



DUNMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER



Dunmore – Garrafrauns – Kiltевна

Sunday 5th October – TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Parish Office W/B 6th October 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

CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST. NICHOLAS DUNMORE **ONLINE AND ON 108 FM**

<p>Sun 5th Oct. 11.30am</p> <p>Mon 6th 10.00am 10.30am – 11.30am</p> <p>Wed 8th 1.00pm – 3.00pm</p> <p>Fri 10th 5.00pm – 7.00pm 7.00pm</p> <p>Sun 12th 11.30am</p>	<p>Enrolment Ceremony – First Communion – Ballinlass NS & Dunmore NS Christy Meehan, Castle Street – Month's Mind Jackie & Margaret Lyons, Carnaseer & deceased members of the family Denis Treacy, Menlena & deceased members of the Treacy family Mark & Catherine Cunniffe, Cloonfad Joseph & Margaret McLoughlin, Kilkerrin Ali Herviaux Special Intention Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – All are welcome Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – All are welcome Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – All are welcome Private Intention Jimmy Halliday, Sion Hill Mickey & Rita Reddington, Knockatee, their daughter Katherine & grandson Alan Paddy & Annie Gleeson, Shanballymore – (Annie's 30th Anniversary) Martin & Kathleen Rattigan, Ballymoney & deceased members of the Rattigan family, Ballymoney & Kilgarriff family, Maurke Henry & Ellen Keenan, The Demesne, their daughter Peggy & sons Martin & Tommy & DMF Carmel Morrow Mooney, Currabell (10th Anniversary)</p>
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ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, GARRAFRAUNS **CHURCH RADIO - 108 FM**

<p>Sun 5th Oct. 10.00am</p> <p>Tues 7th 10.00am</p> <p>Thurs 9th 5.30pm – 9.30pm</p> <p>Sat 11th 10.00am</p> <p>Sun 12th 10.00am</p>	<p>Enrolment Ceremony – First Communion – Garrafrauns NS Private Intention Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – All are welcome Mary White (née McWalters), Dublin & Knock, Milltown – Fr. Mick Coen Nicholas & Kitty Canny, Cloondalغان</p>
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CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, KILTEVNA

<p>Sat 4th Oct. 7.30pm</p> <p>Wed 8th Oct. 10.00am 10.30am – 11.30am</p> <p>Sat 11th 7.30pm</p>	<p>Enrolment Ceremony – First Communion – Gortaleam NS Brigid Mullin, Kiltевна Paddy & Bridie Shally, Flaskagh, daughter Maureen & son-in-law Sean Charlie & Agnes O' Reilly, Ballyhaunis Marie Mannion, Glenamaddy Road Private Intention Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – All are welcome Seamus Maloney, Chequer Hill - 1st Anniversary John & Margaret Glennon, Pollea & deceased members of the family</p>
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MINISTER OF THE WORD – Dunmore
 Mon 6th Oct. Renate Cooke
 Friday 10th Oct. Rose Donnellan
 Sunday 12th Oct. Ann Quinlivan

MINISTER OF THE WORD – Garrafrauns
 Sunday 12th Oct. Sean Kivlehan

MINISTER OF THE WORD – Kiltевна
 Saturday 11th Oct. Louise Cloonan

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (August) – Dunmore
 Sunday 12th Oct. Breda Meehan & Mary Clarke



MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Dunmore
 Sunday 12th Oct. Team D
 Ann Mullin – Martin Burke – Mary Burke – Rose Donnellan

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Garrafrauns
 Sunday 12th Oct. Christy Reddington

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – Kiltевна
 Saturday 11th Oct. Séan Glennon

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (August) – Garrafrauns
 Sunday 12th Oct. David & Peter Donlon



+ We remember and pray for the soul of +
Michael (Mickey) Piggott – Rinn, Oranmore & Dunmore
 + May he rest in peace +



REMEMBERING OUR MISSIONARIES:

Thanks to all who have submitted names and photos to the Parish Office.

If you would like to have a name added,

please add this to a list at the back of all churches this weekend.

If you have a photo, please bring this into Regina in the parish office or phone her on 087-9961776 where she will give it straight back to you once scanned.

FAITH & LIGHT – NATIONAL DAY: Welcomes people with additional needs, their families and friends. If you would like to know more about Faith & Light and for further information, please contact Ann on 087-7995879

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2026 is Now Open: Contact Regina - Parish Office on 093-38124 or 087-9961776.

MOTHER & TODDLER ORGANISER: Garrafrauns Community Council invites expressions of interest to organise a Mother & Toddler morning, one morning per week in the Community Centre. For further information please contact 083-3516568.

D.A.D.S. AGM: Our Drama group will hold its AGM this Sunday 5th October at 7.30pm in Dunmore Golf Club followed by refreshments in Robbie Byrne's Bar and presentation of awards for our successful Drama Circuit run with Faith Healer, which was pipped by a single point (once again!!) in the All Ireland Confined Drama Festival. We will also announce our new production for 2026. Newcomers as always very welcome. If you have an interest in becoming involved in our new production either onstage or behind the scenes, come along, or contact us at 086-1730160.

DUNMORE FORÓIGE: Are holding a celebration event on Fri Nov 21st 'A Legacy of Youth: 73 years of Foróige; 25 years of Dunmore Foróige ' from 7pm-11pm in the community school hall. This is to celebrate 73 years since the 1st Foróige club was started in the town and at present 25 continuous years of Foróige clubs in the town. We would like to extend a welcome to all past, present and future members, volunteers and their families to join us on the night for a trip down memory lane and to get to know the wonderful young people and volunteers we are so lucky to have at present in our clubs. There will be refreshments and entertainment on the night also. We would greatly appreciate if anyone has any old photos or lists of previous members/volunteers or other memoirs that we could borrow and copy we would greatly appreciate it. If you could email dunmore3rd@gmail.com or contact Grainne on 087-9616471 or Claire on 086-3350472.

FRENCH GRINDS: Available up to LCERT higher level by experienced French teacher. Contact 086-0664261

KIDS CLUB: Is expanding and we are looking for someone to join our team. We offer breakfast club and afterschool care in three different schools. A fun and friendly environment, 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 086-2188705.

WOMEN'S SHED GARRAFRAUNS: Every Thursday from 11.00am until 1.00pm. in Garrafrauns Community Centre.

BEGINNERS BRIDGE: Wednesday mornings at **11.00am** in **Dunmore Library**.

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

Caretaker: Ref # CES-2411886 - (Positions Available: 1)

DUNMORE MEN'S SHED: Bowling continues at the Dunmore Men's Shed on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11.00am. New members welcome.

1425 – 2025 AUGUSTINIAN ABBEY DUNMORE: The book covering the history of the Abbey and the Augustinian in Dunmore is on sale in Eurospar Dunmore.

DALGIN NATIONAL SCHOOL CELEBRATION: Join us next Saturday, 11th October 2025 for an unforgettable evening of history, food, music, and dancing at the Ard Rí House Hotel, Tuam.

5pm: Mass in St. Joseph's Church, Milltown

7pm: Dinner & Memories Presentation, followed by music and dancing.

Tickets €30 – now on sale - Contact Padraic Kirrane on 086-2743680.

SVP DUNMORE: If you, family or friends are struggling, call St. 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

JOINT FLU AND COVID VACCINE CLINICS AT DUNMORE MEDICAL PRACTICE: We will be facilitating joint flu and covid vaccine clinics on Tuesday morning 23rd & 30th September and every Wednesday afternoon throughout October for ALL patients 60 years of age and over and those 18-59 years of age who are at increased risk of influenza and covid related complications as per the HSE guidelines. If you have not received a text with a link to our booking system, please contact the surgery for an appointment.

First Communion 2026



Our Lady & St. Nicholas Church, Dunmore – Saturday 2nd May 2026

St. Patrick's Church, Garrafrauns – Saturday 9th May 2026

Christ the King Church, Kiltelva – Sunday 17th May 2026

