

DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Dunmore – Garrafrauns – Kiltevna Sunday 28th January – FOURTH Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Parish Office W/B 29th January 2024

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

ONLINE AND ON 108 FM

Sun 28th Jan. 11.30am Richie Reddington, Castlefarm – 1st Anniversary

Tom & Ellen Walsh, Killooney Michael Neary, Renmore & Menlena

Jack Joyce & his parents Michael & Catherine, Killmurray Jack Shaughnessy, Slieve, Daniel Flanagan, wife Ellen

& daughter Mary Crew-Clarke, London & formally Barrick Square

Mary Lenihan & her parents Michael & Nora Higgins

Tommy Joe Gilmore, Barrack Street & his parents Patrick & Mary Cathill

Maura Collins, Knockatee

Tom & Kitty Breheny, Abbeyland Michael Neary, Renmore & Menlena Dick Healy, Ballymoney & Boston

Mon 29th 10.00am Dick Healy, Ballymoney & Boston

Thurs 1st Feb 10am St. Brigid's Day – We welcome our Primary & Post Primary schools from our Parish

Fri 2nd 5.30 – 7.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7.00pm Candlemas Day – Blessing of Candles & Throats during Mass

Sun 4th 11.30am Evelyn Munro – 1st Anniversary

Mary Cunniffe, Adrigoole

John James Greene, Littlecastle & deceased members of the Greene & Burke families

Paddy Connell, Cloonkeen & deceased members of the Connell family John & Julia Conneally, son John & daughter Maggie, Ballymoney

Dermot Kenny & his father Sean Nora & John Culkeen & their son John

Bridie, Tommy & Maus Naughton, Bridge Street

Peter Ryder, Cloonagh, Dunmore

Mary Kate Raftery, her husband Pete & their son Tommy & deceased members of the family

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

CHURCH RADIO - 108 FM

Sat 27th Jan. 7.30pm Private Intention

Tues 30th 10.00am Mass with blessing of St. Brigid's Crosses & Candles – We welcome Garrafrauns NS

Thurs 1st Feb. 5.30 - 9.30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 3rd Feb. 7.30pm Detta Concannon, Knock, Milltown
James & Kate Mullarkey, Cloonkeen

Margaret & Frank Quinn, Ardcloon & deceased members of the Keane family, Corohan

Maureen & Leo Harrington, Boston, USA

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sun 28th Jan. 10.00am Betty Smyth

John & Mary Hussey, James Ellen & Elizabeth & deceased members of the family, Curragh West

Wed 31st 10.00am Mass with Blessing of St. Bridgid's Crosses & Throats (St. Blaise)

Thurs 1st Feb. 3.00 - 5.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Sun 4th 10.00am Mary Hoban - 1st Anniversary

MINISTER OF THE WORD - Dunmore

Mon 29th Jan David McDonagh Fri 2nd Feb Helen Waters Sun 4th Feb Mary Conneally



MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Dunmore

Sunday 28th January **Team D**

Kay Dowling – Martin Burke – Mary Burke – Rose Donnellan

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Garrafrauns

Saturday 27th Jan. - Rita Reddington



+ We remember and pray for the soul of + JJ Higgins – Graigueachullaire, Dunmore

+ May he rest in peace +



<u>WEEK DAY MASSES:</u> When a Funeral Mass takes place on a Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, there will be no 10.00am mass. Any mass intentions will be included along with a Funeral Mass.

GARRAFRAUNS CHURCH – CANDLEMAS DAY: Blessing of Candles for Church and Home use and St. Bridget's Crosses will be blessed at 10am Mass this Tuesday in St. Patrick's Church Garrafrauns. Candles will be on sale before morning Mass. Cost €1 each. We especially welcome donations for Candles used in Church ceremonies during the year.

DUNMORE CHURCH – CANDLEMAS DAY: Candles are on sale in Eurospar.

<u>DUNMORE FOROIGE PLUS:</u> Are making St. Bridget's crosses and will be available to purchase at Dunmore post Office. Blessed Crosses will also be available for sale in all churches this weekend.

<u>KIDS CLUB</u>: Kids Club offer breakfast club and afterschool care in Garrafrauns National School 7.30am - 9.10am and 1.50pm - 6pm. A fun and friendly service, in which homework is supervised, and children can participate in football, basketball, board games, art, baking, and much more. We are looking for someone to join our team 10-12 hours per week, if you are interested please contact Claire for more information 0862188705.

<u>GARRAFRAUNS NATIONAL SCHOOL:</u> A copy of the school's Admission Policy and the Application Form for Admission for the 2024-2025 school year can be downloaded at: <u>www.garrafraunsns.com</u> in the Policies section or on request by emailing <u>office@garrafraunsns.</u>com or writing to: Garrafrauns NS, Garrafrauns, Dunmore, Co Galway H54NY73.

<u>GORTNALEAM NS AFTER SCHOOL POSITION:</u> The school wishes to employ a person to work in our after school from 2:40-4:40 on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday each week. Previous experience working with children is essential. Please email <u>scoilgort@gmail.com</u> or text or call 0861381291 if you have any questions or to declare your interest.

<u>GARRAFRAUNS PARENT & TODDLER GROUP:</u> Every Wednesday in Garrafrauns Community Centre from 10.30am - 12.30pm. All welcome for a chat and a cuppa, please contact 087-2238279 for further details.

<u>DUNMORE MENS SHED:</u> New members are welcome. Raised beds for planting are available to members. Contact: Des Donlon 086-1002729. Bowling going very well. AGM will be held in the coming weeks, date and time confirmed later.

ACTIVE RETIRED: Thursdays at 11.00am in the Town Hall. We would love to see some new members join us.

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

TRAD SESSION: In J.D.'s, Dunmore this Sunday 28th January from 5.00 – 7.30pm

<u>HOMEMADE MEALS:</u> at No 6 Mayfield. We provide homemade 3 course meals Monday – Friday for everyone in the parish. Eat in or take away. We now have some extra places to eat in. Contact Rose on 085-708 3137 for further information

<u>DUNMORE PARISH SCHEME</u>: has the following vacancies: Environmental Operative: Ref # CES-2316867 - (Positions: 1); Catering Assistant: Ref # CES-2316861 - (Positions: 1); Coach/Groundsperson: Ref # CES-2316873 - (Positions: 1) For further information call in to the Parish Scheme Office at 2 Bridge St, Dunmore or call 093-39472

25 CARD GAME - DUNMORE: 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 $9^{th} - 16^{th}$ 2024 – 7 nights, ex Dublin. Discounts for November bookings – Contact: 01-2410800

MEDJUGORIE PILGRIMAGE: Knock to Mostar. Sept. 18th to Sept. 25th. Accompanied by Spiritual Director. Accommodation 2 mins. from the church. Early booking with discount before 3rd February 2024. Further details: Anne Keadin, 086-376 6293

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO MOSTAR:</u> 1st Week - Knock to Mostar. Sept. 18th to Sept. 25th. Accompanied by Spiritual Director. Accommodation 2 minutes from the church. Early booking with discount before 3rd February 2024. Further details: Anne Keadin -086 376 6293

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO MOSTAR:</u> 2nd Week - Knock to Mostar. Sept. 25th - Oct. 2nd. Fr Daniel Odofia Spiritual Director. Further details: Anne Keadin, 086 376 6293

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE:</u> 1^{st} week -20^{th} to 27^{th} September. 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 2024. €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. Further details: Contact Anne Keadin - 086 376 6293

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA: May 9th; 7 nights; ex Dublin. (discount for January Booking). Contact 012410800. (ref: Tuam).

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO MALTA:</u> 'In the Footsteps of St Paul' Pi June 26th; 7 nights; ex Dublin; with a Spiritual Director. For details and booking, ring 012410800.

<u>DUNMORE FOROIGE CLUB:</u> Annual Colour Run on Sunday February 4th at 1pm in Garrafrauns. We would like to invite all members of the community to join us for some great fun and refreshments afterwards in Garrafrauns Community Centre.

Thank you for your generosity to the WEEKLY PARISH COLLECTION: Weekend 20th & 21st January - €1835.00

Parish Baptism

On the 1st Sunday & 3rd Saturday of the month at 12.30pm.

To book a baptism, please contact the Parish Office on 093-38124 or email newsletter@dunmoreparish.ie