

## Paróiste na Dromoda

### Parish Newsletter

Saturday, 26<sup>th</sup> September / Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2020

26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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#### Mass Intentions

**From Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> September to Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2020.**

##### Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> September

- 7.30pm: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the soul of Bridie O'Sullivan, St. Finian's Tce.

##### Tuesday, 29<sup>th</sup> September

- 7.30pm: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the soul of Darragh Sheahan, Cork.

##### Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> September

- 12.00noon: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls of Molly, Jerome & Olive Coffey, Emlagh and deceased family members.
- We remember also Mai & Jack Curran, Kenneigh and deceased family members and Sean Walsh.

##### Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> October

- No Mass.

##### Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October

- 7.30pm: 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the soul of Teresa Dowling.

##### Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October

- +7.30pm: Vigil Mass in Cillín Liath for the repose of the souls of deceased members of the O'Connell family, Foildrenagh.

##### Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> October

- +10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls of Marie & Michael Behan, Waterville.

Pray for the repose of the souls of:

- Jane Coffey
- Davy Moriarty
- Patrick Moriarty (Ballybrack & Nevada, USA)

#### NOTICES:

- South West Kerry Family Resource Centre** is a local, all inclusive, community based organisation that offers a welcoming and supportive space for individuals, families and groups in the South West Kerry area. We provide a range of services to families and the wider community, including family support, low cost counselling, art therapy, blended learning programmes and community development. The family resource centre is located in the centre of Cahersiveen town. We are open Monday to Friday and staff are always available to provide help, guidance and support, or answer any questions you might have. Call into the Centre to chat about the services we offer or phone 066 9481000/087 1701520 to make an appointment.
- Coronary Care Unit Fundraiser:** A cheque of €2,500 was presented to Manager Sharon O'Connor of the Coronary Care Unit of the Mater Hospital at the Waterville Inn recently, this was the proceeds from the annual "Ger the Yank" 31 Memorial Card Drive. This event was jointly organised by Dromod ICA Guild and CLG Piarsaigh na Dromoda. Due to Covid-19 restrictions the cheque presentation was delayed. Thank you to all involved.

**Offertory Collection for last week was  
€905.00**

**Thank you for your generosity.**

**Cleaning the Churches** for October:

- Cillín Liath:** Volunteers needed.
- St. Finian's:** Joan O'Shea & Mary Clifford.

**TO ENSURE** the safety of everyone and in keeping with Government guidelines, major adjustments will have to be made with regard to numbers attending mass and how we enter and leave the Church.

**To facilitate this, seats will be designated for use on a first come first served basis. Family groups may sit together without social distancing. There will be ushers in both Churches to help you.**

#### Sunday Obligation

The dispensation from the Sunday obligation is extended for the time being. For this reason, so that everyone who wishes to attend Mass may do so safely, you are encouraged to come to Mass over the course of the week, as opposed to waiting for Saturday & Sunday only. The 12noon Mass on Wednesdays in St. Finian's Church is provided to accommodate our seniors and anyone in need of extra support.

#### Distribution of Holy Communion

The Host may be received in the hand only.



#### Reflection:

*Today's gospel parable teaches us that promises can never take the place of performance, and fine words can never be a substitute for fine deeds. Part of us says "yes" to God with our words, and part of us says "no" to God with our deeds. We must therefore, constantly examine ourselves. We must try to turn our words into deeds.*

#### REMINDER:

#### Key Points for Mass Attendance:

- Wear a face covering.
- Follow recommended Covid-19 etiquette.
- Follow social distancing indicators on and entering the church grounds.
- All members of your household must enter the Church together.
- Sanitize your hands before entry.
- An usher will direct you to your seat.
- Follow the instructions of the usher when coming forward for Communion.
- Again, you are asked to follow the directions of the usher on departure.
- Sanitize your hands as you exit.



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