

PARISH OF DROMOD



Welcome to our Parish & to our Faith Communities of:

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



Priests of the Iveragh Pastoral Area

Fr Sean Jones: 087 2032455

Fr David Rugutt: 087 0008765

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Upcoming Masses 10th - 18th October

Saturday 10th October

7.30pm: Cillin Liath

+Joe, Mary, Breda, Michael & Maureen Daly Islandboy.

+Tadhg & Ellen O' Sullivan, & sons Michael, Gerry, Jack & all deceased members of O'Sullivan family Drumeragh.

Sunday 11th October

10.00am: St. Finian's

+Eithne Casey, Kilmakerin. 2nd Anniversary

+Dan & Nora Curran, Garriney.

+John Dan Curran, Mary McGovern nee Curran & Anthony McGovern.

Monday 12th October

10:00am: Oratory:

+ Our Recently Deceased

7:00pm: Oratory

Evening of Prayer for the Feast of St Carlo Acutis

Wednesday 14th October

10.00am: Oratory

+Shared Mass Card Intentions

Friday 16th October

7:30pm St. Finian's

+ Marion O Dwyer Anniversary

+ Jimmy Keating Anniversary

Saturday 17th October

12:00pm Oratory

+ Haniff Chuhan Months Mind

7:30pm: Cillin Liath

+ Denis and Hannah O Connor Coomleigh

+ Mícheál and Eileen Walsh, Knopogue, Anniversary

Sunday 18th October

10:00am: St Finian's

+ Fr. Christy Fitzpatrick, Kilmakerin and Birmingham Months Mind

+Michael Murphy, his parents Jamsie and Bridie and brother Neilie

+ Noreen Galvin 2nd Anniversary

Caherdaniel Mass Times

Saturday 10th October 6.00pm Lohar

People of the Parish

Sunday 11th October 9.30am Castlecove

Florrie Donnelly, Coomatloukane,

and all members of the Donnelly family

Saturday 17th October 6.00pm Lohar

+James McGillicuddy, Anniversary

Sunday 18th October 9.30am Castlecove

Jim Donnelly, Farranatee, Anniversary

October Mission Month

Gathering the Crew

A Call to Prayer for Vocations in the Diocese of Kerry

Throughout October, Mission Month, the Diocese of Kerry invites us to unite in prayer, asking the Lord to inspire men to respond generously to His call to the diocesan priesthood.

This week, as we continue to reflect on the life of St Brendan the Navigator, our focus is on gathering the crew. Just as St Brendan gathered companions to join him on his great missionary voyage, so too are we reminded that the journey of faith is not one we make alone.

We Are All Called

Our parishes are missionary communities, called to support and nurture each person in living out the vocation received at Baptism. We all have a part to play in building up the Church and sharing the Good News of Christ.

“Come, follow me, and I will make you fishers of men.”

— Matthew 4:19

These words of Jesus remind us that He continues to call people to follow Him in different ways. Among those called are men who may be discerning a vocation to the diocesan priesthood.

How Can We Help?

As a parish community, we can help to foster a culture of vocation by:

- Praying for those discerning God's call to priesthood and for an increase in vocations.
- Encouraging young people and men of all ages to be open to where God may be leading them.
- Supporting those who are exploring a possible vocation, offering them understanding, prayer and encouragement.
- Living our own baptismal calling with faith and generosity, inspiring others by our example.

Mission Month Online Talk

The Diocese of Kerry invites you to an online talk, One in Christ, United in Mission, with Fr Michael Kelly, Director of Missio Ireland, and Miriam Hanlon from Asdee, who volunteered in East Africa. They will share their mission experiences and reflect on why it matters today. Thursday 15 October at 7.30 pm. To register, visit dioceseofkerry.ie

Dromid Christmas Market 2026

We're delighted to announce that Dromid Christmas Market will take place on: Saturday, 28th November, 12pm – 4pm, Dromid V23 RK10 We'd love to welcome local makers, crafters, bakers, food producers and small businesses to join us for a festive afternoon. Tables are €15 each. If you'd like to book a table, please get in touch with Niamh on 087 294 4855

The Diocesan Collection for Mission Sunday

Will take place after Holy Communion at all Masses
on the weekend of 17th/18th October.

Irish Synodal Pathway – Have Your Say

The Irish Synodal Pathway has published its working document, “Is This Not What God Asks of You?”, reflecting on the synodal journey since 2020 and proposing five pathways for the Irish Church.

These proposals will be considered at the National Synodal Assembly in Gormanstown, Co. Meath, on 17th October.

The Diocese of Kerry invites parishioners to prayerfully read the document and share their views with the Kerry delegation. All submissions will help inform the delegation's participation at the Assembly. Please visit www.dioceseofkerry.ie to read the document & submit your response using the diocesan form online before 5pm on Tuesday, 13th October.

Feast of St Carlo Acutis – Evening of Prayer

Oratory of Divine Mercy

Monday 12th October 7.00pm

The evening will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, the Rosary, Holy Mass and will conclude with Eucharistic Healing. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available, with Confessions in the Sacristy.

Inspired by St Carlo's deep love for Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, come and join us for an evening of prayer, healing and spiritual renewal.

All are most welcome!



Knitted Bible Project

A sincere thank you to everyone who visited St. Finian's to see The Knitted Bible. We hope you enjoyed this unique and beautiful display.

We are especially grateful to the wonderful knitters from the Church of the Resurrection, Blarney, who lovingly created this special collection. A special thank you to Kathleen, Judith, Teresa, Linda and Eileen, who helped put the display together and made this occasion so special.



Youth Ministry in the Diocese of Kerry

The Diocesan *Springs of Hope Newsletter* is now available to view. The Newsletter provides a colourful and interesting look at some of the exciting things happening within the Diocese of Kerry in the area of Youth Ministry and the people involved. So, grab a cuppa and have a read! You can either access this QR Code or go directly to www.dioceseofkerry.ie and find it under Youth Ministry.

Your Support to the Parish

Offertory Collection: €1085.00

Sincere appreciation to our parishoners and vistors of our Parish for your continued suport.

The Gift of Ministry - October

Sacristans: Angela Hallissey.

Trish McLintock

Church Cleaning:

Cillin Liath: Eimear Murphy

St Finian's: Joan O Shea & Mary Clifford

Oratory: Margaret Sheehan & Breda Foley

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Cillin Liath: Mary J O Sullivan

St Finian's: Bridie Moran

Readers 10th/11th October

Cillin Liath: Michael Ryan

St Finian's: Family

Readers 17th/18th October

Cillin Liath: Suzanne Leary

St Finian's: Shivaun O'Shea

Sanctuary Candle

10th - 17th October 2026

St Finian's - For our recently deceased

Cillin Liath - Special Intentions

Oratory - Maura Lucey, Anniversary

If you wish to include loved ones (living/deceased), contact Anne in the Parish Office.

Tide Times for Ballinskelligs

+ 5 mins for Westcove

11.10.26	05.14 high	11.30 low	17.34 high	23.48 low
12.10.26	05.53 high	12.06 low	18.09 high	
13.10.26	00.23 low	06.27 high	12.39 low	18.43 high
14.10.26	00.57 low	07.02 high	13.12 low	19.16 high
15.10.26	01.30 low	07.37 high	13.48 low	19.51 high
16.10.26	02.06 low	08.17 high	14.27 low	20.31 high
17.10.26	02.47 low	09.03 high	15.16low	22.17 high

Pray with us Online

Our Lady of the Valley, Cillin Liath

www.churchmedia.tv/cillinliath

St Finian's, Waterville

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