

Paróiste na Dromoda

Parish Newsletter

Saturday, 23rd January / Sunday, 24th January, 2021

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Designated Diocesan Liaison Person for all
Safeguarding Concerns: Tel: 087-636-2780.

Keep an eye on our website for new
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Facebook: [dromodparish](https://www.facebook.com/dromodparish)

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

**Mass Intentions from Monday,
25th January to Sunday, 31st
January, 2021.**

Monday, 25th January

- 10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls Lennie Tran & Caroline Richardson.

Tuesday, 26th January

- 10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls of Dominic Roe & Pdraig Dubhain.

Wednesday, 27th January

- 12.00noon: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the soul of Bernie Courtney, Seaview Tce.

Thursday, 28th January

- No Mass.

Friday, 29th January

- 10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the soul of Michael Lucey and for a Special Intention.

Saturday, 30th January

- +7.30pm: Vigil Mass in St. Finian's for Willie Clifford, Killurley & Chiswick.

Sunday, 31st January

- +10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's for the repose of the souls of Margaret & Noel Cronin, South View Tce and Breda Sugrue.

**We remember in our prayers,
Mary O'Connor who died this week.**

Church is open daily for private prayer.

Let someone know you are thinking of them by sending them
"I lit a candle for you" card which are available in the church near the
shrines.

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

Diocesan Mission Programme

Sunday, 24th to Friday, 29th January.

Each day, you are invited to join in

- Morning Reflection – online
- Daily Prayer – Mission Booklet
- Daily Mass @ 10.30am online
- Evening Reflection – online
- Evening Mission Talk @ 8.00pm online

Speakers include:

John Connell, author and journalist

Olive Foley, widow of Axel Foley and ambassador for The
Children's Grief Centre Limerick

Br. Richard Hendricks, mindfulness teacher and priest

Fr. Peter McVerry, Jesuit priest and activist

The Mission will be broadcast on Radio Kerry:

- Horizons
- Sunday Mass @ 10.00am
- Just a Thought

For all details, check out www.dioceseofkerry.ie

Follow the mission on Instagram and Facebook

❖ *As part of the Mission, participants are encouraged to
visit their local holy places i.e. holy wells or mass rocks,
during the weekend of Jan 30th/31st, in accordance with
Covid-19 restrictions.*

Offertory Collection for last week was €565.
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.

NOTICES:

- St. Finian's N.S. Admissions for Sept 2021:** Names are now being taken for Enrolments for Sept 2021. See School website to download forms or contact the school by email on stfiniansns@hotmail.com.
- Thank you to everyone who has contacted the Presbytery so far regarding this:**
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 Ceallúnach in the area or any other relevant information so that we can start to record and acknowledge their locations.
- 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 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.

*Prayer of
St. Brendan the Navigator*



*Help me to journey beyond the familiar and into the
unknown.*

*Give me the faith to leave old ways and break fresh ground
with You.*

*Christ of the mysteries, I trust You to be stronger than each
storm within me.*

*I will trust in the darkness and know that my times, even
now, are in Your hand.*

*Tune my spirit to the music of heaven, and somehow, make
my obedience count for You.*

COVID-19 Kerry Support

- Freephone Service: 1800-807-009
 - Text "Support" followed by your name to 50555
 - Email: 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

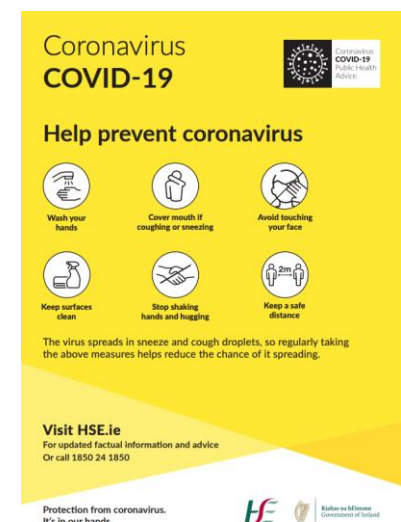
ACCORD is now offering over the phone counselling for couples, individuals and family members during this time. Call (01) 531-3331, Monday to Friday, 9am-8pm. All calls are charged at local rates.

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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