

Dromtariffe Parish Newsletter



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**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year A
Sunday 16th August 2026**

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Pastoral Area

Priest on Duty Sunday 16th August

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Priest on Duty Sunday 23rd August

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Eucharistic Adoration

Monday in Derrinagree Church for one hour, **11am to 12noon** and Wednesday in Dromagh Church for one hour, **11am to 12noon**.
Come & pray for a while. All welcome. No weekly commitment.

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS WEEK BEGINNING 15th August 2026

Day	Church	Time	Intention
Saturday	Derrinagree	7.30pm	Kitty & Jimmy Mullane, Nancy & Jimmy Casserley and their sons J.J. & John, John and Kathleen Cronin and their son Gerald Teresa Twomey, Rathcoole
Sunday	Dromagh	10.00am	Dan O'Regan, Dromagh

Weekend 22nd/23rd August

Saturday	Derrinagree	7.30pm	Dermot O'Flynn, Gurteen and Michelle Jamet, France
Sunday	Dromagh	10.00am	John & Kathleen Healy, Coolclough and Kathleen's brother Cornelius Duggan Patrick Moynihan, Dysert

- **The Parish Office** will be open on Monday from 9am – 12 noon and will be then closed until Wednesday 26th August and will be back to the normal working hours of 1 – 4pm on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays. While I am away, the Parish Mobile Phone will be checked regularly for calls and messages.
- **Our annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place on Saturday 22nd August. The cost is €35 per person, please contact our Parish office to reserve a seat. Bus will leave from Millstreet Church at 6.30a.m. with pick-ups in Ballydaly, Cullen and Clonbanin on the way. There will be a stop O'Sullivan's Gort for breakfast at 10.00a.m. (approx.) and expected time of arrival in Knock @ 11.30am. Bus will depart Knock @ 4.30pm stopping at O'Sullivan's Gort on the journey home.
- **MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND (2–4 OCT 2026)** Marriage Encounter Ireland invites married couples to a residential Weekend from Friday 2nd to Sunday 4th October 2026 at the "Focolare Centre" "Curryhills", Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Step away from daily distractions to deepen your communication, renew your love, and rediscover the joy of your marriage.
www.marriageencounter.ie
- **EMPOWER Cumasú Programme - applications are now open.** Are you a female living in the Gaeltacht looking to start or grow your own business? Whether it's food, farming, crafts or a service business, we want to hear from you. Apply now: <https://empowerprogramme.ie/> Places are limited. The closing date for applications is 5:00PM on Friday, 4th September 2026. Further information: 091 742851 / michelle.lee@atu.ie
- **Life in the Spirit Seminars** in Millstreet Parish Centre (adjoining the back of St. Patrick's Church, West End, Millstreet) **6 Fridays** – Septembers 4th, 11th, 18th 25th & October 2nd & 9th 8pm – 9.30pm presented by MIR Ministries. For information, contact 087 6771724.
- **Dromtariffe Parish Hall** A public brainstorming meeting on ideas and activities people might like to see in the hall will be held on 19th August at 7.30pm in Dromtariffe Parish Hall. All welcome.
- **BUTTER ROAD CAMINO** Millstreet Community School's Transition Year Students are embarking on the epic 117 km BUTTER ROAD CAMINO from Listowel to the Cork Butter Market Museum on the old Butter Road from Thurs Aug 20th – Mon 24th on behalf of Breakthrough Cancer Research in Cork & the Mellon Educate in South Africa. Thurs 20th Listowel to Castleisland / Friday 21st Castleisland to Rathmore /Saturday 22nd Millstreet to Kerryman's Table / Sunday 23rd Kerryman's Table to Tower / Monday 24th Tower to The Butter Market Museum Cork. The students' target is to raise €100,000 for Breakthrough Cancer Research & Mellon Educate. They invite you to join them on the walk, encourage them on the route & we would be very grateful for contributions to [idonate/fundraiser/butterroadcamino](https://www.donate.com/butterroadcamino). Track our journey & follow our butterroadcamino on facebook & Instagram.
- **Duhallow Choral Society** resumes rehearsals on Tuesday 1st September at 7pm in An Culturlann, Newmarket. New members are welcome, especially male voices. Free, no obligation taster nights on 01st & 08th September with no obligation to join. Contact Gloria on 0879638911 or email duhallowchoralsociety@gmail.com
- **The Annual Collection** for Millstreet Community Hospital fundraising will take place on Saturday next the 22nd August 2026, before the Vigil Mass in Derrinagree. Your support would be greatly appreciated.