

Newsletter for the Parish of Dromod

Sunday 5th October 2025
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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 27th September
to Sunday 5th October 2025

Saturday 4th October

7.30pm: Cillin Liath
+ Micheál Hallissey, Lower Gortatlea, Anniversary
and all deceased members of the Hallissey family

Sunday 5th October

10.00am: St. Finian's
+ Haulie O'Dwyer and Mary Carmel O'Dwyer,
Anniversary
+ Padraig Fitzpatrick 40th Anniversary and his
father Patrick Anniversary

Monday 6th October

10.00am: Oratory: + No Mass
5.00pm: St. Finian's Children's Choir Practice

Wednesday 7th October

10.00am: Oratory
+ Margaret Lynch, Peggy O'Donnell,
Pat Collins, Keith Flynn

2.00pm: Valentia Hospital Mass

Friday 9th October

7.30pm: St. Finian's
+ Johnny O'Connor, Months Mind

Saturday 10th October

12.30pm: St. Finian's
Wedding Niamh O'Connell and Kevin O'Dwyer

7.30pm: Cillin Liath

+ Eithne Casey, Kilmakerin, 1st Anniversary
+ Dennis and Hannah O'Connor, Coomleigh

Sunday 11th October

10.00am: St. Finian's
+ Mary Callaghan nee Houlihan, Tarmons
and Ballaghasheen, late of New York
+ Maura Lucey, New Line, Anniversary
+ Special Intentions



In Support of Cillin Liath N.S
Dromod Community Centre.
Thursday 9th October @ 8pm.

CAHERDANIEL PARISH:

Mass intentions from Saturday 27th September to
Sunday 5th October 2025

Saturday 4th October

6.00pm: Lohar
+ Connie O'Sullivan, Hannah O'Donoghue,
Mary Harris, Eddie Quinlan

Sunday 5th October

9.30am: Caherdaniel
+ Gareth Kyte Months Mind and anniversary of
Kay O'Connor, Ballycarnahan, and all deceased
members of the O'Connor and Kyte Families

Wednesday 7th October

2.00pm: Valentia Hospital Mass

Thursday 8th October

10.00am: Caherdaniel:
+ Margaret O'Sullivan, Patrick Sheehan,
J.J. O'Connor, Scott Walters

Saturday 10th October

6.00pm: Castlecove
+ Norah McAllen, Sheila Teehan, Mick O'Dwyer

Sunday 11th October

9.30am: Caherdaniel
+ Jerome Martin, Derrynane Beg, Months Mind

Join us for tea and coffee in the Parish Hall
after Sunday Mass this week.
All are welcome - we'd love to see you

WE REMEMBER OUR RECENTLY DECEASED



+Kerry Corcoran
Ardcost Cross, Portmagee, Kerry / Ballincollig, Cork

+Edward (Eddie) McCormick Caherciveen.

+Nora (Noreen) Twomey née Keating
Renard, Cahersiveen/Portlaoise

+Mae McCrohan née Brennan
Renard South, Cahersiveen.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a n-anamacha

October: The Month of the Rosary

As we enter October, the Month of the Holy Rosary, we are invited to renew our devotion to this powerful prayer that leads us deeper into the life of Christ through the eyes of His Blessed Mother. In the words of St. Padre Pio, "Love the Madonna and pray the Rosary, for her Rosary is the weapon against the evils of the world." Whether you pray it daily, weekly, or are returning after some time away, now is a beautiful moment to take up the beads once more. Join in praying the Rosary—at home or with loved ones—as we entrust our lives and our world to Mary's intercession.



Upcoming Events

Recovery Haven Kerry -Foilmore Community Centre Drop-In Support & Information Morning. Wednesday, October 8th - 10:30am - 2:00pm. Come along for a chat and a cuppa, meet our friendly team, and learn about the wide range of free support services we offer.

Cork University Maternity Hospital: Annual Service of Remembrance is on Friday 10th of October 2025 at 7:30pm at the Sacred Heart Church, Western Road, Cork. All who have experienced pregnancy or infant loss are welcome to attend. The service can also be livestreamed - www.churchservices.tv/sacreadheartcork

UHK Remembrance Service for Parents and their families who have lost a baby: The service will be on Sunday Oct 12th in the Hospital Chapel at 2.30pm. All are welcome, especially those families who have lost a baby through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, fetal anomaly, stillbirth, or neonatal death.

Christmas Church Concert with Michael English in the Daniel O'Connell Memorial Church of the Holy Cross on Thursday, 4th December at 8:00pm. All proceeds from the concert will go towards the ongoing restoration of the church, which is due to reopen at the end of October. Tickets are available from the Anne in the Parish Office or Eventbrite.

Celebration of Marriage Anniversaries 2025

Mass of Thanksgiving and Blessing at St Finian's Church on **October 25th** at 12 noon. This celebration is especially for couples marking 1st-5th years of marriage, as well as 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th, 65th etc anniversaries. Refreshments after Mass. **Please contact the Parish Office** with your names and anniversary details.

Tide times for Ballinskelligs Bay +05mins for Westcove

05.10.25	03.29 high	09.35 low	15.49 high	21.54 low
06.10.25	04.06 high	10.13 low	16.25 high	22.31 low
07.10.25	04.42 high	10.54 low	17.05 high	23.16 low
08.10.25	05.26 high	11.40 low	17.51 high	
09.10.25	00.00 low	06.12 high	12.26 low	18.36 high
10.10.25	00.47 low	06.57 high	13.14 low	19.24 high
11.10.25	01.36 low	07.46 high	14.07 low	20.14 high

Last Week's Collections

Offertory €945.00
Building Fund €535.00

We sincerely thank you for your continued generosity in the offertory collections, which sustains the life and work of our parish. Your support is a vital part of our shared mission to serve God and one another.

MINISTRIES FOR OCTOBER

Sacristan: Angela Hallissey,
Trish McIntock

Church Cleaning:

Cillin Liath: Eimear Murphy

St. Finian's: Joan O'Shea, Mary Clifford

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Cillin Liath: Mary Jackie O'Sullivan

St. Finian's: Trish McIntock

Readers October 4th/5th October

Cillin Liath: Eimear Murphy

St. Finian's: Mary Maguire

Readers October 10th/11th

Cillin Liath: Marie O'Sullivan

St. Finian's: Anita Galvin