

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

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PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEK FR. CHARLIE MC DONNELL 086-8193884

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, READERS Assisting in the Liturgy on
Saturday 5th & Sunday 6th March 2022 Team C

6.30p.m. Saturday	Anna Kelly	Breege Joyce
10.00 am	Mary Carr	Julia Thompson
12.00 noon	Colette Lavelle	Ann Corcoran

READER DRUMMIN:

Sun 27th February	Gretta Carr	10.00 a.m.
Sun. 6th March	Stella Garrivan	10.00 a.m.

Weekday 10.00 A.M. 28th February

Mass Reader: Mary Grady

CONFESSIONS: Saturday from 12.00 p.m. to 1.00 p.m.

Please remember in your prayers:

Paddy O'Grady, Furrigal, Kilsallagh

Eilish Holland, Carrabawn

DAILY READINGS: Monday 28th February – 4th March

Mon 28th Feb.	1 Pt 1:3-9. Ps 110:1-2, 5-6, 9-10, R/ v 5. Mk 10:17-27.
Tues 1st March	1 Pt 1:10-16. Ps 97:1-4, R/ v 2. Mk 10:28-31.
Wed 2nd March	Jl 2:12-18. Ps 50:3-6, 12-14, 17, R/ v 3. 2 Cor 5:20-6:2. Mt 6:1-6, 16-18.
Thurs 3rd March	Deut 30:15-20. 1:1-4, 6, R/ Ps 39:5. Lk 9:22-25.
Fri 4th March	Is 58:1-9. Ps 50:3-6, 18-19, R/ v 19. Mt 9:14-15.

DRUMMIN CHURCH MASSES:

10.00 a.m. 27th Feb.	Séan Navin, Letterbrock & Michael Gibbons Charles Murray, Dublin
10.00 a.m. 6th March.	Annie & Patrick Heneghan, Oughty Joe Friel, Letterbrock & DFM.

LECANVEY CHURCH MASSES:

11.30 a.m. 27th Feb.	Kitty O'Hara, nee O'Malley, Kilsallagh John Ellis
6TH March 11.30 a.m.	

The Mass Book will open on Monday 7th March for 2023.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT @ KNOCK SHRINE:

The weekly Bereavement Support group has resumed. Wednesday mornings @ 11.00 a.m.

In the Family Centre at Knock Shrine.

For further information please contact Monica Morley on 094-9375320

LEGION OF MARY:

Meets in the Parish Centre after 10.00 a.m. Mass on Thursdays.

All are welcome to join. **Contact Breda 087-2747873**

MASS TIMES:

MONDAY – FRIDAY 10.00 A.M. SATURDAY & SUNDAY 10.00AM

LECANVEY: SUNDAY 11.30 A.M. & DRUMMIN @ 10.00 A.M.

MASSES WESTPORT CHURCH

Saturday 26th February 2022	
10.00am Mass	1st Anniversary: Seamus O'Hara, Horkans Hill 1. Harry Kelly, Knockranny 2. Kitty Geraghty, Plougastel Court 3. Mary Coughlan, Revenue Row.
6.30pm	1st Anniversary; Gabriel Kelly, Mill St. Months Mind: Maureen Reidy
Sunday 27th February 2022	
10.00am Mass	...
12 noon
Monday 28th February 2022	
10.00am Mass	1. Joe & Eamon Staunton, Mc Neela Terrace 2. William Peter O'Connor 3. Martin Quigley 4. Ann Kelly, Quay
Tuesday 1st March 2022	
10.00am Mass	1. Pat & Rita Duffy & John & Rose Wallace 2. Laurence Staunton, Mc Neela Terrace 3. Msgr. Christopher Kennedy Fr. Jim Walsh & DM of Kennedy & Walsh
Ash Wednesday 2nd March 2022	
8.00 a.m.	D.M. of Reilly family, Carnalurgan
10.00am Mass	1st Anniversary: Vivian Guthrie, McBride Terrace 1. Thomas & Agnes O'Malley, Upper Quay Daughters, Margaret, Bridie & Mamie 2. Nora Joyce & DFM. Owenwee
Thursday 3rd March 2022	
10.00am Mass	1. Peter & Violet Hoban, Quay 2. Michael & Sarah Flaherty & D.M. of Flaherty & O'Brien families. 3. Kevin Corcoran
Friday 4th March 2022	
10.00am Mass	1. Stephen & Maud Walsh, Mill St. Ava Henry & Bernie Walsh 2. Mary & John O'Donnell & D.M. of O'Donnell & Dever families 3. Patrick & Margaret Mc Ging, Bridge St & DFM. 4. Larry & Carmel Bourke & Grandson Shane, Castlebar Road.
Saturday 5th March 2022	
10.00 a.m.	1. Austin Durcan, Reek View
6.30 pm	
10.00am Mass	Sunday 13th February
12 noon Mass	

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

10:00AM – 5:30PM MONDAY & THURSDAY

10:00AM 0 3:00PM TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Should anyone need the assistance of SVP

Please contact **SVP in Westport on 087 9334960**

The Parish is committed to serving parishioners to the very best of our ability while at the same time adhering to public health advice and doing our best to keep you safe.

SEASON OF LENT

The Lenten season begins this Ash Wednesday, March 2nd. This holy season invites us to delve deeper into our own desert places as Christ did, as we journey towards the resurrection on Easter Sunday.

Ash Wednesday

8:00am	Mass in Westport church
10:00am	Mass in Westport church
1:00pm	Distribution of Ashes in Westport church
3:00pm-8:00pm	Adoration in Westport church
7:30pm	Mass in Drummin church
7:30pm	Mass in Lecanvey church

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for Lent

Adoration times are extended for Lent in Westport church, Monday to Thursday 3:00pm – 8:00pm. Fridays of Lent until 7:30pm to facilitate Stations of the Cross.

Stations of the Cross for Lent

Stations of the Cross will take place at 7:30pm each Friday evening for Lent in Westport church.

ALPHA – REFOCUS FOR LENT

Alpha has been running in the Parish both online and in person for the last four years; we ask you to consider this: Tuesdays at 7.45pm, leading into daily guided scriptural reflections throughout Lent, delving deeper into the Triduum via a post-Alpha discipleship programme, **REFOCUS** builds towards a renewed personal encounter with the Spirit of Christ at Pentecost. If you want to chat to someone about Refocus, you can call John on 083 4879542 or email john@alphaireland.org.

SYNODAL PATHWAY

What will happen at parish level?

We are being asked to reflect, pray, listen and share our lived experiences with others; leading us to active participation and openness to mission in our parishes and dioceses. Parishioners will be invited to take part at a local level in their Parish where a meeting will be organized by the Parish Pastoral Council and Priests of the Parish. At this meeting they will be able to pray, reflect and discuss a number of questions and where everybody's views will be heard. Feedback will be recorded and submitted to the diocesan synod team.

People can also share their views, perspectives and recommendations on the synodal pathway by contacting the email: synod@tuamarchdiocese.org

The questions being asked of us at parish level?

1. In the light of the times we find ourselves in today, how are you?
2. What inspires you in the life of your parish community? And what discourages you in the life of the parish community?
3. How can our Church be more welcoming and inclusive to all?
4. Other Useful information

Details on the following websites:

www.synod.ie www.tuamarchdiocese.org www.synod.va

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Or Regional office in Galway (091) 563 233 or email info.west@svp.ie or visit our website at www.svp.ie

STEWARDS – MINISTRY OF WELCOME

We have hoped so many times to establish a ministry of welcome in the church. So many and especially visitors have spoken with affection and gratitude about the welcome they have received that we are hoping to retain the stewards at least at weekends. Again we thank the stewards for their work and availability

Prayer of the Synod

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.
With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.
All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever.
Amen.

RADIO MARIA IRELAND

is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station. Prayer, Catechesis, Uplifting music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies – all commercial free.

Please join our growing faith family!

RADIO MARIA IRELAND will visit your parish in **Westport** on **Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th of March** for the vigil and Sunday Masses.

We are looking forward to meeting you there!

How to listen:

1. Via Digital TV - Saorview Channel 210
2. Download our FREE App "RADIO MARIA IRELAND"
3. Streaming on our WEBSITE - www.radiomaria.ie
4. Via PHONE – get live radio feed by calling +353 (0) 1 437 3277 (no extra charges apply).

ENGAGING WITH THE PARISH ONLINE

Masses are now available through:

Churchtv.ie/westport

Or

Facebook St. Marys Church Westport

Or

Westport Parish Radio – 104.8 FM

Care of Creation Westport Eco Congregation

What can you do about the issues facing Earth today? Here are some of the practices that will help you reduce your overall impact.

- Consume less overall: commit to buying fewer things and trying to make your belongings last.
- Declutter: find new homes for the items you don't use.
- Compost: set up a composting bin or drop your organic waste off to be composted.
- Invest in renewable resources:
- Spend more time walking, biking or using public transportation when you can.
- Avoid single-use items: e.g. participate in the campaign to rid Westport and our County of plastic bottles.
- Buy mindfully: support sustainable and environmentally-conscious businesses
- Get informed and vote: support green initiatives, especially those concerning waste disposal and renewable energy.

STANDING ORDERS

For those who have asked to set up a Standing Order, and indeed over the past year a number have done so, our bank details are as follows:

Ulster Bank Westport

BIC: ULSB IE 2D

IBAN: IE40 ULSB 9864 3040 5490 32

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