

# ST. MARY'S, WESTPORT & DRUMMIN, ST. PATRICK'S LECANVEY

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PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEK **FR. JOHN KENNY 098 28871**

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, READERS

Assisting in the Liturgy on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28th January Team A

6.30p.m. Saturday	Ann-Marie Campion	Gertie Foley
11.00 am. Sunday	Josephine Mc Greal	Patrick Durcan

## READER DRUMMIN:

Sun. 21st Jan.	Gretta Carr	9.30p.m.
Sun 28th Jan	Stella Garrivan	9.30 a.m.

Weekday Reader 10.00 a.m. 22<sup>nd</sup> January Sheila

Confessions on Saturday from 12.30pm

## WEEKDAY READINGS:

Details of the readings for Mass during the Liturgical Year are available on [CatholicIreland.net](http://CatholicIreland.net)

Please remember in your prayers:

Mary Heraty, nee Duffy, Cloonkeen & late of Drummin

Ray Cawley, Dooncastle

Johnny Mc Nally, Pinewoods.

Kyran Duffy, Cultrain

Anne Brennan, Galway & Hollymount, sister of Mary Hastings, Drummin.

Michael Kennedy, Barna & Westport.

Rest in Peace.

## DRUMMIN CHURCH MASSES:

Sunday 21st Jan.9.30am	1. Petie, Mary & Padraic Kelly, Bridge House & DFM.
Sunday 28th 9.30am	1.
<b>LECANVEY CHURCH MASSES:</b>	
Sat.20 <sup>th</sup> Jan 8.00pm	1. Tom O'Malley, Lower Kilsallagh
Sat. 27th Jan. 8.00p.m.	1. Eugene O'Malley & DFM.

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Should anyone need the assistance of SVP

Please contact SVP in Westport on 087 9334960

[info.west@svp.ie](mailto:info.west@svp.ie) or visit our website at [www.svp.ie](http://www.svp.ie)

Monday – Saturday 10.00a.m.

Vigil Mass Saturday 6.30pm.

Westport: Sunday @ 11.00a.m.

Lecanvey: Saturday @ 8.00p.m.

Drummin: Sunday @ 9.30a.m.

## BANK DETAILS:

The main Parish Account is now with PTSB due to the closure of Ulster Bank. The details are as follows:

Account Name: Westport Parish

BIC: IPBSIE2D

IBAN: IE83IPBS9907293320468

## PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

10:00AM – 5:30PM MONDAY & THURSDAY

10:00AM - 3:00PM TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

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## MASSES WESTPORT CHURCH

### Saturday 20th January 2024

Mass 6.30. p.m.	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversaries:</b> 1. Celia O'Malley, Cherry Tree Ave. 2. Mary Dunning, Cloghan.
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### Sunday 21st January 2024

11.00a.m.	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversaries:</b> 1. Fr. Micheál Mc Greal. 2. Vincent Coakley, Streamstown <b>Months Mind:</b> Fr. Owen Mc Greal.
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### Monday 22nd January 2024

10.00am	1. Jim & Nora O'Malley, St. Mary's Cres.
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### Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2024

10.00am Mass	1. Aileen Hanley, Thomas, Gusty, Peggie, Moll, Teresa, Kitty, Breda & Ester & D.M. Of Mc Greal & Hanley families. 2. Peter Kilgallon, Tonranny & DFM. 3. Michael & Margaret O'Grady, Clare Island.
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### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2024

10.00am Mass	1. Joe Mc Loughlin, Carrabawn 2. Edward & Nellie O'Hara, son Richard & grandsons Colin & Patrick. 3. Edmond & Margaret Jennings & DM. Of Jennings, Loftus & Lavelle families.
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### Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2024

10.00a.m.	1. Liam & Gretta Sutcliffe 2. Padraig Cusack, St. Mary's Crescent 3. Maureen & Jim Lavin.
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### Friday 26th January 2024

10.00am	1. Séan Madigan, Gortroe
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### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2024

10.00a.m.	1. Gerard & Ann Colbert, New Road. 2. Adam Mulchrone, Sandyhill 3. Eddie Haran & DFM, Drummindoo John & Julie Berry, Sheroe. 4. Christy Moran, Jr. Woodlands Drive.
6.30p.m.	1. Fiona Needham, Doon

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**HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE HOUSE BOUND:**

If you would like to bring Holy Communion to a family member, neighbour or friend who cannot attend Mass.

Please call in to the Sacristy before or after Mass to borrow a Pyx (Please return any borrowed pyx not in use anymore).

**HOUSE CALLS IN THE LECANVEY AREA:**

If there any people who would like a Priest to visit them at home on the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday calls, please give in your details at the Sacristy of St. Patrick's Church Lecanvey or phone Westport Parish Office @ 098-28871.

**DATE FOR YOUR DIARY.**

Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes; led by the archbishop; August 30th to September 5th 2024; 6 nights; ex Ireland-West, Knock. Contact details: 012410800.

**NEW ROTA FOR EUCHRISTIC MINISTERS & READERS**

Is available at the Sacristy, please collect a copy after Mass. Thanking you.

**GOOD NEWS CLUB:**

The Good News Club will take place on the First and Third Sundays of the month for the coming year at 11am Mass. We encourage you to bring your children along to take part.

**CELEBRATING ST BRIGID 1500:**

**Mass for Feast of St Brigid Thursday February 1<sup>st</sup> 10am. (You are welcome to bring your own St Brigid crosses to be blessed)**

**On Friday February 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm** you are invited to a special Celebration of St Brigid in St Mary's Church Westport. The ceremony is organised by Westport Parish Pastoral Council. **(1.) Copies of a new prayer card (2.) Free St Brigid Crosses will be supplied and blessed. (3.) Brat Bride (small pieces of special cloth) will be blessed and distributed free of charge. (4.) Also the Westport Eco-Congregation have arranged for the ECI Climate Justice Candle to be lit. (5.) Blessing of Candles and Throats.** This will be a very special family occasion for all members of our Parish to celebrate our only Irish Female Patron Saint on the Bank Holiday weekend.

**WEEKEND MASSES SATURDAY FEBRUARY 3<sup>RD</sup> 6.30P.M. & SUNDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> 11.00A.M.**

At the invitation of The Westport ECO-Congregation, we will also have Pdraigin Clancy a Parish Pastoral Worker from St Michael's Parish, Inchicore, Dublin as our guest speaker at our masses. She will share her reflections on St Brigid's special significance as our Second Patron Saint of Ireland.

**MAKE A ST BRIGID'S CROSS:**

Get ready for St Brigid's Day with a free, drop-in activity to make a St Brigid's Cross, from 2pm to 4pm on Saturday and Sunday, 27 and 28 January, at the National Museum of Ireland – Country Life, Turlough Park, Castlebar. See some different styles of St Brigid's Crosses on display and have a go at making your own cross to bring home. There will also be free guided tours at 2pm and 3pm on both days, with a special focus on objects, customs and traditions associated with St Brigid.

See [www.museum.ie](http://www.museum.ie) for further information.

**PUBLIC ROSARY**

Please remember the new time for the Public Rosary is at 9.40am before the 10.00am Mass. The Special Intention this week is for Catholic Schools Week. We remember all Students Teachers, Staff, Parents and Boards of Management in our Parish.

**BLESSING OF CANDLES FOR USE IN OUR CHURCHES AND HOMES**

You are invited to bring Candles (for use in your home or donated for use on our Altar) to your local Church for blessing during Weekend Masses Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Thank you.

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:**

Catholic Schools will take place from Sunday 21 to Saturday 27 January 2024 on the theme of Catholic Schools as Communities of Service.

Christian service puts faith into action. In Catholic schools, as we study and look to Jesus Christ as our role model and Teacher, we come to a greater understanding of the depth of Christian service. Jesus served every person regardless of creed, background, faith, social status or age. He put faith into action by showing all those around him how our Heavenly Father is compassionate, courageous and forgiving. Jesus didn't just talk about His faith; He lived it.

We are called by faith to go into the world to share the love of God with all those we meet. Each person, at every age, is called to become Christ for another by serving every person with a humble heart and with a generous spirit.

For Catholic Schools Week, we will contemplate our schools as communities of service under the following themes:

- Service in Our Community of Friends
- Service in Our School Community
- Service in Our Family Community
- Service in Our Local Community
- Service in Our Faith Community

**FAMILY CARERS IRELAND:**

Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs?

A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit [www.familycarers.ie](http://www.familycarers.ie).

**PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY WEEK:**

Christ has no body now on earth but ours.

No hands but yours, no feet but yours, no eyes but ours.

Ours are the eyes with which he looks his compassion looks out on the world.

Ours are the feet with which he can go about doing good.

Ours are the hands, with which he can help and heal.

**ENABLE IRELAND MAYO SERVICES:**

Require Volunteers in all areas of County Mayo to work with Children with a disability. Our Volunteers usually work one-to-one with a child within their home but also within their community. No more than three hours are required per week. We work around your availability to make this exciting opportunity suit your lifestyle. Training is also provided. There are also some paid roles

If you are interested. Ph. 087-6808350

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