

*Newsletter for the Parishes of  
Dromod & Caherdaniel  
Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> January, 2024  
The Baptism of the Lord*

- *Dromod Parish:* St. Finian's Church & Oratory, Waterville and Our Lady of the Valley Church, Cillín Liath
- *Caherdaniel Parish:* St. Crohan's Church, Caherdaniel; Church of Most Precious Blood, Castlecove & Mary Immaculate Church, Lohar

**Notices for Parish Newsletter** - information to be included in Newsletter needs to be emailed to the Presbytery before 12:00pm on Thursdays – email: [waterville@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:waterville@dioceseofkerry.ie)  
**Churches are open daily for private prayer**

**Designated Diocesan Liaison Person for all Safeguarding Concerns: 0876362780**

**Priests of the Iveragh Pastoral Area**

- **Fr Gerard Finucane: 087-055-4874**
- **Fr Larry Kelly: 087-232-4171**
- **Fr Patsy Lynch: 087-056-4348**

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**Caherdaniel Parish:** - Email: [caherdaniel@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:caherdaniel@dioceseofkerry.ie)  
Facebook: Caherdaniel parish

**DROMOD PARISH:**

*Masses will be livestreamed*

*Mass intentions from, Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> January to Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2024.*

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> January Epiphany**

- 10.00am: Mass in St. Finian's People of the Parish
- 7.30pm Mass in Cillín Liath + Willie Hayes, Doora, Anniversary

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> January**

- 10.00am: St. Finian's + John Foley + Laurence Curran

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> January 2024**

- **No Mass**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January**

- 07.30pm: St. Finian's + Bridie O'Sullivan NY & Dromid (Mass Cards) + Enda McInerney (Mass Cards) + Sean O'Súilleabháin (Mass Cards)

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> January**

- 7.30pm Mass in Cillín Liath + Noelle Murphy Uk & Glenbeigh, Dennis O'Shea and Family, Bridie and Johnny O'Shea, Garrygloss Special Intentions

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> January**

- 10.00am: St. Finian's + Baby James Daniel O'Connell, Anniversary

*Next weekend, 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection, Needs of the Holy Land*

**Fr. Gerard will be away for the Diocesan Priests Assembly from 8<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> January. In case of emergency contact: Cahersiveen Parish Office or Fr. Patsy Lynch.**

**No first Friday visits this month.**

**Remember in your prayers  
Breda Cotter, Waterville,  
who died this week**

**CAHERDANIEL PARISH:**

*Masses will be livestreamed*

*Mass intentions from, Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> January to Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2024.*

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> January Epiphany**

- 9.30am: Mass in Caherdaniel + People of the Parish
- 6.00pm: Castlecove + Lisa Pickard + May Fitzgerald, Castlecove

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> January**

- 9.30am: Mass in Caherdaniel + Eileen & Sean Murphy and deceased members of the Murphy family.

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January**

- **No Mass in Caherdaniel**

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> January**

- 6.00pm: Lohar + Keating family, Fr. Michéal, Bridie, Eileen, Maura, Carrie, Doey and spouses, and all members of the Keating families

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> January**

- 9.30am: Mass in Caherdaniel + Kevin O'Sullivan 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

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**Remember in your prayers  
Martin Parry,  
whose anniversary occurs at this time**

**NOTICES:**

**Farmers in the ACRES CP co-operation scheme** are invited to meet with the cooperation team staff to find out about their scorecard results, supporting actions they can undertake and any other queries they have. The meeting will take place in the **Dromid Community Centre on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January between 2.30pm and 8.30pm.** For any queries, please contact Marianah Sahmad at 0646624607 or email to [msahmad@skdp.net](mailto:msahmad@skdp.net)

**Waterville Community Party** will take place at 12.30pm on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 at the Waterville Golf Links. All are welcome. If anyone needs assistance or transport please contact Tony 0872280478 or Fiona 0876537508.

**Ger the Yank Annual 31 Card Drive** will take place on 14<sup>th</sup> January, beginning 6.30pm @ Dromid Community Centre. All proceeds to the Pallative Care. Any enquiries contact Jeremiah 0879673736. All are welcome.

**ALONE** the organisation that enables older people age at home are looking for Telephone and Visitation Volunteers to support older people in the community. Call 0801 222 024 please or see [ALONE.ie](http://ALONE.ie)/Volunteer for more info.'



**Baptism of Jesus**

*Today we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of Jesus. It is a good day to reflect on our own baptism and its significance for us. The day of Jesus' baptism was a watershed in his life; it was a day of new beginning. On that day he began his public ministry. Our baptism was also a day of new beginning. On that day we were launched on the great adventure of becoming disciples of Jesus. Like Jesus, we too, were given an assurance of God's love and favour, and we too were empowered by the Holy Spirit for the journey that lay before us.*

*May we continue to follow in the footsteps of Jesus and like him, go "about doing good".*

**Parish Office**

**For all Mass Bookings and enquiries please feel free to visit the Parish Office (next door to the Waterville Presbytery) or phone 066-9474703 during office hours:**  
**Tuesday and Thursday mornings 10am to 1pm.**

**Mass Cards, Mass Bouquet Cards, Special Occasions & Thank You Cards** - Signed cards are available after Masses or at the Presbytery Office, Inny Tavern Shop, Daly's Shop and Castlecove P.O.  
**Let someone know** you are thinking of them by sending them "I lit a candle for you" card which are available near the shrines in all the churches

**Tide times for Ballinskelligs Bay +05mins for Westcove**

07.01.24	<b>00.19 high</b>	06.40 low	<b>12.47 high</b>	19.10 low
08.01.24	<b>01.17 high</b>	07.35 low	<b>13.42 high</b>	20.03 low
09.01.24	<b>02.11 high</b>	08.27 low	<b>14.34 high</b>	20.52 low
10.01.24	<b>03.01 high</b>	09.15 low	<b>15.21 high</b>	21.39 low
11.01.24	<b>03.47 high</b>	10.07 low	<b>16.11 high</b>	22.29 low
12.01.24	<b>04.41 high</b>	10.57 low	<b>17.02 high</b>	23.18 low
13.01.24	<b>05.32 high</b>	11.46 low	<b>17.52 high</b>	

**Last week's Offertory Collection:**

**Dromod Parish: €835.00**

**Dromod Parish Building Fund €75.00**

**Caherdaniel Parish: €530.00**

**FOR JANUARY**

**Sacristan:** Angela Hallissey, Trish McIntock, Mary Jo Fitzpatrick

**Cleaning the Churches:**

**Cillín Liath:** Jenny O'Sullivan

**St. Finian's:** Mary Concannon, Kathleen Curran

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Cillín Liath:** Angela Hallissey

**St. Finian's:** Anne McCarthy

**Readers:**

**Cillín Liath:** Daithi O'Sullivan

**St. Finian's:** Mary Maguire