

## Paróiste na Dromoda

Parish Newsletter

Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> January / Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2021

The Baptism of the Lord

St. Finian's Church & Our Lady of the Valley Church

### Christmas Masses:

Will be livestreamed on:

Dromod Parish Facebook Page or

Parish Website [www.dromodparish.ie](http://www.dromodparish.ie)

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**Masses will be online & available on  
playback/recording.**

**Mass Intentions from Monday, 11<sup>th</sup>  
January to Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> January,  
2021.**

Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> January

- 10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls of Dawn O'Sullivan & Bridget Daly.

Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> January

- 10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the soul of Tony Sheehan, Spunkane & U.K.

Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> January

- 12.00noon: Mass in St. Finian's for 'Get Well' intention.

Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> January

- No Mass.

Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> January

- 10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the soul of Kathleen O'Shea, Tarmons

Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> January

- +7.30pm: Vigil Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls of John & Norah Murphy, Ballinakilla.

Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> January

- +10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls of Mary O'Shea and Nora O'Sullivan, Tullig, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary.

**Remember in our prayers Peggy Sugrue,  
Kenneigh who died recently.**

**Church is open daily for private  
prayer.**

**Please keep yourself updated on  
the ongoing restriction changes.**

### ***The Waters of Baptism***

*By David Lougher*

As you step into the water,  
Led by Christ's own hand;  
Lay to rest the wilful self,  
And live the life God's planned.

As you go beneath the water,  
Turn away from sin;  
And let the Spirit fill you,  
With peace and joy within.

As you rise up from the water,  
To new life that's true;  
Let Christ be at the centre,  
Of everything you do.

As you step into the future,  
Listen for God's call;  
Be obedient to His voice,  
And yield to Him your all.

As you face life's fiery trials,  
Do not be afraid;  
For Christ the Lord is with you,  
And He will be your Aid.

### **NOTICES:**

- **Children's Burial Grounds** or Ceallúnaigh(p) (also known as Cillín or Killeen) in the Dromod/Waterville area. The Parish wishes to recognise their presence and bless them and hopefully have them marked in some way like what's been done at the Ceallúnach(s) in Ballinakilla at the Top of Inny. We would be grateful if you could forward, to the Presbytery, any information you might have about any Ceallúnigh in the area or any other relevant information so that we can start to record and acknowledge their locations. Thanking you in advance.
- **Franciscan Friary:** The Friary Office will be operating on Monday to Saturday from 9.30am – 4.00pm daily services can be accessed by phone, 064 6631066 email [killarney@franciscans.ie](mailto:killarney@franciscans.ie) or post. No direct physical access permitted to the friary office. **A card collection box will be available outside the office door.** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament daily from 7.30am – 7.00pm.

**Offertory Collection for last week was €1,110.00.  
Christmas dues can be put in the box in the  
church or dropped to the Presbytery. Fr. Gerard  
thanks those who have handed in the priest's  
Christmas dues. Thank you for your  
generosity.**

**Cleaning the Churches** for January:

- **Cillín Liath:** Breda Fenton & Sheila O'Connor.
- **St. Finian's:** Mary Cronin, Mary Fleming & Frances Everett.

### **COVID-19 Kerry Support**

- Freephone Service: 1800-807-009
  - Text "Support" followed by your name to 50555
  - Email: [covidsupport@kerrycoco.ie](mailto:covidsupport@kerrycoco.ie)
- These services are available 8am-8pm, 7 days a week.

**COVID-19 ALONE Support Line for Older People**  
**Tel: 0818-222-024**

ALONE's national support line for older people, who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19, is open Monday to Friday, 8am-8pm. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice.

### **ACCORD Covid-19 Support Line**

ACCORD is now offering over the phone counselling for couples, individuals and family members during this time. Call (01) 531-3331, Monday to Friday, 9am-8pm. All calls are charged at local rates.

### **Samaritans Freephone 116 123**

The Samaritans are available 24/7 to offer non-judgemental emotional support to people experiencing difficulties or times of crisis in their lives.

### **Citizens Information During Covid-19**

The Library, Caherciveen: Tel: 076-107-7780.



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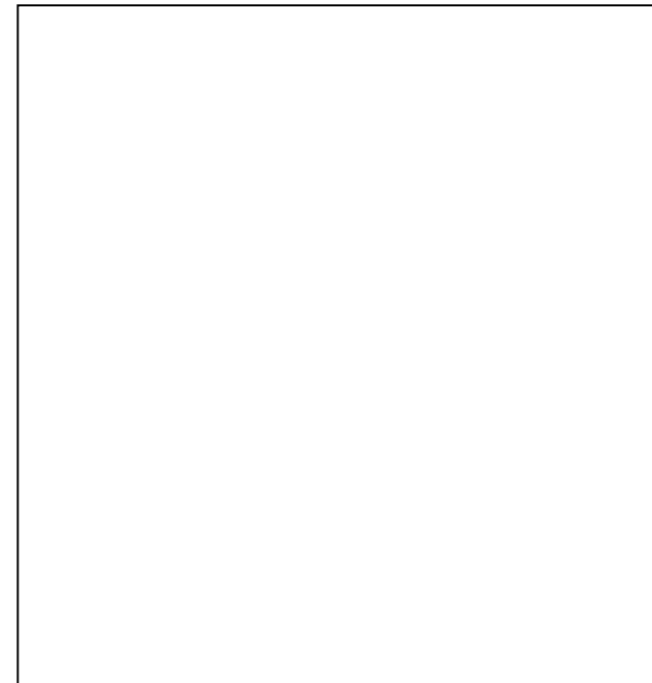
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