



# DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

**Dunmore – Garrafrauns – Kiltamna**

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June – PENTECOST SUNDAY**



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**Parish Office W/B 9<sup>th</sup> June 2025**

Tuesday: 10.30am – 2.30pm

Thursday: 9.30am – 2.30pm

Friday: 1.30pm – 2.30pm

**Deadline for Newsletter is Thurs. at 12 Noon**

**NEW Email: [dunmoreparishgalway@gmail.com](mailto:dunmoreparishgalway@gmail.com)**

## Parish Baptisms

**1<sup>st</sup> Sun. & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. at 12.30pm.** Contact Regina at the Parish Office 093-38124 / 087-9961776 / [dunmoreparishgalway@gmail.com](mailto:dunmoreparishgalway@gmail.com)

## CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST. NICHOLAS DUNMORE

**ONLINE AND ON 108 FM**

<b>Sun 8<sup>th</sup> June</b>	11.30am	Margaret, Owen & Eamonn Shaughnessy, Belwell Bridie, George & Alan Lathan, Sussex The Shaughnessy & Higgins families, Belwell Michael & Katherine Joyce & son Jack, Kilmurray Mary, Seamus & Michael Healy, Graigueachullaire William & Ellie Tierney, Gortnalea & their son PJ
<b>Mon 9<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Private Intention
	10.30am – 11.30am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
<b>Wed 11<sup>th</sup></b>	1.00pm – 3.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
<b>Fri 13<sup>th</sup></b>	5.00pm – 7.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
	7.00pm	Margaret, Michael, Paddy & Kathleen Canny, Castle Street Julia Hussey, Castle Street
<b>Sat 14<sup>th</sup></b>	11.00am	<b>Mass with Burial of Ashes – Pat Howley, Salthill &amp; Barrack Street</b>
<b>Sun 15<sup>th</sup> June</b>	11.30am	Michael Mullarkey, Cloonkeen Paddie O' Donnell, Castle Street, his brother Myles & sister-in-law Winifred Francis Neary, London & Menlena Mary McHugh, Gurteen & Philadelphia, her husband Bill & deceased members of the Ward & Comer families Claudia & Martie Gavin, Elthan Heights

## ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

**CHURCH RADIO - 108 FM**

<b>Sat 7<sup>th</sup> June</b>	7.30pm	Martin McGrath, Garrafrauns – <b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary</b>
<b>Tues 10<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Private Intention
<b>Thurs 12<sup>th</sup></b>	5.30pm – 9.30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
<b>Sat 14<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	<b>Tom White, Dublin &amp; Knock, Milltown</b> (Fr. Mick Coen)
	7.30pm	Teresa Kivlehan, Carranthomas – <b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary</b> Patrick & Margaret McWalter, Cloonfane Padraig Canny, his wife Mary & son Joe, London Veronica Canny, Cloondalgan Patrick & Bridie Greaney & deceased members of the family, Gortnagoyne

## CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

<b>Sun 8<sup>th</sup> June</b>	10.00am	Private Intention
<b>Wed 11<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Private Intention
<b>Thurs 12<sup>th</sup></b>	3.00pm – 5.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
<b>Sun 15<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Private Intention

**+ We remember and pray for the souls of +**

**Donnacha Jan De Bruyn**, Bath Abbey, Duleek, Meath (Son of Helen De Bruyn - formally Gildea - Riverview, Dunmore)

**William (Liam) Kenny**, Cathill, Dunmore

**Thomas Dowd**, Newbridge, Ballinasloe (Father of Chyrstal Dowd, Strawberry Hill)

**Sean Cunningham**, Beaugh, Curragh West, Dunmore

**+ May they rest in peace +**



**Thank you for your generosity WEEKLY PARISH COLLECTION: Weekend 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> June - €1670.00**

**MINISTER OF THE WORD – Dunmore**

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> June Lil Bruen  
 Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June Rose Donnellan  
 Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June James Donnellan

**MINISTER OF THE WORD – Garrafrauns**

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June Brendan Kelly

**MINISTER OF THE WORD – Kiltcvna**

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June Anna Flaherty

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION (June) – Dunmore**

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June Pat Howley & John Collins

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Dunmore**

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June Team B  
 Mary Burke – Siobhan Conneally – Marina Callanan – Nora Burke

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Garrafrauns**

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June Bernie Connally

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Kiltcvna**

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June Bernie Ferrick

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION (June) – Garrafrauns**

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June Brendan Jordan & Cyril Greene



**FUNERAL MINISTRY:** Over the past number of months, the Diocesan Funeral Resource Team have been engaged in discussion and consultation on the funeral ministry needs of the Archdiocese of Tuam. The Church recommends that when no priest or deacon is available for the removal from the funeral home or home of the deceased and graveside prayers, a lay person presides. Parishes are now considering how to prepare people for this ministry which will involve training, through lay people and priests working together. An information evening will be taking place shortly.

If you are interested, please call the parish office on 093-38124 or Regina on 087-9961776 – **Thank you.**

**CHURCH ENVELOPES:** Church envelopes for the coming year can be found at the back of your church. Please collect yours if you have not already done so. If you need a box please ask each sacristan or contact Regina on 093-38124 or 087-9961776. Many thanks to all who have distributed boxes of envelopes to the villages.

**VOLUNTEERS FOR CHURCH MINISTERS:** We appeal to new people to get involved in the various ministries in our three Churches. We are looking for Readers, Eucharist Ministers, Basket Collectors, Choir members. We are also open to people who may like to help initiate our baptismal team, funeral ministry and hospitality groups.

**New rotas with be created at the end of June. Please encourage family members to get involved and you can give your name to Fr. Fergal, the Parish Office 093-38124, Regina 087-9961776 or any Pastoral Council member.**

**DUNMORE COMMUNITY COUNCIL BINGO:** Will take place on Sunday June 8<sup>th</sup> in the Town Hall, Dunmore at 3pm. Lots of prizes on the day including a €500 jackpot. Draw for a free double book, single book, lucky line sheet and Jackpot sheet. Complimentary tea, coffee and biscuits will be served at the interval. **All are welcome.**

**DUNMORE TIDY TOWNS:** Judging for the tidy towns competition 2025 commences this weekend and goes on right through to the end of July. We don't receive any notice, regarding the adjudication of our community. The committee with the help of volunteers are involved in regular clean up's and we're asking your help to keep the area in the vicinity of your home litter free. Casual litter around the town especially at weekends can be a major problem. So we thank you in anticipation of your co-operation.

**RESURFACING:** Resurfacing of the river walk is due to commence over the coming days as part of the overall rejuvenation of this much used amenity. Street signs will be erected next week.

**CHARTERED PHYSIOTHERAPY & SPORTS PERFORMANCE:** Physiotherapy clinic is located at Dunmore Medical Practice, H54 NP80. Please call or message Fergal on 083-36 40 839 or email [dunmorecharteredphysio@gmail.com](mailto:dunmorecharteredphysio@gmail.com) to book an appointment. **Thank you.**

**MAKE A LINK:** Galway Rural Development, GRETB, and the Department of Social Protection are joining forces to put together a series of free 'Make the Link' information events to showcase the education and training courses available in the region. There will also be information on the various financial supports and benefits available, advice on the SICAP programme and grants, the various employment schemes, and much more. The roadshow is open to all, including job seekers, career changers, and anyone interested in further education. The Tuam roadshow takes place at the Ard Ri Hotel on Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> June, from 10am to 1pm.

**PLAYFUL PALS - PARENT & TODDLER GROUP:** Every Wednesday morning in Garrafrauns Community Centre from 10.00am – 12.00pm. Further information, contact Joanne 083-3582296.

**BEGINNERS BRIDGE:** Every Tuesday in the Town Hall Dunmore from 11.00am to 1.00pm – **All welcome.**

**BRIDGE:** Every Thursday evening in the Town Hall Dunmore from 7.30pm to 9.30pm – **All welcome.**

**SVP DUNMORE:** If you, your family or friends are struggling, call Saint Vincent DePaul Dunmore 086-4169828 for assistance.

**HOMEMADE MEALS:** At No. 6 Mayfield. We provide homemade 3 course meals Monday – Friday for everyone in the parish. Eat in or take away. Contact Rose on 085-7083137 for further information.

**TRIBE GYM:** The Gym in Dunmore MacHales continues to offer new memberships. If you are looking at getting started and looking for more information please contact the club office on 087-4290000

**TRAINEE TEACHER:** Available for July provision – contact 087-1600297

**DALGIN NATIONAL SCHOOL CELEBRATION:** Join us for a special evening of celebration as we welcome all former pupils of Dalgin National School. The event will take place on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2025, at the Ard Ri Hotel, Tuam.

If you have photos or memorabilia from your school days that you're willing to share with the organising committee, we would greatly appreciate it. All items will be safely returned.

For more information, please contact the Chairperson, Padraic Kirrane, at 086-2743680.

**DUNMORE PARISH SCHEME:** Dunmore Parish Scheme has the following vacancies:

**Catering Assistant:** Ref # CES-2389094 - (Positions Available: 1)

**Environmental Operative:** Ref # CES-2389067 - (Positions Available: 1)

**Caretaker:** Ref # CES-2389003 - (Positions Available: 1)