



# DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER



**Dunmore – Garrafrauns – Kiltевна**

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July – SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (REEK SUNDAY)**

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 Parish Secretary: Regina O’ Shea 087-9961776

**Parish Office W/B 28<sup>th</sup> July 2025**  
 Tuesday: 10.30am – 2.30pm  
 Thursday: 9.30am – 1.30pm  
 Friday: 1.30pm – 2.30pm  
 Deadline for Newsletter is Thurs. at 12 Noon  
**NEW Email: 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

## CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST. NICHOLAS DUNMORE

ONLINE AND ON 108 FM

Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> July	11.30am	Agnes & Mike Burke, Carnagur Pakie Meehan, Menus Park Paddy & Michael McLoughlin, Dunblaney & deceased members of the McLoughlin & Glynn families William & Mary Waldron, Cathill Sarah & James Ronan, Cathill Tom Kelly, Carraroe Special Intention
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Special Intention
	10.30am – 11.30am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup>	1.00pm – 3.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Aug.	5.00pm – 7.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
	7.00pm	Private Intention
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>	5.00pm	<b>600 Year Anniversary Mass in the Augustinian Abbey</b>
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup>	11.30am	Geraldine McDermott, Grape – <b>Month’s Mind</b> Pat Donelon, Carnaseer – <b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary</b> John & Mary Begley, London & Menlena Mattie Concannon, Dunmore Ciarán Glynn, Carrantryla Joe & Mary Glynn, Ballinlass Roddy & Teresa Flaherty, Castle Street & their grandson Sean

## ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS

CHURCH RADIO - 108 FM

Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> July	10.00am	Margaret Canny, Carronthomas Martin, Margaret & John Miskill, Addregoole John & Nora Noone, Gortnagoyne Evelyn & Tom Keely, Carrowkeel
Tues 29 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Private Intention
Thurs 31 <sup>st</sup>	5.30pm – 9.30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug.	10.00am	Delia & Je Connally, Darray Damien Ryder, Gortnagoyne

## CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

Sat 26 <sup>th</sup> July	7.30pm	John & Christine Martyn & Paddy & Clare Martyn, Flaskagh House Michael Mullarkey, London & Beagh & deceased members of the family Michael Brennan, Chequer Hill
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup>	5.00pm	<b>Mass in Cappagh Well</b>
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Private Intention
	10.30am – 11.30am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – <b>All are welcome</b>
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup> Aug.	7.30pm	Bernard Donnellan, Kinalappa, his parents Patrick & Mary & Uncle Jack



**+ We remember and pray for the soul of +**  
**Mary Hughes** (née McWalter) Birmingham & formerly of Cloonfane, Garrafrauns.  
 Sister of Michael McWalter, Bellcara.  
**+ May she rest in peace +**



## HOLY WELL CAPPAGH

The pilgrimage takes place on **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July at 5pm**. It is also known as Garland Sunday or Reek Sunday.  
 As this is Jubilee year 2025 and we are all pilgrims of hope add this pilgrimage to your to do list.  
**Enjoy a cup of tea and a chat afterwards. All welcome.**

**MINISTER OF THE WORD – Dunmore**

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> July Renate Cooke  
 Friday 1<sup>st</sup> August Nuala Finnegan  
 Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August Therese Turner

**MINISTER OF THE WORD – Garrafrauns**

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August Anne Marie Hannon

**MINISTER OF THE WORD – Kiltевна**

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August Jamie Donnellan

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION (July) – Dunmore**

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August Ann Marie Hannon & John Kelly

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Dunmore**

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August Team D  
 Ann Mullin – Martin Burke – Mary Burke – Rose Donnellan

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Garrafrauns**

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August David Kivlehan

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Kiltевна**

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August Sean Glennon

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION (July) – Garrafrauns**

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August Brendan Jordan & Cyril Greene



**1425 – 2025 AUGUSTINIAN ABBEY DUNMORE:** To celebrate the 600 years of the Augustinian Abbey Dunmore, a history of the Abbey and the Augustinian's association with Dunmore will be launched on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> August. The venue is the festival marquee in the square. Time of the launch is 7pm. It is written by Hubert Birmingham. Mrs. Mary Burke, N.T. will launch the book. The launch is open to everyone who wishes to attend.

**DUNMORE CHURCH CHOIR:** Will sing the joyful Annual Festival Folk Mass on Sunday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>. Music before and after Mass. All Welcome.

**DUNMORE ANNUAL FESTIVAL:** Wish to give advanced notice of a planned disruption to traffic on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> of August from 2pm due to the annual Garrafrauns to Dunmore Road Race. There will be further disruption to traffic and road closures in place on our Traditional Market Day Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> of August from 12pm. We also wish to advise there will be no parking on High St and Castle St on this day, and these restrictions will be in place from 8pm Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> of August. The committee stewards and volunteers would appreciate your support, patience and cooperation on both days as there will be long delays expected.

**CHILDREN'S ART & MINDFULNESS:** (taster class) A mixture of breathwork, mindfulness, movement and painting. Garrafrauns Community Centre, Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> August. 5-12 years old. 10am -11am & 11.30 - 12.30  
 Limited places available. Contact 086-1520316 to book.

**ANNUAL ART COMPETITION:** Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> August 11am-5pm - Annual Art Exhibition in Town Hall, Dunmore - Tea /coffee/ bake sale all in aid of a wonderful charity close to our hearts, Tuam Cancer Care. Fabulous work from local artists and artwork from our younger generation also that will add another exciting dimension. Baked donations are very welcome on the morning. Contact Anna 086-1520316 to get involved.

**DUNMORE TOWN AFC:** Are hosting a 'Football For All Open Training Day' on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August from 10:30-11:30am at Dunmore MacHales Astro. Football for All provides a fun, safe & inclusive environment for children with additional needs. All ages welcome. Football drills, fun games, parachute activities & refreshments after. Guest appearances on the day. Contact [ffa.dunmoretownafc@gmail.com](mailto:ffa.dunmoretownafc@gmail.com) for further information.

**DUNMORE CEMETERY MASS:** Will take place on Wednesday evening 6<sup>th</sup> August at 7.00pm.

**ADDERGOOLE CEMETERY MASS:** Will take place on Sunday morning 21<sup>st</sup> September at 10am.

**SHAFT RISING STARS TALENT SHOW:** Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup> August in the Dunmore Festival Marquee. Are you ready to shine? Join us for an unforgettable night of talent and entertainment — all in support of Tuam Cancer Care! Whether you sing, dance, juggle, or tell jokes — we want to see what you've got! €1,000 Prize fund to be Won! Please contact 087-3803396 for enquiries, details and entries.

**KILTEVNA DEFIBRILLATOR:** Training is being organised for September. Contact Catherine (086)3743628 for information.

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

**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

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

**Caretaker:** Ref # CES-2395121 - (Positions Available: 1)

**FOUR ROADS GAA TOURNAMENT:** Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> of August 2025 - Four Roads GAA Tournament in STIRA Park GAA Grounds. The Dublin Road, Tuam Road, Castle Road & Glen Road will fight it out to decide who will be crowned the champions of Dunmore GAA 2025 & bring home the DAMIEN RYDER & STEPHEN CUNNINGHAM MEMORIAL CUPS. The draw will take place live at the pitch at 2pm. **Semi-final 1** at 2.30pm - **Semi final 2** at 3.15pm

**Third place final** at 4.15pm - **Final** at 5pm

Jennings BBQ, Slainte, Ice cream, and a shop are available on the day. Contributions on I-donate and at the gate are going towards worthy local charities, including Kiltевна, Garrafrauns, and Dunmore Defibrillator Groups, Football For All, and our Local Ability West Services. **Let's make it another great day to remember.**

## AUGUSTINIAN ABBEY 600<sup>th</sup> CELEBRATION

Mass will be celebrated in the Augustinian Abbey, Barrack Street by Fr. Anthony Finn, Prior of the Augustinians, Galway on **Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August July at 5pm.** Music by Dunmore Parish Choir. Come along and celebrate our deep Augustinian roots. The Dunmore 'Chalice of the Two Martyrs' which was presented to the Prior of Abbey by the Archbishop of Tuam in 1641 is being made available to us for this special Mass of Thanksgiving.

**Thank you for your generosity WEEKLY PARISH COLLECTION: Weekend 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> July - €1540.00**