



DUAGH & LYREACROMPANE

PARISH NEWSLETTER

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 19th JULY 2026

PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr Anthony O Sullivan 087 2461749

MASSES IN ST BRIGID'S CHURCH DUAGH

Sunday July 19th @ 11:30 am - Fr Brendan Walsh

Sunday July 26th @ 11:30 am - Fr Brendan Carmody

Patricia (Pat) Heaphey, Foildarrig (*Months Mind*)

Christy and Mai Hickey, Knockalougha (*Anniversary Mass*)

Moss Gaire, The Village (*Anniversary Mass*) also remembering his sister Margaret

Paddy Stack, Pilgrim Hill, Kilmorna (*Anniversary Mass*)

John Sheehan, Templeathea (*Anniversary Mass*)

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Takes place each Friday in Duagh Church from 3.00 p.m. in the afternoon. Public Rosary starts at 6.00 p.m.

WELCOME TO FR. BRENDAN WALSH AS OUR NEW MODERATOR OF

DUAGH / LYRE: In the recent Diocesan changes which take effect this weekend, Bishop Ray announced that he has appointed Fr. Brendan Walsh: Parish Priest of Moyvane / Knockanure as the new Moderator of Duagh / Lyre. This simply means that is he the non-resident Parish Priest in charge of our Parish. He will be assisted and work in cooperation with the two other priests of Listowel Pastoral Area – Fr. Declan, Listowel 068-21188 & Fr. Anthony Lixnaw P.P. Lixnaw/ Irremore & Rathea 066- 7132111. All three priests will be available to cover our masses & administer the sacraments. Fr. Brendan replaces Fr. Declan who has been Moderator in his native Parish since the death of the late Fr. Pat Moore in 2017. He continues to recover after his recent illness and will return as Parish Priest of Listowel & V.F. of Listowel Pastoral Area as soon as he is well enough. We thank him for his dedicated service to our Parish since then, and he will continue to work in cooperation with Fr., Brendan & Fr. Anthony as part of the team serving our Parish. Fr. Brendan can be contacted personally at 087 791 3271 or Moyvane 068-49308. We are also very grateful for the support and help that we get from Fr. Brendan Carmody retired Jesuit Priest currently residing in Listowel at the moment. We thank our parishioners for the great support that you give to your priests. Much appreciated.

Parish Office – Duagh & Lyreacrompane, Tel: 068 45102. Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 10.00am - 1.00pm. Email: duagh@dioceseofkerry.ie Parish Moderator: Fr. Brendan Walsh 087-7913271



MASSES IN SACRED HEART CHURCH LYREACROMPANE

Sunday July 26th @ 09:30 am – Fr Tom McElligott

Nora Carmody and her husband Christy, Lyre (*Anniversary Mass*)

Next Mass will be held on August 9th @ 09:30 am

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR DUAGH / LYRE PARISH 2025: This weekend we publish the *Annual Financial Report* of income and expenditure for the past year ending on December 2025. Our Parish Financial Council wish to thank you for your support and help throughout the past year. We would not be healthy financially without your support. Also, we would also like to acknowledge and thank *Duagh Family Centre* and their Management who fund our Parish *Secretary Caroline* who provides a fabulous professional service always with a smile. We are fortunate to have so many good people who give of their services voluntarily - be it in our sacristies in both churches – and at the Presbytery - Looking after the cleaning & maintaining the church grounds etc. It is a credit to you all. Well done. Much appreciated. *Fr. Declan*

DUAGH ANNUAL CEMETERY MASS: Our *Annual CEMETERY MASS* will be held at Springmount Cemetery on this coming *Thursday 23rd July at 8pm* with Fr Brendan Walsh. To ensure ease of access, a traffic control plan will be in place, please park responsibly and we would really appreciate your co-operation with the stewards on duty. A shuttle bus service will operate from the Sports Complex. Mass attendees are encouraged to use the ample parking in the village and to avail of this free service to reduce traffic congestion near the cemetery.

PARISH NEWSLETTER: Any Notices for our Parish Newsletter please contact the office by phone or email before Wednesday 12.00 noon. All mass intentions must be booked at least a week in advance as the newsletter is a week ahead. Thanks.