# DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns – Kiltevna Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER – SECOND Sunday of ADVENT

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Parish Office W/B 11th December

Tuesday: 10.30am - 2.30pm Thursday: 9.30am – 2.30pm Friday: 1.30pm – 2.30pm Deadline for Newsletter is Thurs. at 12 Noon

## CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST. NICHOLAS DUNMORE

Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. 11.30am Children's Liturgy John Neary, London & Memlena Helen Meehan, Sylaun & deceased members of the family Sean Donlon, Knockate, his parents & siblings Mary Weston & deceased members of the family Killavoher Patrick & Julia Connally, Carrowpadden Margaret & Patrick Kelly, Roymonaghan, Flaskagh Jimmy Diskin, his mother Mary, father James & deceased members of the Gannon & Diskin families, Carnagur Margaret Burns & deceased members of the family Mary & Jimmy Burke, Brackloon Bernard & Margaret Rattigan & deceased members of the family, Sylaun West 10.00am Mon 11th Mary Burke, Brackloon & deceased members of the family Paddy Deignan, Castlefarm Maggie & Jimmy Reddington & deceased members of the family Mae & Patrick Bruen & deceased members of the family 10.30-11.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Fri 15th 5.30-7.00pm 7.00pm Julia Hussey & deceased members of the Canny family, Castle Street Mary Kelly, Middleton, Manchester Mary Gordon, Abbeylands & deceased members of the family Sun 17th 11.30am Annie & Tim Gallagher & Brendan Gallagher, Co. Donegal John Donelon, Bridge St. – 20th Anniversary & parents Thomas & Kitty, Shrule Nora & Pascal O' Dwyer, Louthlodge & their grandson Finn, Leeds Ann Ryder, Cloonagh Tess Conroy, Portlaoise & Killooney John Gilmore, Killooney & deceased members of the family John & Bridget Donelon, Flaskagh, Michael & Mary Donelon & deceased members of the family Mary Rafferty & her grandchildren Kerri McKenzie & Kevin Rafferty Larry Quinn & his sons Damien, Declan & Michael **Private Intention** 

#### ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

**CHURCH RADIO - 108 FM** 

Sun 10 <sup>th</sup> Dec.	10.00am	Children's Liturgy	
		John & Mary Reddington & deceased members of the Reddington family, Quinaltagh	
		Denis & Kathleen Kenny, Cloonfane	
		Padraic Hession & deceased members of the Hession family, Cloonfane	
		Delia Nestor and deceased members of the family, Quinaltagh	
	Elvira Mullarkey, Quinaltagh		
		Mary & Walter Burke, granddaughter Elaine & deceased members of the family	
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	People of the Parish	
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	5.30- 9.30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec.	10.00am	Paddy Connolly & deceased members of the family	
		Frank & Mary Nestor, Quinaltagh	
		Andrew Nestor & deceased members of the family	
		Robert Abraham & deceased members of the family, Quinaltagh	
		Tom & Mary O' Dowd, Logboy, Garrafrauns	

ONLINE AND ON 108 FM

### CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec.	7.30pm	Patrick & May Comer, Woodfield & deceased members of the family	
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	People of the Parish	
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	3-5pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – All are welcome	
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Peter Murphy, Chequerhill	
		Eamonn Cloonan & deceased members of the Cloonan & Naughton families	

### MINISTER OF THE WORD – Dunmore

Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Della McGarry
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Lil Bruen
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Mary Forde



MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Dunmore Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Dec **Team B** Della McGarry & Nora Burke **MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Garrafrauns** Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Dec – David Kivelhan

<u>CHRISTMAS CONFESSIONS</u>: Give yourself the best gift of all this Christmas – the gift of Peace and Reconciliation. After 11:30 am Mass in Dunmore on Sunday next 17<sup>th</sup> December retired and neighbouring priests will join us to celebrate the sacrament of Reconciliation.

Fr. Fergal will also be available after the weekend Masses in Kiltevna and Garrafrauns to minister the sacrament.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE: Christmas Eve 24<sup>th</sup> Dunmore (Children's Mass) 5.00pm; Kiltevna 7.00pm; Dunmore 9.00pm. Christmas Day 25<sup>th</sup> Garrafrauns 10.00am; Dunmore 11:30am.

<u>MASS TIMES 23-24 DEC :</u> There will be no Sunday morning Masses on Christmas Eve. Our parish Vigil Mas will take place on Saturday 23th at 7:30 pm and it will take place in Dunmore Church. We encourage parishioners from Garrafrauns and Kiltevna to join us for this Mass.



A personal enrichment journey for Advent Monday 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> December at 8.00pm In St. Nicholas Church, Dunmore.



#### + We remember and pray for the souls of + Michael (Gerry) Healy, Littlecastle Jim Moore, Mullingar (formally Dunmore) Tom Ward, Graigueachullaire, Milltown Michael Ryan, Philadelphia (formally Carrowpadden) brother of Gabriel & Timmy + May they rest in peace +

<u>PREPARING OUR CHURCHES FOR CHRISTMAS</u> – We are looking for volunteers to help tidy and decorate our Churches for Christmas. We invite people to come along with mops, hoovers, dusters and above all lots of goodwill:

Dunmore Church on Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Dec at 10am (Ann – 087-2204807) Garrafrauns Church on Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Dec at 10am (Regina – 087-9961776) Kiltevna Church on Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Dec at 10am (Ursula 086-0695054)



**DUNMORE NATIONAL SCHOOL CONCERT:** The 3rd to 6th classes in Dunmore NS are taking part in a carol service in Dunmore Church next Wednesday, December 13th at 7:30 pm. There will be songs and poems. It is free entry and everyone is welcome.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL: - Church gate collection at Kiltevna and Garrafrauns on 9th & 10th December

MUSIC CLASSES: Guitar & Fiddle classes in Dunmore for all ages. For further information contact Pat on 086-8591171

GARRAFRAUNS CARD GAME: Friday nights at 8.30pm in Garrafrauns Community Centre.

HOMEMADE MEALS: at No 6 Mayfield. We provide homemade 3 course meals Monday – Friday for everyone in the parish. Contact Rose on 085-708 3137 for further information

**DUNMORE PARISH SCHEME:** has the following vacancies: Environmental Operative: Ref # CES-2310147 - (Positions: 1); Catering Assistant: Ref # CES-2310149 - (Positions: 1); Coach/Groundsperson: Ref # CES-2310152 - (Positions: 1) For further information call in to the Parish Scheme Office at 2 Bridge St, Dunmore or call 093-39472

**<u>25 CARD GAME - DUNMORE</u>**: Every Monday night in the Town Hall Dunmore, starting at 8.30pm sharp.

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA</u>: Archdiocese of Tuam, Pilgrimage to Fatima with Spiritual Director from May 9<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> 2024 – 7 nights, ex Dublin. Discounts for November bookings – Contact: 01-2410800

<u>PASTORAL COUNCIL</u>: Thank you to our newly formed Pastoral Council for their great efforts over the last few weeks in attending training provided by the Diocese and at Parish level. We look forward as a parish to working as each one of us, called through baptism, give of ourselves in building up the Kingdom of God in the parish of Dunmore.