

## Newsletter for the Parish of Dromod

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Solemnity of Saint Peter and Saint Paul

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*The Faith Communities of our Parish include:*

*St. Finian's Church & Oratory, Waterville & Our Lady of the Valley Church, Cillin Liath*

### DROMOD PARISH:

Mass intentions from Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June to  
Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2025

#### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June

7.30pm: Cillin Liath

+ Maureen Moriarty, Kilmakerin, Anniversary

#### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June

10.00am: St. Finian's

+ Special Intentions

#### Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June

10.00am: Oratory

+ Maura O'Connell, Beenbane, Anniversary

#### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July

7:00pm - Oratory: **First Friday Devotions.**

#### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July

10:00am - Oratory: **Communal First Saturday Devotions**

7.30pm: Cillin Liath

+ Joe and Maura O'Shea, Dirrinadin, Anniversary

+ Eileen and Michael Curran, and

Breda Costelloe Anniversary

#### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July

10.00am: St. Finian's

+ Mary Galvin, Spunkane, Anniversary

### **In Loving Memory**



We send our love to all our friends  
of:

**James (Jim) Fitzgerald,**

formerly of Glenmore, Waterville & Manchester  
who died peacefully at home on the 12<sup>th</sup> June. Jim  
faithfully joined in with our celebrations via the parish  
webstream from Manchester, even up to the Sunday  
before he passed to eternal life. Jim's Requiem Mass  
will take place at St Hilda's R.C Church, Manchester on  
Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 12 noon, followed by burial at  
Southern Cemetery. As his obituary so beautiful says:

**"Made In The Mountains  
He Was A Mountain Of A Man."**

### CAHERDANIEL PARISH:

Mass intentions from Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June to  
Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2025

#### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June

6.00pm: Lohar

+ James and Julia McGillicuddy, Lohar, Anniversary

#### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June

9:30am: Caherdaniel

+ Caroline Donnelly, Ballycarnahan Anniversary

#### Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July

10.00am: No Mass

#### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July

6.00pm: Castlecove

+ Mary Kelly, Bridie & Jim Daly, Maria Courtain

#### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July

9:30am: Caherdaniel

+ Ciarán Murphy, 1st Anniversary

+ John Sheehan, Coomnahorna, Anniversary

### **Dates for the Diary**

**Hannah's Walk n Roll:** Fundraiser for Crann Centre.  
Sunday June 29th (weather permitting). Meet at Kerry  
Cliffs entrance at 12.45pm, walk commences at 1pm.

**John Spillane: Éigse na hAoine:** John Spillane, Inoad na  
Dromoda, Sat 26 Iúil. Doras 7.30pm. Ticéidí €15.

#### **Graveyard Masses 2025**

**Dromod:** July 25<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm

**St Finian's:** August 15<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm

**South Kerry Oracle:** is a new local e-newsletter covering  
the South Kerry area from Kells to Sneem & everywhere  
in between. It is a fun 5 minute read every Friday into  
your inbox! Sign up on [www.southkerryoracle.ie](http://www.southkerryoracle.ie)

#### **Recently Deceased**

**Liz Daly**

*New York and formerly of Balleen*

**Anniversary Remembrance of  
Eileen O'Connor, Cahernageeha  
Tony O'Sullivan, Waterville  
May their souls rest in peace**

### **Primary School Graduations 2025**

Congratulations to the pupils of St Finian's N.S & S.N Cillin Liath  
who marked the end of their primary school journey with special  
celebrations during the week. It was wonderful to welcome their  
families & the community to their graduation masses & for the  
continued celebrations after to join in this memorable occasion. A  
huge thank you to all involved behind the scenes especially for  
providing refreshments & a warm welcome to all. As Parish we wish  
all our graduates every blessing for their next steps in life. We  
also extend our gratitude to our two schools of our Parish who do  
fantastic work during the year, we are blessed for all they do for  
our young people. Enjoy the Summer break!

#### **Red Monk of Scariff Commemoration**



Another wonderful annual commemoration took place last Monday  
for the Red Monk of Scariff. Special thanks for all the continued  
support given by all the boatmen/women; Des O Shea, Joseph  
Fenton, John Lar O Shea, Tony & Orla Clarke, Adam Corridan & Ian  
& Rory Galvin, Paul MacGillicuddy and all the Salmon Farm Team &  
Derrynane Inshore Rescue. Collection boxes raising funds for  
**Medicins Sans Frontiers** remain at The Blind Piper in Caherdaniel  
and Brendan O' Leary's Green Shop in Castlecove, please donate if  
you can to help their trojan work in Gaza, Ukraine & Sudan,  
**Weather for next June 23rd looks amazing 😊**

#### **Parish Pilgrimage to Medjugorje 2025**

Our Parish Pilgrimage to Medjugorje takes place from the 2nd -  
9th July. Over 30 pilgrims will travel to the Shrine of Our Lady  
Queen of Peace with Joe Walsh Tours. The group will remember all  
our parishoners in our masses & prayers over the days of the  
pilgrimages. If anyone would like for any petitions to be brought  
with the group, be sure to email/ or drop into the office before  
Tuesday afternoon, alternatively you can message the Parish  
Facebook as well. Our Lady, Queen of Peace. Pray for us & our  
Parish.

### **Diocesan Collection Next Weekend Sick & Retired Priests**

With over twenty priests retired, this fund  
provides for the ongoing support and care of  
those who have given their lives in priestly  
ministry as well as making provision for the  
payment of unforeseen medical expenses.  
This will be taking up as a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection  
immediately after Holy Communion. Your  
support to our retired & sick priests is  
always greatly appreciated & valued.

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

29.06.25	02.01 low	08.03 high	14.23 low	20.27 high
30.06.25	02.51 low	08.51 high	15.13 low	21.16 high
01.07.25	03.41 low	09.38 high	16.03 low	22.05 high
02.07.25	04.32 low	10.27 high	16.54 low	22.57 high
03.07.25	05.22 low	11.21 high	17.41 low	23.47 high
04.07.25	06.09 low	12.09 high	18.29 low	
05.07.25	00.39 high	06.58 low	13.02 high	19.20 low

#### **Last Week's Collections**

**Dromod Parish**

Offertory €1,300

**Sincere thanks for your continued support to  
the Offertory collection which goes entirely to  
the running costs of our Parish churches.**

#### **FOR JULY**

**Sacristan:** Angela Hallissey,  
Eilis Farley, Eileen Brophy

#### **Church Cleaning:**

Cillin Liath: Mary Sheehan.  
Kathleen O'Sullivan

St. Finian's: Anita O'Sullivan  
Angela Griffin

#### **Eucharistic Ministers:**

Cillin Liath: Mary Jackie O'Sullivan

St. Finian's: Patsy O'Shea

#### **Readers 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> June**

Cillin Liath: Michael Hallissey

St. Finian's: James Donald

#### **Readers 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> July**

Cillin Liath: Eilis Farley

St. Finian's: Mary Maguire