

DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns - Kiltевна
Sunday 5th March 2023 – Second Sunday in Lent

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Parish Office W/B 6th 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 5 th	11.30am	Richie Reddington, Castlefarm, Months Mind Evelyn Munroe, Tuam Road, Months Mind Mary Murphy, Cathill, 1st Anniversary Jackie & Margaret Lyons, Carnaseer Mai & John Concannon & their daughter Kathleen, Cathill Michael Glynn, Ballymoney Ellen & Michael Conneely, Cliften Olivia & John Martin Walsh, Knockroe
Mon 6 th	10am	Private Intention
	10.30- 11.30am	Adoration
Fri 10 th	5-7pm	Adoration
	7pm	Teresa Neenan, San Francisco & formerly of Ballintava Memorial Mass
Sun 12 th	11.30am	Billy Meehan, Sylaun 1st Anniversary Nora Hegarty, Sion Hill & Tuam Mick & Mary Molloy, late of Castle Street Patty Ganly, Bridge Street, Dunmore & Hollywood, California, USA George & Josephine Gleeson, Paddy & Mary Gleeson, Carraroe Anne Meehan, Roy & deceased family members James & Nora Bownes, Knockroe Ann Nestor, Abbeylands Mai & Larry Burke & their son Paddy, Killooney

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS ON 108FM

Sat 4 th	7.30pm	Mike & Mary Slattery, Cloondalga Kitty & Tommy Lally & their children Eileen, Kathleen, Tom & deceased members of the Lally family, Garrafrauns Bridie & Patrick Greaney & deceased family members, Gortnagoyne Tom & Mary O'Dowd, Logboy & Garrafrauns Michael Forde & deceased family members, Ardclon Imelda Dooley, Dublin
Tues 7 th	8am	People of the Parish
Thurs 9 th	5.30-9.30pm	Adoration
Sat 11 th	7.30pm	Oliver Kilgarriff, Garrafrauns

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sun 5 th	10am	Mary Hoban, Kiltевна, Months Mind Thomas & Margaret Doorey, Ballintava & their family, Tommy, Paddy, Mary & Brendan Noel Healy, Garrafrauns & deceased members of the Cleary family
Wed 8 th	10am	People of the Parish
Sun 12 th	10am	Betty Smyth Parkroe & her brothers Leo & Paddy Martyn & sister Teresa Johnston(nee Martyn) USA & formerly Drimbane

+ We remember & pray for the souls of +

Nicky Travers, Dublin & Mayfield

James Nestor, Quarter

John O'Mahoney, Caherlitrane, former Principal of Dunmore N.S.

Fiona Rabbitte, Ballyhaunis & formerly Kiltappa

Kathleen Scanlon, Galway sister of Philomena Keville, Derrymore

+ May they rest in Peace +

MINISTERS OF THE WORD – Dunmore
Mon 6th March 10am – Renate Cooke
Fri 10th March 7pm – Attracta Gilmore
Sun 12th March 11.30am – David McDonagh

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST- Dunmore
Sun 12th March – Team D
Brian Hynes, Martina Reddington & Mary Burke

THE WAY OF GENTLENESS – Continues Monday nights during Lent at 8 pm in Dunmore Church, 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

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

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 piperreillybranchce@gmail.com

DUNMORE CARD GAME - the Card Game continues every Monday night in the Town Hall, Dunmore at 8.30pm. If you can play 25 you are very welcome to join. And if you don't have a partner to play with, no problem, we will always have a partner for you on the night

D.A.R.A – The next meeting takes place at the GRETB Centre on Thursday 9th March at one O'Clock. We are hoping for a full attendance. New members, male & female always welcome.

DUNMORE FAMILY CARERS SUPPORT GROUP – the next meeting will take place on Tuesday the 7th March in the GRETB Centre from 7-9pm. All family carers most welcome.

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

CEOIL, CRAIC & CAINT – The next Community Catch Up, will be on Sunday 12th March from 5-7pm in Garrafrauns Community Centre. come along and enjoy the company of friends and neighbours over a Trad Session, cuppa & a chat. All ages welcome.

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

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION - The church gate collection in aid of Multiple Sclerosis Society Tuam will take place on the weekend of the 4th & 5th of March. Please support

DAMIEN COMER - Galway Footballer and All Star will speak at a Lenten Service in St. Patrick's Church, Glenamaddy at 8pm on Friday 10th March. All are welcome

BEREAVEMENT COURSE - There will be a 4-week course on *'Understanding grief, a journey towards healing'* held in St John's Welcome Centre, Knock Shrine on Wednesday nights – March 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th at 8pm. Over the 4 evenings topics covered will include: how to best understand grief; managing difficult thoughts and feelings; where to find good support; and how to reach peace again. The course will be given by Monica Morley. For further information or to make a booking please contact 094-9375320.

KNOCK BASILICA - St Patrick's Eve Concert at Knock Basilica Thursday 16th March, 8.30pm

We are delighted to host a special concert celebrating Irish music, heritage and culture on the eve of St Patrick's Day, Thursday 16th March at Knock Basilica. The concert will include choral pieces, liturgical music, with the traditional hymns to St. Patrick, and contemporary sacred pieces by Irish liturgical composers as well as from the Irish secular tradition of poem, song and dance. Admission free. All are welcome.

Thank you for your generosity to the
WEEKLY COLLECTION 25th & 26th February €1830

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.

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

GLENAMADDY THEATRE FESTIVAL - General Sale of Nightly ticket's (€15 + booking fee) will opening 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.

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 d

FAITH RENEWAL EVENTS AT KNOCK SHRINE-

March 7th – Kieran Cronin: “Laudato Si: St Francis and Prayer for Ecological Conversion.”

March 14th – Jane Mellett: “Almsgiving: Responding to the Cry of the Earth and the Poor through Care for Creation.”

March 21st – John Connell: “Living More Simply in a Complex World’ **To find out more or to book your place, visit www.knockshrine.ie**

Saturday 1st April ‘The Spiral and the Cross - symbols of hope through challenging times.’ Day Retreat with Deirdre Ní Chinnéide, Taking place in the Prayer Centre, Knock Shrine, Time: 10am – 4pm; Cost €30 **Advance Booking Essential**etails please contact John Lyons 087 9887806