Newsletter for the Parish of Dromod

23rd November, 2025

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

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DROMOD PARISH:

Mass intentions from Saturday 22nd November to Sunday 30th November 2025

Saturday 22nd November

7:30pm: Cillin Liath

+Connie Murphy, Anniversary.

Sunday 23rd November

10.00am: St. Finian's

- +Vincent & Dawn O' Sullivan.
- +Mary McInerney, Spunkane.

Blessing of the Graves-Dromod:2pm & St Finian's 3pm

Monday 24th November

10:00am: Oratory + Special Intention

Wednesday 26th November

10:00am: Oratory + William Santiz, London

Friday 28th November

10.00am: Oratory

Donal & Catherine O'Donovan, Dunmanway

Saturday 29th November

7:30pm: Cillin Liath Vigil: 1st Sunday of Advent

S.N Cillin Liath Enrolment Mass

+ Michael O'Sullivan, Kilmakerin Anniversary

Sunday 30th November

10.00am: St. Finian's 1st Sunday of Advent

St Finian's N.S Enrolment Mass

- + Bernadette and Bill Mandefield, Murreigh and Molly Fogarty Murreigh
- + James Joseph Sugrue, Coomastow and the UK
- + Willie O'Sullivan, Scariff, Anniversary

Dates for the Diary

Michael English Concert: Dec 4th 8pm in the O' Connell Memorial Church, Cahersiveen. Tickets €25 available at the Parish Office or Eventbrite.

Classical Concert: Harpist Emmanuel Ceysson will be joined by Irish soprano Sarah Shine: Friday 28th Nov 7:30pm in St Michael's Church, Waterville. Tickets on Eventbrite.

Piarsaigh na Dromoda Annual Bazaar: Saturday 20th December at the Inny Tavern at 8:30pm. Anyone wishing to donate a prize is welcome to bring it along on the night.

Christmas Market: Waterville Community Centre will hold a Christmas Market on Sunday December 14th from 1pm-4pm at the Waterville Community Centre. A lovely opportunity to get some lovely Christmas gifts & foods.

CAHERDANIEL PARISH:

Mass intentions from Saturday 15th November to Sunday 23rd November 2025

Saturday 22nd November

6:00pm: Castlecove +Harry O' Shea, Killeen. Anniversary Sunday 23rd November

9.30am: Caherdaniel

The Faith Communities of our Parish include:

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

- +Ita Corridon, Anniversary
- +Maureen & Patrick Moriarty, Bunavalla, Anniversary
- +Michael & Mary O' Connor, Ballycarnahan & all deceased members of the O' Connor Families.

Thursday 27th November

10.00am: Caherdaniel

+ Michael Connell, Patrick Clifford, Donal Connor, Monica Milner

Friday 28th November

12.30pm: Caherdaniel

Wedding, Anna O'Neill, Matthew Curtin 7.30pm: Parish Volunteer Appreciation Night

Saturday 29th November

6:00pm: Lohar Vigil 1st Sunday of Advent

+ Special Get-Well Intentions

Sunday 30th November

9.30am: Caherdaniel 1st Sunday of Advent

+ Patsy O'Sullivan, Coomnahorna, 1st Anniversary and his recently deceased brother John O'Sullivan, Coomnahorna and London and all deceased members of the O'Sullivan family.

Dromod Christmas Community Party

Sunday 7th December in the Inny Tavern hosted by Dromod ICA. Mass at 2pm followed by lunch. Spot prizes & novelties & music by Neilie O' Donnell. All are welcome. For transport contact: Rita 087 2029137 Catherine 087 0507399.



Sanctuary Candle Remembrance

If you would like to remember loved ones, either living or deceased, feel free to contact Anne in the Parish Office. For any occasions: birthdays, weddings, family living away from home, or a prayerful remembrance for those no longer with us and have gone to their eternal reward can be made.



"A Rí and Domhnaigh - King of Sunday

This Sunday, as we celebrate the great feast of Christ the King, we are invited into the heart of our faith through the words of a beautiful hymn by **Tomás Rua Ó Súilleabháin (1785-1848)**. As a young student in Dublin, Tomás Rua became gravely ill and was brought to the fever hospital on Cork Street. In his fear and loneliness, he wrote a moving plea to Jesus, Mary, and St Brigid, finding in the first signs of spring a promise of hope, healing, and new beginnings.

We, too, as a parish community, stand at the threshold of hope as we prepare to enter a new liturgical year. On this Solemnity, we turn our hearts once more to Jesus Christ, King of the Universe—the One who guides our days, strengthens our steps, and gently reigns over every moment of our lives. He is not only King of Sunday, but truly **Rí** na Seachtaine—our King each day of the week.



May we never forget that we are sons and daughters of a King. As we honour Christ's gentle and life-giving kingship, let us joyfully accept His royal invitation: to follow Him, to trust Him, and to allow His love to shape our lives.

"A Rí an Domhnaigh, tar led chabhair chugam Is tóg in am ón bpéin mé."

"O King of Sunday, come to me with help, And take me away from pain."

First Holy Communion Enrolment Masses

S.N Cillin Liath Saturday 29th November @7:30pm Our Lady of the Valley Church

St Finian's N.S: Sunday 30th September @10:00am St Finian's Church

Looking forward to welcoming our 1st Holy Communion children to masses next weekend.

In Loving Memory

Teresa Walsh nee Fitzgerald, Tororeens, Glenmore
Anne Rego nee King O'Shea, Beenbane & Bermuda
& For all our dear loved ones during the
Month of the Holy Souls.

May they rest gently

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance

5at 22nd - Sat 29th November

St Finian's

Tom Murphy and the O'Shea family

Cillin Liath

Christopher O'Connor R.I.P

The Oratory

Mary Mannion, Anniversary

Beneath the quiet glow of the sanctuary light, we lift our hearts in prayerful remembrance.

In its gentle flame, the love of those we hold dear burns on with sacred warmth.

Tide times for Ballinskelligs Bay +05mins for Westcove

23.11.25	05.39 high	11.44 low	17.49 high	
24.11.25	00.01 low	06.19 high	12.26 low	18.29 high
25.11.25	00.46 low	07.03 high	13.13 low	19.15 high
26.11.25	01.36 low	07.54 high	14.07 low	20.09 high
27.11.25	02.36 low	08.52 high	15.09 low	21.12 high
28.11.25	03.43 low	09.58 high	16.16 low	22.22 high
29.11.25	04.47 low	11.01 high	17.18 low	23.23 low

Last Week's Collections Offertory €1,465.00

Sincere thanks to all our parishioners for your continued generosity to the **offertory collection**. Your faithful support sustains the life and mission of our parish each week, and we are deeply grateful.

MINISTRIES FOR NOVEMBER

Sacristan: Angela Hallissey,

Mary Jo Fitzpatrick/Eileen Brophy

Church Cleaning:

Cillín Liath: Marie O'Connor/Noreen O'Sullivan St. Finian's: Bernie O'Sullivan/Noreen O'Shea

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Cillín Liath: Marie O'Sullivan
St. Finian's: Catherine Walsh
Readers 22nd/23rd November
Cillin Liath: Marie O' Sullivan
St. Finian's: Mary Maguire
Readers 29th/30th November
Cillin Liath: Michael Ryan

St. Finian's: Anita Galvin