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Matthew 18.21-25



*Forgiveness is the fragrance that the violet sheds on the heel that has crushed it.*

— Mark Twain

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A - 13th September 2020

**Mass Times & Intentions**

**Drumlish**

Sun 11.00: Jim Pat Lennon, Kilmahon  
Mon 10.00: Benny Carolan, Newtownforbes Rd  
Tue 10.00: Des Cole, RIP  
Fri 8.00: Ned/Agnes Murphy, Cloonmacart  
Sun 11.00: Misa Pro Populo

**Ballinamuck:**

Sun 9.30: Private Intention

*The numbers attending the Sunday Mass in both Ballinamuck and Drumlish are borderline at present and may need to be controlled if the trend continues to increase. I ask those who can, to avail of the weekday Masses and free up the Sunday Masses for those whose work etc. prevent them from attending during the week. The Sunday obligation remains lifted for those 70+ and those with underlying health issues. The deep desire to attend Sunday Mass is much appreciated, and we don't wish to turn people away or to go down the 'ticket route'. Thank you for your sensitivity and understanding.*

*Because of the limited numbers permitted to attend Church at any one time, the weekend Masses will be kept free of bookings—those who wish to book Mass may avail of the weekday Masses. Also because of the demand for evening Masses, the Friday evening Masses will be shared for the present. Existing bookings will be honoured and we will continue to pray for your deceased at weekends. A reminder that Mass times are as follows:  
Drumlish: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 10 a.m. Friday & Saturday 8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.  
Ballinamuck: Friday 7 p.m. Sunday 9.30 a.m.*

**Readers for Next Week**

**Drumlish:**

Readers Sat: Theresa Whitney  
Sun: Orla Devlin

**Ballinamuck:**

Reader Sun: Mary McKenna

To forgive is to set a prisoner free and discover that the prisoner was you.

— Lewis B. Smedes

**First Holy Communion**



First Holy Communion will take place in St. Mary's Drumlish next Saturday at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Please keep these children, their families and their teachers in your prayers during this week.

Congratulations to the following children who made their First Communion in St. Patrick's Church, Ballinamuck on Saturday:

Sophie Donohoe	Georgia Mullins
Philip Mullins	James Mulligan
Saoirse Rabbittie	Rachel Sheeran
Cathal Tully	

**Baptism**

Jerome Aaron Quinn s/o Alan & Ciara, Ballymote was baptised and welcomed into our faith family last weekend. Congratulations to all concerned.

**Ministers of Holy Communion & Readers**

Because of Covid-19 regulations, coupled with people's natural anxiety I am updating our rota list for Ministers of Holy Communion and Readers. If you are one of the existing ministers of the Word or Holy Communion and you wish to continue, please email me or contact me before the end of the month; otherwise I will assume you wish to discontinue. This will also necessitate asking new members to act as ministers of Holy Communion and readers of the Word. All of this is necessary to comply with best practice and the safety of our volunteers. Thank you.

**Live Streaming of Mass**

Following the installation of a webcam in St. Mary's Church, Drumlish, we are now able to offer live streaming of Mass from St. Mary's Parish Church at the weekends and on selected days throughout the week. If you have internet connection on your Mobile Phone, Laptop, Tablet or Home Computer, you can access Masses by Googling MCN Media.TV, go to the search button and search for Drumlish and click onto Church.

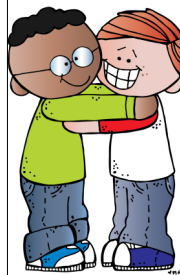
**Matthew 18.21-35**

T M O B U K A C C O U N T S L G P P  
K I P A Y I N G D E B T O R M H R A  
I G M W L V S E R V A N T S K O O Y  
N D C E E Z Z C H I L D R E N M P M  
G S V Y S C O M P A S S I O N A E E  
D S E V E N T Y S E V E N O I G R N  
O Y F O R G A V E T O Q N W O E T T  
M F M S E T T L E Z T R F I L E Y A  
Q Z J B R O T H E R P O Q F T T V P  
Q M A S T E R D E B T W L E O W T V  
O S O L D K I N G U P A T I E N T A  
Q L F U L L H E F O R G I V E A S U

Find the following words in the puzzle.  
Words are hidden → ↓ and ↘ .

ACCOUNTS	FULL HOMAGE	PROPERTY
BROTHER	KING	SERVANTS
CHILDREN	KINGDOM	SETTLE
COMPASSION	MASTER	SEVENTY-SEVEN
DEBT	PATIENT	SOLD
DEBTOR	PAYING	TIMES
FORGAVE	PAYMENT	WIFE
FORGIVE		

**FORGIVENESS**

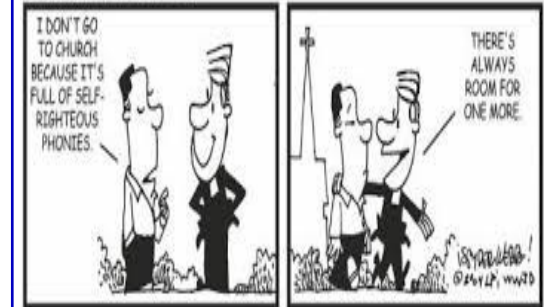


*I forgive you.  
Not for you, but for me.  
Because like chains shackling me to my past I will no longer pollute my heart with bitterness, fear, distrust or anger.  
I forgive you because hate is another way of holding on and you don't belong here anymore.*



Offeritory €990, Harvest Dues €1175. For those who don't use the envelope system to contribute, there are special **Priests Dues Envelopes** (which go to the upkeep of the priests) at the entrance to the church.

**24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



**Guidelines to the public Celebration of Mass**

Those attending Mass in Drumlish/Ballinamuck are asked to sign in, using the book provided at the main entrance. This is to insure traceability in the event of anyone contracting the Covid-19 virus. When attending Mass, please observe the following guidelines:

- Wash your hands before and after attending Mass
  - Sanitise your hands as you enter and leave Church
  - Observe social distancing, as marked
  - Wearing a face cover/mask is recommended
  - Enter by main door and Exit by side doors
  - Offerings/Envelopes should be placed in the basket in front of altar at end of Mass on exiting.
  - When receiving Holy Communion, please come seat by seat, starting at the front and returning by the side passages, while observing social distance. All receive Communion on the hands.
- Thank you for your cooperation and keep safe.

*Note: in view of recent regulations, particularly relating to 'subdivisions' it is not possible for now to increase the capacity of our two churches in Drumlish & Ballinamuck beyond the number 50. Sincere thanks to the Covid-19 Committees and volunteers in both Drumlish and Ballinamuck for the tremendous work they are doing in keeping our churches sanitised and keeping us safe.*