAleer(nee Meehan), New Jersey & formerly of Darrary
Fr. Joe Diskin, Corohan and Lancaster Diocese UK.
Frank Mullin, Toronto & formerly of Slieve, brother of Bernard & Anthony, Killooney
+ May they rest in Peace +

MINISTERS OF THE WORD – DunmoreMon 27th March 10am – Lil BruenFri 31st March 11.30am – Ann McPhilipsSun 2nd April 11.30am – Bridget Quinn**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST- Dunmore**Sun 2nd April – Team G

Mairead Keely, Kay Burke & Eileen Meehan

EDEN - A play by Dunmore Amateur Drama Society is being staged in Dunmore Town Hall on Sunday, 2nd April, at 8pm. This is part of the Connaught Cup competition. The Adjudicator will be there and will give his public adjudication on the night. It would be great to see you there. Thanks

A SPECIAL MASS FOR HEALING – will take place in Kiltевна Church on Wednesday evening 29th March at 7:30 pm. The Sacrament of the Anointing to the Sick will be celebrated during the Mass. Our main celebrant and preacher will be Fr. Paddy Mooney, retired Parish Priest of Glenamaddy. We invite you to join us as we welcome God's healing grace into our lives.

THE WAY OF GENTLENESS – continues on Monday nights during Lent at 8 pm in Dunmore Church, Please join us for an hour of quiet prayer & reflection.

EARLY MASS - Join us for the celebration of the Eucharist on Tuesday Mornings at 8am in Garrafrauns Church during Lent

ADORATION – Adoration on in Dunmore Church Mondays after 10am Mass & on Friday's 5-7pm before the evening Mass. More adorers welcome.

FIRST CONFESSION – Every blessing to the children from Dunmore N.S. who will receive the Sacrament of First Penance on Monday at 7 pm and the children of Garrafrauns N.S who will the Sacrament on Tuesday night next at 7pm. Well done to the children of Gortaleam N.S. and Ballinlass N.S who received the Sacrament in recent days.

CONFIRMATION RETREAT – Well done to the young people of our parish on their outstanding participation at our Confirmation Retreat in Knock Shrine last Wednesday. We wish them every blessing as they continue their preparation over the coming weeks.

EASTER BINGO IN DUNMORE -Our April bingo, in Dunmore Community Centre, will be on the first Sunday of the month, 2nd April, at the earlier time of 3pm. To celebrate our Easter bingo, there will be a few Easter Eggs given out on the day. Please spread the word about the change of date and time.

DUNMORE FOROIGE CLUB - Club are hosting a 5km Colour Fun Run/Walk on Saturday April 1st at 12pm in Garrafrauns, Registration is open from 11am. We would like to extend an invitation to all members of the community to come along and join us for some great fun, lots of colour and refreshments afterwards with donations going to Jigsaw Galway. Any queries email dunmore3rd@gmail.com or contact Grainne on 0879616471.

TRAD SESSION – in JD today Sunday 26th March from 5-7 All welcome

LET'S GET THE BALL ROLLING – Let's talk about mental health in conjunction with Dunmore MacHales GAA On Friday the 31st March at 8pm in the Town Hall Dunmore we welcome you to join us at an open community event featuring prominent speakers in conversation, talking about mental health, well-being, diversity, stress, alcohol abuse and peer pressure and how they sought help at the toughest times. Speakers include David Gough – top level referee, Shane Carthy – Dublin footballer and Justin Campbell – former Galway hurler. Admission free and all are welcome. For further info. contact Linda Gorham @ 087 2226886

DUNMORE PARISH SCHEME – have the following vacancies: Catering Assistant(Day Care): Ref # [CES-2234927](#) (Positions Available: 2) General Operative: Ref # [CES-2228727](#) (Positions Available: 1) Caretaker: Ref # [CES-2234922](#) (Positions Available: 1) Coach/Groundsperson: Ref # [CES-2234920](#) (Positions Available: 2) These vacancies can be viewed on: <http://jobsireland.ie> Community Employment eligibility criteria applies. For further information call in to the Parish Scheme Office at 2 Bridge St, Dunmore or call 093 39472

MEALS FOR ELDERLY OR INFIRM - At No. 6 Mayfield we provide home-made 3 course meals Monday to Friday for the elderly or infirm of the Parish. You can eat in or take away. We now have some extra places to eat in. If you are one of those people who would like or need us please call Rose on 085 708 3137

BEREAVEMENT COURSE AT KNOCK SHRINE - A four week course on 'Understanding grief, a journey towards healing' will be held in St John's Welcome Centre, Knock on April 5th, 12, 19th and 26th beginning each evening at 8pm. It will be presented by Monica Morley. Admission is free but booking is essential on 094-9375320

PASSION PLAY AT BALLINTUBBER ABBEY Ballintubber Abbey celebrates the 33rd Anniversary of the Passion Play. For the past Thirty two years those who have witnessed this moving drama have been stirred by the story as it is portrayed by the people of Ballintubber. Many have come back year after year to experience it and have brought others with them. If you have not seen it perhaps you would spare 1 hour on **Monday 3rd, Tuesday 4th and Wednesday 5th April at 9.00pm** to witness this drama. As it takes place outdoors we would advise you to bring suitable clothing.

MOYLOUGH PLOUGHING MATCH - takes place today Sunday 26th March at Rushes farm Annaghmore at 12 noon.

**Thank you for your generosity to the
WEEKLY COLLECTION St. Patrick's Day and Weekend 18th/19th March €2525**

GARRAFRAUNS WOMEN'S SHED - Continues every Thursday from 11am-1pm in Garrafrauns Community Centre. The weekly session will offer a space for all ages to meet up and have a cuppa in a fun environment. Eventually we will be planning different activities which will be of interest to all. Our aim is to tackle social isolation and get involved in our community. Please come along and have a cuppa, lifts can be arranged if needed, looking forward to seeing you all

MEN ON THE MOVE – calling all men, 5km walk every Tuesday & Thursday meeting at Garrafrauns Community Centre at 8pm. The best move you'll ever make, men of all ages welcome.

WOMENS WALK AND TALK – continues every Monday & Wednesday meeting at Garrafrauns Community Centre at 8pm, all welcome to join us for the 5km walk

FLEADH CHEOIL ACCOMMODATION - The Galway County Fleadh Cheoil will be held in Dunmore on May 19th, 20th and 21st. The competitions will be on Saturday and Sunday. The committee are looking for local people to do B&B for one or two nights over that weekend for visiting adjudicators. We will pay commercial rates for suitable accommodation. We really want to keep the adjudicators staying locally if at all possible and would appreciate your support. For further information please contact Marie Howley on 086 3224420 or email piperreillybranchcce@gmail.com

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

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

MEDJUGORJE PRAYERS TUAM - will take place on Friday, 31st March at 8.05pm in the Parish Centre following the 7.30 pm Mass in the Cathedral. All are welcome.

ANAM CARA GALWAY - the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding it's monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 5th April 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

KILKERRIN CLONBERNE CE SCHEME - Vacancies on CE Schemes for General Operatives, Plasterers and landscapers in the Moylough area. If you are on long term unemployment and think you qualify, Contact: Martin Hennelly 087 2265711, Chris Dolan 085 1407687 or Patrick Stone 087 2478617.

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.

COROFIN MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE - 24th-31st May 2023. Spiritual director Fr Ciaran Blake. Lead by Dymphna Glynn. Booking available now. Call Dymphna 085 8197155 or Marian pilgrimages 01 878 8159.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE - 11th to 18th October 2023. Knock to Mostar. Spiritual Director FR BENNY McHALE Price: €765 if booked before 31st January 2023. €815 after 31st January. Deposit only €100 to secure your place. Price includes Transport from Mostar Airport to Medjugorje (30 mins), 7 night's accommodation, minutes from St James Church. Breakfast and dinner each day PLUS Full Religious programme operated by Marian Pilgrimages. For further details Contact Marian pilgrimages on 01 878 8159

GLENAMADDY THEATRE FESTIVAL - General Sale of Nightly ticket's (€15 + booking fee) has opened on Wednesday 1st of March online at www.glenamaddydrama.ie 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 in Glenamaddy Community Centre (Gala Awards night on Saturday 22nd of April in Raftery's Oakland - tickets will be on same for the Gala Awards at a later date) (Line up of performances will be determined at the All Ireland Draw on Sunday 2nd of April) Please follow us on Instagram/Facebook to keep up with the All Ireland buzz and news.

CLEANER REQUIRED - for Caisleán Óir, Glinsk Community Childcare, 20 hours per week further details please phone 0949655885 or email glinskchildcare@gmail.com

The Prayer of Jesus(The Unity Prayer)

My adorable Jesus

May our feet journey together

May our hands gather in unity

May our hearts beat unison

May our souls be in harmony

May our thoughts be as one

May our ears listen to the silence together

May our glances profoundly penetrate each other

May our lips pray together to gain mercy from the Eternal Father