

## Parish Masses / Anniversaries / Other Events:

### Carrigallen (Week commencing Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024):

**Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> May 11.15 am** – Dympna Morrow, Beaghbeg (**First Anniv. Mass**).

**Mon. 27<sup>th</sup> May 10.00 am** – Mass of the Day.

**Tues. 28<sup>th</sup> May 7.30 pm** – Frank Maguire, Drumderglin & D.F.M's.

**Wed. 29<sup>th</sup> May 7.30 pm** – Missa Pro Populo.

**Fri. 31<sup>st</sup> May 7.30 pm** – Ellen K. Egan, New Jersey/Mullinadaragh (**M.M. Mass**)

**Sat. 01<sup>st</sup> June 12 noon** – Francie Mc Gee, London/Aughavore & D.F.M's.

**Sun. 02<sup>nd</sup> June 11.15 am** – Larry & Maureen Williams, Cloncorrick.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Tues. 6.30 pm – 7.30 pm & Wed. 10.30 am to 11.30 am.

### Drumeela (Week commencing Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024):

**Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> May 10.00 am** – Tim & Nora Mc Cabe, Corracar,  
Sheila Kiernan, Newtowngore and dec'd family members.

**Sun. 02<sup>nd</sup> June 10.00 am** – Solemnity of Corpus Christi.

### Drumreilly (Week commencing Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2024):

**Sat. 25<sup>th</sup> May 8.00 pm** – Patrick & Molly Fee, Mullaghboy.

**Thurs. 30<sup>th</sup> May 7.30 pm** – Mass of the Day.

**Sat. 01<sup>st</sup> June 8.00 pm** – John & Sissy Mitchell, Kinkeen.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Tuesday evenings from 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

CHURCH AREA	OFFERTORY COLLECTION W/E 18 <sup>th</sup> /19 <sup>th</sup> MAY 2024
Carrigallen	€837 (€127 Returns from Killeshandra)
Drumeela	€240
Drumreilly	€292

#### A Thought for the Week

You can't control the cards life deals you, but you can control how you decide to play them.

### Feast Days / Memorials this Week (27<sup>th</sup> May – 01<sup>st</sup> June)

**Mon** – St. Augustine of Canterbury. **Tues.** – St. Podius of Florence.

**Wed.** – St. Cummain of Dal Buinne (Co. Down). **Thur.** – St. Joan of Arc.

**Fri.** – The Visitation of the B.V.M. **Sat.** – St. Justin of the Holy Land.

**GROW IN LOVE:** The final Mass for parents and First Communion children as part of the "Grow in Love" programme will be celebrated on **Sun. next 2<sup>nd</sup> June** (Feast of Corpus Christi) at 10.00 am in St. Mary's, Drumeela and at 11.15 am in St. Mary's, Carrigallen.

**RELIGIOUS SISTERS FROM ST. ELISABETH CONVENT IN BELARUS** will be visiting St. Mary's Church, Carrigallen on this **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00 am**. They will create a small stall of their icons and crafts and invite donations to help them in their ministry of providing spiritual and social help to the sick and suffering people. Their work includes the homeless, orphans, drugs & alcohol addicts, ex-prisoners & the poor. Your support will be very much appreciated.

**RECENT MARRIAGE:** Our congratulations and best wishes for future happiness to Michelle Reynolds, Scoil Mhuire Naofa, Carrigallen & Fergal Early, Aughnasheelin who received the Sacrament of Marriage in St. Joseph's Church, Aughavas on Sat. 25<sup>th</sup> May.

**ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY - KNOCK - JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup>:** The day begins with a Marian Conference at 9.30 am in St. John's Centre. Speakers include: Fr. Michael Donnelly, Sr. Ana Margarita Lanzas SCTJM and Fr. Joseph Maria Deane CFR. Then there will be an opportunity to meet over 20 apostolates from around Ireland from 11.30 am in St John's Centre. A well-renowned speaker from Miami called Mother Adela Galindo will deliver the keynote Rosary talk at 1.00 pm in the Basilica. Then there will be the Stations of the Cross outside at 2.00 pm followed by the Rosary Procession. Bishop Phonsie Cullinan will be the Main Celebrant of the 3.00 pm Concelebrated Mass which will include Anointing of the Sick. Confessions are available all day, and there will be rosary and scapular-making workshops in the marquee. Book bus by Ph/text to Monica Tuite on 086-8281727 or Donoghues on 087-258 6738.

**LOUGH DERG** three-day traditional prayer, fasting and all-night vigil retreats start on this Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024 and continue until Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2024. Admission is €80 and booking is advised. Concessions for students, seniors and groups. Contact 071-9861515 or visit [www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org) or email: [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

**ON THE MOVE - A HIGHER CALLING:** Join Focus Ireland's iconic climbs and help us to raise vital funds to support those experiencing homelessness in our communities. Our Carruntoohil hike takes place on 15<sup>th</sup> June and on Croagh Patrick on 16<sup>th</sup> June. Alternatively, organise your own hiking challenge with your family or friends. Contact Niamh on 087-489 1974 or email [events@focusireland.ie](mailto:events@focusireland.ie)

**USED CLOTHES COLLECTION** in aid of St. Mary's N.S. Drumlea/Drumreilly is now being held. Please drop bagged clothing into the school or inside the school gates on or before this **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024**. Thank you.

**FUNDRAISING BAKE SALE** for St. Mary's N.S. Drumlea/Drumreilly will take place on **Bank Holiday Mon. 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024 from 2.30 pm** at the Comboys & Heroes event, Drumcoura Lake Resort. All donations welcome - homemade or bought and products can be handed into the school on or before **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May** or brought to Drumcoura on the Monday. Please support this fundraiser for your local National School.

**DRUMREILLY ACTIVE AGE GROUP:** We hold our meetings in the Community Centre on Wednesdays starting at 8.30 pm. Various activities including gentle exercise. Refreshments served and new members always welcome.

**WEEKLY PARISH BINGO** on Friday nights in Drumreilly Community Centre at 8.30 pm sharp. Over €1,000 in prizes plus a raffle. Extra raffle prizes this Friday for long weekend.

**CARRIGALLEN CLUB ON-LINE LOTTO:** Jackpot capped at **€20,000** until won. **4** lucky dip prizes of **€50** if not won. Extra prize for holders of "weekly recurring tickets". Click on "Automatically Renew Purchase" at checkout. Draw this Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May on our Facebook Page. Tickets: <https://member.clubspot.app/c.../carrigallen-gaa/lotto/tickets>

**DRUMREILLY GAA** are holding a Club Development Draw. First Prize €3,000. Second Prize €1,000. Ten x €100 prizes. Tickets €20 each or book of 3 for €50. The draw will take place on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2024** in Drumcoura Lake Resort. Music on the night and tickets are available from all Club members and players. All support appreciated.

**CARRIGALLEN G.A.A. HEALTHY CLUB:** Ladies Gentle Exercise Classes on Mondays in the G.A.A. Clubrooms at 11.00 am. Social Cuppa and a chat afterwards. All welcome.

**THE IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE:** Donations will be accepted at the Bush Hotel, Carrick-on-Shannon on this **Tuesday and Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> May from 15.50 pm to 20.10 pm daily**. Please ring 1 800 222 111 for an appointment, with your donor ID number if an existing donor. All blood groups needed especially O, A and B which are running low at the moment. New donors welcome and should ring 1 800 731137 to register. Give blood and save a life. Thank you.

**ACCORD CATHOLIC MARRIAGE CARE SERVICE CLG** is currently recruiting volunteers to train as marriage preparation programme facilitators. If you:

- are supportive of marriage in the Catholic Church; and,
- have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team that supports couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage... then Accord wishes to hear from you!

An Accord marriage preparation facilitator is a personally fulfilling leadership role, blending life experience and faith. Successful applicants will receive professional training and be part of a team delivering marriage preparation programmes locally. Contact Aisling on 01 505 3112 or by email to [marriagepreparation@accord.ie](mailto:marriagepreparation@accord.ie) and for further information see [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie)

#### DAILY PRAYER TO OUR LADY

Take my hand, O Blessed Mother and hold me firmly lest I fall.  
I am nervous when I am walking and to thee, I humbly call.  
Guide me over every crossing, watch me when I'm on the stairs,  
let me know you are beside me and listen to my fervent prayer.  
Bring me to my destination, safely every day,  
help me with each undertaking as the hours pass away.  
And when evening falls upon us and I fear to be alone,  
take my hand, O Blessed Mother, once again and lead me home.

**Priest Phone Numbers:** Fr. John Mc Mahon **433 9610 / Mob. 086-2126582.**

**Parish Cluster:** Fr. Seán Mawn, Ballinamore **071-9644039 or 087-6869040;**

Fr. Andrew Tully, Killeshandra **049-4334179 or 086-8050526;**

Fr. Peter Tiernan, Cloone/Aughavas **071-9636016 or 086-3500114.**

**Parish Website:** [www.carrigallenparish.ie](http://www.carrigallenparish.ie) The Parish Newsletter is uploaded to the site each weekend & you will also find a link to the daily livestreamed Masses from Carrigallen.

**Parish Newsletter:** It promotes Church, Voluntary and Community events. Newsletter articles must state author's name & phone number & can be written into one of the church diaries before **5.00 pm or Wednesdays** or emailed to [carrigallen@kilmorediocese.ie](mailto:carrigallen@kilmorediocese.ie) by **12 noon on Fridays**. The editors reserve the right to omit or amend articles.

**Donate to your local Church online:** Visit [www.kilmorediocese.ie](http://www.kilmorediocese.ie) click on donate and choose Carrigallen Parish. In the 'message box', indicate which Church Area (*Carrigallen or Drumeela or Drumreilly*) you wish your contribution to be forwarded to. Thank you.

# Parish Newsletter

## St. Mary's Parish

Carrigallen – Drumeela – Drumreilly

26<sup>th</sup> May 2024 – Holy Trinity Sunday - Year B



Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, three persons, one God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. The Holy Trinity is one of the great mysteries of our Christian faith. Through this mystery we are created and loved by God, liberated and saved by Jesus and encouraged and strengthened by the Holy Spirit.

The Trinity is an integral part of our daily lives. At the start of our lives we are baptised in the name of the Trinity. Every time we make the sign of the cross, we are calling on the power and presence of the Trinity to come into our lives. We are doing the same when we pray the *Glory be to the Father.....* Every Mass starts with the Trinity as we bless ourselves and at the end of Mass, we are blessed in the name of the Trinity.

All glory to the Father be, All glory to the Son, All glory to the Spirit,--  
Three in power and Godhead One.

**The Trinity Prayer:** Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, the Three in One and One in Three, bound together in one eternity of love. We worship you God the creator of all things. We praise you Christ our redeemer and friend. We give you thanks Holy Spirit, our strength and guide. To you, be all praise, honour and glory today and forevermore. Amen.