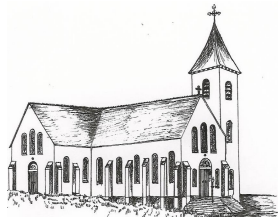
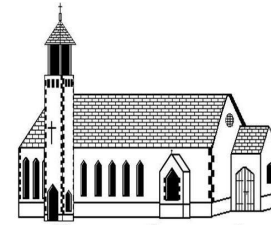


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# Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter



*A man who wants to lead  
the orchestra must turn  
his back to the crowd*

Feast of SS Peter & Paul - (A) 29th June 2014

## Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sat 8.00: Petie McWade, Mill Road  
Fri 8.00: Jim/Maureen Kane & Dfm, Currabawn  
Sat 8.00: Dan Cullen, Brucklagh  
Sun 11.00: Annie McKenna, Cloonmacart

## Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Pat McNamee, Kiltycreevagh  
Sun 10.00: Thomas & Elizabeth Heaney

*Note: Adoration & Confessions after Friday Mass.*

## Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Mary Ross  
Sun: Elizabeth Devlin

Communion Sat: Joe Caldwell  
Sun: Sr. Kathleen Duffy

## Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Adrian Lennon  
Communion Sun: Cora McKenna

## Money Matters

Drumlish p1820, Ballinamuck p380

## Bingo

Don't forget **Bingo** every Tuesday in the 98 Hall Ballinamuck at 8.30. p1300.00 in prize fund.

## Thanks

Paddy & Mary Gillooley thank you for your kind donations & to all who helped at the Garden Day for Karl Forde-Galvin Fund. Amount raised p1720.

## First Friday

Next Friday is the first Friday. The sick and housebound will be attended.

## Trocaire Visit the Area

Trocaire's door-to-door fundraisers will be in this area for a couple of days during July/August. The fund raisers are clearly identifiable as they will be wearing a blue branded Trocaire jacket and will be carrying photo ID. The purpose of the visit is to raise awareness of the work Trocaire does among the poorest in Africa, Asia and Latin America and to ask people if they would be willing to support Trocaire with a monthly direct debit. Web: www.trocaire.org

## Cemetery Collection - Cemetery Sunday

Drumlish Cemetery Ltd would like to thank everyone attended Cemetery Sunday and who generously supported our Annual Collection raising a total of p2,251.00. Thanking you again for your continued support.

## Monaduff Social Club

The next get together will be held on Saturday, 5th July in Monaduff from 3p to 5 p.m. People who wish to travel to Youghal on 1st September to 5th September are requested to come to the social day and get all the details.

## Ballinamuck Tidy Towns

Thank to all who helped in the recent clean up, including some new faces. Keep up the good work as our French visitors are arriving soon and judging can take place any time. If everyone could keep this in mind with regard to litter / keeping our own areas in good order etc it would be much appreciated. Work is ongoing keep an eye out here and on our Facebook page!

## Work for You

Work4You was developed by Acquired Brain Injury Ireland and it provides a free vocational assessment service for individuals who have an acquired brain injury and would like assistance and guidance in returning to work, training or education. It is free to anyone with an acquired brain injury and in receipt of a payment from the Dept. of Social Protection. Work4You are holding a Pop-Up Information Stand in Drumlish Library on Monday 7th July 2014 between 10.30am to 12.30pm

## Longford ICA

Longford ICA have organised a Craft Fair and Floral Display in the Temperance Hall, Longford on Saturday July 5th from 10am to 5pm. There will be demonstrations in butter making, basket weaving, patchwork, quilting and many more. Tea and refreshments will be served. Admission is free. This promises to be a great event so put a note in your diary.

## Youth 2000 Summer Festival

Youth 2000 Summer Festival, Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary from Thursday 14th to Sunday 17th August. For young people aged 16 to 35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new people. This festival has been nicknamed the 'Holy Oxygen' with over 1000 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. The festival is donation only. Free buses available from towns throughout Ireland. For more information and to book on line: phone 016753690 or visit: www.youth2000.ie See poster at back of the Church.



*Live your life  
in a manner  
worthy of the  
gospel of  
Christ.*

Phil 1:27

## Faith in Focus: Peter & Paul



The pages of the four gospels clearly show Peter to be the leader of the apostles, chosen by Jesus to have a special relationship with him. With James and John he was privileged to witness events like the Transfiguration and the agony in Gethsemane.

His mother-in-law was cured by Jesus. He was sent with John to prepare for the last Passover before Jesus' death. His name is first on every list of apostles. But the Gospels also include some unflattering details about Peter. He clearly was no public relations person. It's a great comfort for us ordinary mortals to know that Peter also has his human weakness, even in the presence of Jesus. Paul converted to Christianity after being its persecutor. His central conviction was simple and absolute: only God can save humanity. No human effort even the most scrupulous observance of law can create a human good which we can bring to God as reparation for sin or payment for grace. To be saved from itself, from sin, from the devil and from death, humanity must open itself completely to the saving power of Jesus.

Today we celebrate two great saints who are proof that God can work through anybody. We have St. Peter, a brash, thick-headed fisherman, inclined to say whatever popped into his head without thinking, and St. Paul, that well educated Pharisee who persecuted the Church, later becoming its great champion. Both helped to spread the faith of the early Church, following in the footsteps of Christ. That these two extremes could allow the Holy Spirit to work through them is certainly proof that God can work through each of us, as long as we are willing to answer God's call.