Mass Intentions—St. Mary’s
Sun 12.00: Louise McKeon nee McGann
Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo
Fri 8.00: Dan Cullen, MM, Brucklagh
Sat 8.00: Michael/Helen Jordan, Cloncowley
Sun 12.00: Pat/Jane Quinn, Kilnashee

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick’s
Sun 10.30: Michael McKenna
Fri 7.30: Patricia Whitney
Sun 10.30: John Joe/Margaret Donnelly

Ministries—St. Mary’s Drumlish
Readers Sat: Kathleen Kelleher
Sun: Dolores Kane
Eucharist Sat: Bernadette Noonan
Sun: Ann Davis

Ministries—St. Patrick’s Ballinamuck
Readers Sun: Kay Culliney
Eucharist Sun: Mary Lillis

Offertory Collection
Drumlish: €450, Peter’s Pence €60;
Ballinamuck: €534, Peter’s Pence €71

Irish Kidney Association
The Longford branch of the Irish Kidney Association hold their church gate collection next weekend - 4th & 5th August. Please support.

Irish Wheelchair Association
The Irish Wheelchair Association Church Gate collection will take place this weekend 28th and 29th July. Please support.

Public Meeting This Saturday Evening
There is a site available for purchase to extend the New Cemetery in Drumlish. A Public Meeting will be held after Mass this evening, 28th July at 9:00pm sharp in the Community Centre. A decision has to be made to purchase or not to purchase at this meeting, due to the urgent need in acquiring additional cemetery ground. There are currently less than twenty single graves (not plots) left in the existing cemetery which opened in 1954. Once these graves are gone it will mean having to go to whatever other council cemetery is available at the time. This is likely to happen within the next year. Your attendance at this meeting is important.

Marriage
Congratulations and best wishes to Brean Kane, Drumlish and Rachel Walsh, Granard who were married this week.

Monaduff Social Club
There are seats available for the overnight stay in Galway on Sunday 9th September. If you are interested in coming, please contact any committee member. The cost is €150. A committee meeting will be held on Monday, 13th August at 8 p.m.

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

Run for Rosaleen
The McNally Family would like to sincerely thank everyone to sponsored them in their recent fundraising run ‘Run for Rosaleen’ with Ray Durcan. The family raised over €5000.00 for St James Hospital ICU department where their beloved wife and mother Rosaleen died suddenly last year. Thank you also to all the local business for their support which is greatly appreciated.

Ballinamuck ICA
There will be a meeting of the Guild this Monday night July 30th at 8.30pm in the Visitors Centre, Ballinamuck. The Guild express their sympathy to Anna May McNamee, Guild President, at the death of her brother Sean. All members are asked to attend.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock
The diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Sunday 2nd September. Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm with anointing of the sick and Mass will be celebrated at 3.00pm

Death
Pray for the repose of the soul of Sean Mulleady whose funeral took place during the week. May he rest in peace.

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Bread and Wine
Be gentle when you touch bread,
Let it not be uncared for, unwanted.
So often bread is taken for granted.
There is so much beauty in bread,
Beauty of sun and soil,
Beauty of patient toil.
Winds and rain have caressed it,
Christ often blessed it,
Be gentle when you touch bread.

Be loving when you drink wine,
So freely received and joyfully shared
In the spirit of Him who cared;
Warms as a flowing river,
Shining as clear as the sun,
Deep as the soil
Of human toil,
Christ often blessed it;
Be gentle when you touch bread.

Be loving when you drink wine,
So greatly received and joyfully shared
In the spirit of Him who cared;
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