# **Our Parish Newsletter** 25th June—12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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#### Mass Times :

St. Mary's - Sunday - 10 am; Mon, Tues 10 am; Thursday & Friday 7.30 pm St. Joseph's - Saturday - 8.00 pm; Wednesday 10 am; St. Patrick's - Sunday 11.15 am;

#### We Pray For The Deceased:

Josephine Brady, Clare whose funeral was on Thursday

#### St. Joseph's

Saturday 24th	8.00 pm	Mgt, Bartley, Peter Galligan & Molly Dolan,
	_	Drumnalaragh
Wednesday 28th	10.00 am	Joe McGarry, Barrack Rd 2nd AM
Saturday 1st	8.00 pm	Michaella Gaffney, Aughnahague
St. Mary's:	-	
Sunday 25th	10.00 am	Michael Nulty, Drumbarry & Decd.
Thursday 29th	7.30 pm	Mary Ann & Eoin Reilly, & Peter Cooney Keenagh
Friday 30th	7.30 pm	Benny, James & Mary Smith Togher

# St. Patrick's:

Sunday 25th	11.15 am	Sean Smith, Drumbee MMM
Sunday 2nd	11.15 am	Fr. Noel Boylan, 2nd Am also Benny & Gerty
•		Boylan, Main St. Kilnaleck

# **Volunteers June**

#### **Altar Society:**

St. Mary's - Clare McCabe, Helen Sorohan, Anne & Kathleen Reilly St. Joseph's - Betty Leddy, Margaret Smith, Sharon O'Reilly **Readers:** St. Mary's: Charlie Galligan, Micheál Reilly St. Patrick's: Patricia Rennix St. Joseph's: Claire Comiskey, Peter Galligan **Eucharistic Ministers:** St. Mary's - Margaret Smith

St. Joseph's - Rose Mary Walsh, Bridie Keaney **Collectors:** 

St. Joseph's - John Andy Conaty, Bridie Keaney

St Joseph's Church Drumkilly: From July onwards the offertory collection will be taken up during mass

**Moogles Theatre Company presents "Entangled":** (A play written by Alice Lynch. Directed by Taragh Donohoe.) In Drumkilly Hall on Friday 30th June at 8.30 pm. Tickets - €10 available in all local shops , also from Tom - 0877942102; Noel - 087 6215601. Also available at the door. Â play of love, honour, lies & betrayal. Not Suitable for Children

• The fact that Jesus is hardly mentioned outside the gospels is not surprising. When non-Christians did refer to him, they obviously saw him as a troublemaker. The writings of two famous Romans that have come down to us illustrate this. Pliny writing in AD 112 to the Emperor Trajan complains that there was a slump in the agricultural markets because people were no longer buying beasts for sacrifice. This was the fault of people called Christians who formed a secret society and refused to offer sacrifice to the God-Emperor. The Roman historian Tacitus writing in the beginning of the 2nd century wrote that the, Christians had been made a scapegoat for the great fire of Rome in the reign of Nero (19th July 64 AD). Their founder was a criminal who had been executed by Pontius Pilate thirty years, or so earlier. Unfortunately the death of the ringleader had not stopped the mischief.

# **Blessing of the Graves 2023**



St. Joseph's Church - Saturday 5th August at 6 pm St. Mary's Church - Sunday 6th August at 11 am St. Patrick's Church - Sunday 13th - Time to be Decided.

I have Loved vou

# Morning has broken

first morning. Blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise I have called you and you for the singing, praise for the morning. Praise for them

2. Sweet the rains new fall, sunlit from Heaven. Like the first dewfall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden. Sprung in completeness where his feet pass.



### How Great Thou Art

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder consider all the works thy hands hath made I see the stars I hear the rolling thunder, thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Then sings my soul, my saviour God to thee. How great thou art. How great thou art! Then sing my soul my saviour God to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!

# Morning has broken, like the

I have loved you with an everlasting love.

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springing fresh from the world. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him. He will give you his light and his peace. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him. He will bring you his joy and hope.

