# Our Parish Newsletter

# 20th October 2024 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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#### **Mass Times:**

St. Mary's - Sunday, Monday, Tuesday 10am; Thursday & Friday 7.30 pm.

St. Joseph's - Wednesday 10 am; Saturday 8 pm

St. Patrick's - Sunday 11.15 am

### **We Pray For The Deceased:**

## ♦ Aiden Smith, Duffcastle, whose funeral was on Saturday

Aluch Shirth, Duffeastic, whose functar was on Saturday		
St. Joseph's:		·
Saturday 19th	8.00 pm	Michael McGivney, Crenew Lane, MMM
Saturday 26th	8.00 pm	Mass for the People of the Parish
St. Patrick's:	-	•
Sunday 20th	11.15 am	Eoin Smith, Kill
Sunday 27th	11.15 am	Pat Fay Coolkill, 5 AM
St. Mary's:		•
Sunday 20th	10.00 am	Mickey (3AM) & Michelle McCabe, Latnadrona
Monday 21st	10.00 am	Fr. Paddy Gillick, Kilnacrott
Thursday 24th	7.30 pm	James Callen, Clare & Decd
Friday 25th	7.30 pm	Jimmy Harte, Kilnacrott, 6AM & Decd. of the family
Sunday 27th	10.00 am	Bernie Nelson, Latnadrona, 1st AM

#### **Volunteers October:**

St. Joseph's - Reader: .Ann Marie Briody

Eucharistic Ministers: Kathleen Galligan, Michael Cronin

Collectors: Patsy Galligan, Noel Lynch

<u>St. Mary's</u> - Readers: Una Finnegan, Aisling O'Rourke Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Brennan, Peggy Lynch

Altar Society: Una O'Reilly, Anna Mai Colwell, Michelle Donohoe (Murphy)

<u>St. Patrick's</u> - Eucharistic Minister:Michael McGivney

Reader: Mairéad Lynch

• Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament St. Mary's & St. Joseph Churches: On Sunday November 3rd we will have adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 10 am Mass until 5 pm (St. Mary''s). 10 am to 5 pm (St. Joseph's). This will facilitate all those who will be visiting the graves of their bereaved, so having prayed for them in the graveyard they can pray for them in the church and of equal significance they can expose their broken hearts to the healing power of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

**Drumkilly Development Committee:** invites you all to our Céilí Night in Drumkilly hall on Saturday 2nd November (after mass) 8pm - 10pm Local musicians, singers & story tellers welcome. Tea & Refreshments served on the night.

**Crosserlough Parish Pastoral Council:** A meeting of the PPC will be held in St Mary's Church Crosserlough on Friday 25th October at 8.30 pm. All members please attend.

**Kilnaleck Church Committee:** Committee meeting and AGM will be held in the Church Thursday 24th October at 8 pm. All members please attend. New members welcome.

<u>Drumkilly N.S.</u> will be celebrating its 50th Anniversary in 2025. We would appreciate if anyone in the community would have photographs, articles or other items about the school to loan to the Board of Management to show/display on the occasion of its Anniversary which we plan to celebrate in June 2025.

The Church in Europe finds itself in a time, both of decline and of new beginning. The decline is there for all to see. However, Christ calls people of faith to look at the Church from the standpoint of his Father. Let us look at the Church—and the World—with the eyes of God. Smallness is not an end-point, but a beginning. This is how the Church began. It is always how the Church begins. Let us find our way, step-by-step, working more deeply together, as we build our partnerships of parishes, embracing the road the Spirit is bringing us on, in such a way that, as Pope Francis says, "Our lives can become a song of love for God, for humanity, with and for creation" (Hope and Act with Creation, 9). May God who has begun this good work in us bring it to completion.

### 1. Morning has broken

Morning has broken, like the first morning. Blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise for the singing, praise for the morning. Praise for them springing fresh from the world

#### I have Loved you

I have loved you with an everlasting love. I have called you and you are mine x 2



## **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.