

Parish Masses / Anniversaries / Other Events:

St. Mary's, Carrigallen (Week commencing Sun. 15th June 2025):

- Sun. 15th June – 11.15 am:** Seamus Mc Kenna, Mill Lane.
Betty Grimes, Cornaughy.
- Mon. 16th June – 10.00 am:** John & Tommy Lynch, Doogarry.
- Sun. 22nd June – 11.15 am:** Roy Greene, Bredagh (**Month's Mind Mass**).
- Eucharistic Adoration:** Tues. 6.30 pm – 7.30 pm & Wed. 10.30 am to 11.30 am.

St. Mary's, Drumeela (Week commencing Sun. 15th June 2025):

- Sun. 15th June – 10.00 am:** Pat Fitzpatrick, Drumloona (**1st Anniv. Mass**), his brother John Francis & their parents, John and Mary Kate.
- Sun. 22nd June – 10.00 am:** Mary Frances Gannon (*née Mc Namee*), Kilnamar.

St. Mary's, Drumreilly (Week commencing Sat. 14th June 2025):

- Sat. 14th June – 8.00 pm:** Missa Pro Populo.
- Sat. 21st June – 8.00 pm:** John & Sissie Mitchell, Kinkeen.
Owen, Catherine & Michael O'Reilly, Drumlea.
- Eucharistic Adoration:** Tuesdays from 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

CHURCH AREA	OFFERTORY COLLECTION: 07 th June / 08 th June
Carrigallen	€930 (Incl. returns €153 from Ballinamore/Aughawillan)
Drumeela	€330 (Incl. returns €60 from Ballinamore/Aughawillan)
Drumreilly	€291 (Incl. returns €69 from Ballinamore/Aughawillan)



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

The Trinity is a reminder that God is not a solitary entity, but a vibrant community of love, a source of inspiration and strength for all who seek it.

NEWS FROM THE RECENT PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING:

- To encourage Parishioners to take part in the Eucharistic Ministry in the parish. Training will be provided (*see notice in this newsletter*).
- Contact Biodiversity officer with Leitrim Co. Council to set up biodiversity friendly spaces on Church grounds.
- Update on preparation for Parish Mission 6th - 9th Sept. Recent zoom call with Fr Laurance Gallagher, Redemptorists priest who will give the mission.

JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE 2025: Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Martin Hayes on Trinity Island, Lough Oughter today, **Trinity Sunday 15th June at 2.00 pm**. All welcome.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY TRAINING in the Pastoral Centre, Cullies, Cavan on **Tuesday 24th June at 8.00 pm**. If you wish to avail of this training, please contact 049-4339610 or email: carrigallen@kilmorediocese.ie

KILMORE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK on **Sat. 9th Aug. 2025**. If you wish to travel on the bus, please give your name to Colm Mc Kernan on (086) 3852749.

DAY FOR LIFE 15th JUNE 2025: This year's *Day for Life* is an invitation to pray for those who suffer & to remain with them like the Good Samaritan, bearing witness to their unique unrepeatable value. We see this closeness in the generous and fruitful service of healthcare professionals, whose mission continues even when there is no longer any prospect of physical healing. We see it in another way in families, carers and chaplains who support their brothers and sisters who are sick or struggling with the many burdens of life. As Christians, we affirm them and hold out to them the hope of Jesus Christ who does not disappoint us.

DIOCESAN JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE PILGRIMAGE TO ROME - Bishop Martin Hayes will lead a diocesan pilgrimage to Rome from **Thursday 20th to Wednesday 26th November 2025** to mark the Jubilee Year of Hope. This pilgrimage will be of particular interest (*though not exclusively*) to those involved with church choirs as it will coincide with the Jubilee of Choirs being organised as part of the Jubilee Year of Hope programme in the Vatican. The cost of the pilgrimage is €1,855 per person sharing on a half-board basis. Single Room Supplement: €300 (*limited availability*). For further information contact Seán Coll, Pilgrimage Director on 049-4375004 (*Ext. 102*) or by email to directorkdpc@kilmorediocese.ie

PIONEERS YEAR OF HOPE PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES departing from Knock Airport on **24th August 2025**. 5 nights. Cost €830. Details from Canon Joe Delaney 087-6660408 or Michael Rattigan on 087-2929372 or Joe Walsh Tours, Dublin on 01-6852244.

CARRIGALLEN NATIONAL SCHOOL ARE HOLDING A 5K COLOUR RUN/WALK fundraising event today, **Sunday 15th June at 1 pm**. Registration is from 12.15 pm at the School. Please wear a white or old t-shirt for the coloured powder. Adults €10, Children €5 and Families €20. Walkers, joggers and runners are all welcome. Please support!

WEEKLY PARISH BINGO continues in Drumreilly Community Centre on **Friday nights at 8.30 pm sharp**. Also, a raffle. We welcome and appreciate your support.

CARRIGALLEN PARENT & TODDLER GROUP: Weekly meetings in Carrigallen Community Care Centre on **Friday mornings from 10.00 am to 11.30 am**. €2 per child or €5 if three or more children in a family. For more info. contact Patrice on 086-6035977.

DRUMREILLY ACTIVE AGE hold their weekly meetings in the Community Centre on **Wednesdays at 8.30 pm**. Various activities. Refreshments served. New members welcome.

COFFEE CONNECT CONVERSATION - Everyone welcome. It happens in Margaret's Corner C.C., Carrigallen on a **Thursday from 11am -12 noon** -This a FREE of charge event.

CARRIGALLEN CLUB ON-LINE LOTTO: Jackpot **€10,900**. 4 lucky dip prizes of **€50** if not won. Extra prize for holders of "weekly recurring tickets". Click on "Automatically Renew Purchase" at checkout. Live Draw this **Sunday 15th June** can be viewed on our Facebook Page. Tickets: <https://member.clubspot.app/c.../carrigallen-gaa/lotto/tickets>

ADULT EDUCATION: Are you an adult considering education and unsure of your options? The Leitrim Adult Educational Guidance Service will be in Ballinamore Library on this **Wednesday 18th June from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm** to answer any question you might have. No appointment necessary, just come along on the day.

CAVAN AND MONAGHAN ETB in partnership with Esker Lodge Nursing Home present an exciting opportunity where you can learn all about the Healthcare Traineeship (*fully funded*) and working within the Healthcare industry. Whether you've just left school, are a recent graduate or looking to make a career change, this event is perfect for anyone interested in pursuing a career in Healthcare. **Come and join us on this Wednesday 25th June at 10.00 am at Esker Lodge Nursing Home, Cavan.**

GULLADOO SWIMMING: Swimming and Life Saving Lessons will be held at Gulladoo Lake, Carrigallen from **14th July to 25th July** inclusive. Children can be registered on www.eventbrite.ie or at the Lakeshore on Monday morning 14th July at 9.30 am.

BALLINAMORE ATHLETIC CLUB has Summer outdoor training every **Thursday at 7.00 pm**. All events and all ages catered for, and new members will be enrolled.

A PRAYER ON FATHER'S DAY

Heavenly Father, You entrusted Your Son Jesus, the Child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, his foster father. Bless all fathers and grandfathers as they care for their families. Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience, give them ability to love in a way that reflects your love. Support them in the work they have to do, protecting those who look up to them, as we look to You for love and salvation. Help us to love them in a way that would bring honour to You and to them. Bless and heal all those wounded by the imperfections of their fathers and grant an eternal rest to our fathers you have been called from this life to Yourself, through Jesus Christ Lord. Amen.

Feast Days / Memorials during the Coming Week (09th June – 14th June)

Mon: - **St. Luthgard of Belgium.** 13th Century Cistercian Nun and Mystic.

Tues: - **St. Moling Luachra.** 7th Century Bishop of Ferns. "One of the four great prophets of Erin"

Wed. – **St. Osmanna of Brieuç.** 7th Century Irish-born Benedictine nun. Lived in Brittany.

Thurs: - **Bl. Dermot O'Hurley of Cashel.** 16th Century Archbishop. Beatified in Sept. 1992.

Fri: **The Irish Martyrs:** 17 Irish Bishops, Priests, Religious & Laity who died for their faith.

Sat:- St. Aloysius Gonzaga of Italy. 17th Century Jesuit Priest & Patron Saint of Youth.

Phone Numbers: Fr. John Mc Mahon [433 9610](tel:4339610) / *Mob. 086-2126582.*

Parish Cluster: Fr. Seán Mawn, Ballinamore [071-9644039](tel:0719644039) or [087-6869040](tel:0876869040); Fr. Malachy Moses C.C. Ballinamore [087-4904380](tel:0874904380); Fr. Andrew Tully, Killeshandra [049-4334179](tel:0494334179) or [086-8050526](tel:0868050526);
Fr. Peter Tiernan, Cloone/Aughavas [071-9636016](tel:0719636016) or [086-3500114](tel:0863500114).

Parish Website: www.carrigallenparish.ie The Parish Newsletter is uploaded to the site each weekend & you will also find a link to the daily livestreamed Masses from Carrigallen.

FACEBOOK: Parish of Carrigallen, Drumeela, Drumreilly.

Parish Newsletter: It promotes Church, Voluntary and Community events. Newsletter articles must state author's name & phone number & can be written into one of the church diaries before **5.00 pm or Wednesdays** or emailed to carrigallen@kilmorediocese.ie by **12 noon on Fridays**. The editors reserve the right to omit or amend articles.

Parish Newsletter

St. Mary's Parish

Carrigallen – Drumeela – Drumreilly

15th June 2025 – Holy Trinity Sunday - Year C



The Holy Trinity is a central doctrine in Christianity that describes the nature of God as being one God in three distinct persons: God the Father, God the Son (*Jesus Christ*), and God the Holy Spirit. Each person of the Trinity is fully and equally God, sharing the same divine essence, yet they are not three gods, but one. This mystery lies at the heart of Christian belief, expressing the unity and diversity within God's nature. The Father is the creator, the Son is the redeemer, and the Holy Spirit is the sustainer and guide. Though the concept is beyond full human understanding, it reveals how God relates to the world and to humanity in love, communion, and purpose.

A PRAYER ON HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

Glory be to the Father, who by His almighty power and love created me,
making me in the image and likeness of God.

Glory be to the Son, who by His Precious Blood delivered me from hell,
and opened for me the gates of heaven.

Glory be to the Holy Spirit, Who has sanctified me in the Sacrament of Baptism,
and continues to sanctify me by the graces I receive daily from His bounty.

Glory be to the Three adorable Persons of the Holy Trinity, now and forever. Amen.