



# Donaghmoyne Parish.

## Baptism of the Lord. 9<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

**Mission Statement:** Our Parish is a Christ-centred community. In Baptism, we are challenged by the Spirit to live and share the Gospel message. Through proclaiming the Gospel message by Word and Action, our community in celebrating the Liturgy, working for Justice, Charity, Ecumenism, the Needy and Vulnerable and Young People, we extend our love and care to all people, providing support in renewing and deepening our faith. We value the gifts and talents of each of our Parishioners and invite them to use these in responding to Christ's invitation to all of us to follow Him in spreading the Good News

Parish Bulletin: now available on [www.donaghmoyne.com](http://www.donaghmoyne.com).

Parish Radio: St Patrick's Broomfield: 102.4 FM. St Lastra's Donaghmoyne: 87.5FM.  
St Mary's Lisdoonan: 107FM.

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Church Eircodes: St Lastra's Donaghmoyne: A81P978. St Mary' Lisdoonan: A81DP44.  
St Patrick's Broomfield: A75X977.

### Donaghmoyne Masses.

#### Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> January 7.30pm.

First Anniversary - Mary Burns, Drumlurg, Lisdoonan.

#### Sunday Next 16<sup>th</sup> January 10.00am.

AM John Hamill, Corleygorm & Deceased Members of the Hamill Family.

*The above Masses will be on the Parish Radio and Live Streamed from St. Lastra's Church Donaghmoyne.*

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### Lisdoonan Masses..

#### Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> January 10.00am.

AM. Julia Morris, Cashlan East.  
AM. Tommy Byrne, Cashlan East.  
AM. Deceased Sugrue, Byrne & Martin Families, Corlea.

#### Saturday Next 15<sup>th</sup> January 7.30pm.

AM. Robert Chambers, Drumberagh.  
AM. Brian & Mary Brennan and their Son Jimmy, Drumberagh.

*The above Masses will be on the Parish Radio and Live Streamed from St. Mary's Church, Lisdoonan*

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### Happy New Year.

As we thank all who attended the ceremonies over Christmas and all who joined us over the Parish Radio and Web Cam, those who decorated our Churches, our Sacristans and all who helped out in a variety of ways, we wish one and all in the Parish a very Happy and Healthy New Year filled with God's many Blessings.

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### Sincere Thanks.

The Priests of the Parish would like to say a most sincere thank you for the many cards, good wishes and gifts received over the Christmas period. May God reward you for your great kindness and generosity and keep all of us safe as we enter a New Year in these uncertain times.

### Broomfield Masses.

#### Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> January 11.30am.

First Anniversary Oweney Tavey, Crover.  
AM Pat Finnegan, Carrickmacross, formerly Clonavogey.

#### Monday: – Thursday. 9.00am Mass.

#### Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January 9.00am. Mass.

Mass for the First Friday.

#### Sunday Next 16<sup>th</sup> January 11.30am.

Mass for the People of the Parish.

*The above Masses will be on the Parish Radio & Live Streamed from St. Patrick's Church Broomfield.*

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**Booking of Masses:** Please book Masses by Email – [dalym1@sky.com](mailto:dalym1@sky.com) - or through the Parish Office at 042-9743617 on any Thursday between 10.00am and 1.00pm.

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### Baptisms St Patrick's Church Broomfield.

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> January, Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> January, Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> February and Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2022 at 12.30pm. Book through the Parish office phone 042 – 9743617.

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**Recently Deceased:** *Please pray for Marie Meegan, Creggan, Crossmaglen and formerly Corravoo, who died recently. May God grant her eternal rest and comfort her family in their grief.*

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**Gluten Free Hosts:** We can now provide gluten free hosts at Masses; we ask any person who is celiac or gluten intolerant and would like to receive Holy Communion to come to the priest who will give them gluten free host.

**RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES.**

**Priest:** Do you reject sin and evil in your own life and in the world around you?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you reject violent behaviour in word and in deed?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you reject abuse of the good things of life?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you believe in God the Father who created all things and who loves all that his hands have made?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you believe that each of us has a part to play in preserving the green earth with its teeming life?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you believe in Jesus Christ his only son, who lived and died for our sake?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you believe that each of us is unique in God's eyes, that we are loved by God and that we are called to greatness and to goodness?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you believe in the Holy Spirit who is present in the church and in the world?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** Do you believe that the same Holy Spirit speaks in the depths of our hearts, pointing us towards the good, the generous?

**All:** I do.

**Priest:** God, the all-powerful Father of Our Lord Jesus Christ, has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and forgiven all our sins. May he also keep us faithful to our Lord Jesus Christ, forever and ever.

**All:** Amen.

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**Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. *Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel.***

1. The people were searching and John pointed them in the direction of Jesus. On your life's journey who have been the John the Baptist people for you, people who have pointed you in the right direction?
2. The Baptism of Jesus was a very special moment for him that affirmed him in his identity as Son of God and in his mission. Recall the experiences that affirmed you – either in your sense of who you are, or in relation to the direction you were taking in life.
3. The Baptism of Jesus marks a transition point in his life, and the start of his public ministry. Recall the transition points in your own life. Where did you see the grace of God at work in those times?
4. This experience of Jesus occurred when he was at prayer. What part has prayer played in opening you to being aware of God in your life? What part has prayer played in helping you through a transition point in your life?

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**Parish Contributions:** Sincere thanks to parishioners and others for their generous contributions to Donaghmoyne Parish. People's generosity means that the parish can pay its contributions to the Diocese, meet everyday expenses and carry out maintenance, repairs and upgrades of parish property. In recent years more and more people are using a Standing Order to contribute to the Parish. If you wish to make your contribution to the Parish through your bank, building society or/credit union, details for setting up a standing order can be obtained from the Parish Office in Broomfield, telephone 0429743617 on Thursday between 10am and 1pm. Again we thank people most sincerely for their generosity to the Parish and the Priests in difficult financial times.

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**Confirmation 2022:** It is proposed to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in Donaghmoyne Parish on **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 11.00am in Broomfield Church**, with Bishop Larry Duffy as the celebrant.

**Weddings& Funerals:** The numbers who can attend a Wedding or Funeral is limited only by Church capacity, taking account of social distancing. **Baptisms:** Numbers who can attend a Baptism depends on the family.

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**The Irish Cancer Society:** are looking for volunteer drivers to drive Monaghan patients to and from cancer treatments in the Mater Hospital and Beaumont Hospital. All volunteer expenses paid. If you have 2 weekdays a month available, please email [volunteer@irishcancer.ie](mailto:volunteer@irishcancer.ie) for more details.

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**Pieta:** provides free, one-to-one professional counseling for people who are in suicidal crisis, those who are self-harming and people who have been bereaved by suicide. Services are available in Monaghan & Cavan Outreach Service Centers. Call 0818111126 to book an appointment. 24/7 Helpline.

