



# Donaghmoyne Parish.

## Feast of Baptism of the Lord– 08th January 2023.

**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 our 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: 102.4FM. St. Lastra’s Donaghmoyne: 87.5FM.  
St. Mary’s Lisdoonan: 107FM.  
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Church Eir Codes: St. Lastra’s Donaghmoyne: A81P978. St. Mary’s Lisdoonan: A81DP44.  
St. Patrick’s Broomfield: A75X977.

### Donaghmoyne Masses.

#### Saturday 7th January 7.30pm.

A.M. Gertie & Johnny Martin, Aghadreenan.

#### Sunday 15th January 10.00am

**Remembrance birthday Mass:** Patrick Finnegan, Creevy.

A.M. Peter & Alice Connolly, Corryagan & Deceased Connolly Family.

2nd A.M. Mary Burns, Drumlurg. Lisdoonan & deceased members of the Mc Connell, Keenan & Finnegan families, Monalia.

A.M. John Hamill, Corleygorm.

5th A.M. Baby Saoirse Katie Flanagan, Cullentraighbane Laragh.

**Above Masses will be on the Parish Radio & Live Streamed from Saint Lastra’s Church.**

### Lisdoonan Masses

#### Sunday 8th January 10.00am.

A.M. Benny Dunne, Drumberagh & Peter Burns, Dooragh & Deceased Dunne & Burns Families.

AM. Deceased members of the Martin, Byrne & Sugrue families, Corlea & Lisdoonan.

#### Saturday 14th January 7.30p.m.

2nd A.M. Robert Chambers, Drumberagh.

A.M. Tommy Byrne, Cashlan East.

**Above Masses will be on the Parish Radio & Live Streamed fro St. Mary’s Church. Lisdoonan.**

**Please pray for** Fr. Dick Mohan, P.E. Clones, who has died recently. May God grant him eternal rest and comfort his family in grief.

### Broomfield Masses.

#### Sunday 8th January 11.30am.

**Remembrance Mass:** Mike Ward, Junior who died tragically in New York.

2nd A.M. Owenie Tavey, Crover.

#### Monday – Friday 9.00am Mass

#### Sunday 15th January 11.30am.

Birthday Mass: Carol Louise Martin & deceased members of the Martin & Campbell families, Kednagullion.

**Above Masses will be on the Parish Radio & Live Streamed.**

**Booking of Masses:** If possible, please book your Masses by E-mailing the Parish Office at [donaghmoynep@gmail.com](mailto:donaghmoynep@gmail.com) or by ringing the Parish Office. 042- 9743617.

#### Any Thursday between 10am and 1pm.

#### **Baptism’s – St Patrick’s Church, Broomfield**

Saturday 21st January 2023

Sunday 5th & Saturday 18th February,

Sunday 5th & Saturday 18th March 2023 at 12.30pm.

Book by Emailing the Parish Office at

[donaghmoynep@gmail.com](mailto:donaghmoynep@gmail.com) or

Phone 042-9743617 any Thursday 10am – 1pm

#### **Infirm & Housebound of the Parish.**

Unfortunately they could not be attended on Wednesday last, all being well they will be attended in their homes this coming Wednesday 11th January at the usual times

## **The Baptism of Jesus**

1. The baptism of Jesus marks a turning point in his life and the start of his public ministry. Recall moments when your life changed and you moved into a new phase.
2. The experience was one in which Jesus had a new sense of his own identity. What have been the experiences which have helped shaped your sense of who you are?
3. How have you come to an awareness of being a child of God, beloved by God and one on whom rests the grace of God?
4. It is surprising that Jesus, the saviour of the world, asks to be baptised by John. The request symbolises his desire to identify with us. At the same time he is filled with the Holy Spirit. That step of identifying with us is an important element in his being able to help us. Have you ever found that when someone identifies with you, it is easier for him/her to help you? Has your ability to empathise with others had any impact on your effectiveness in helping them?

**Donaghmoynne Parish:** Thankfully Parish life is getting back more and more to normal after the last few very difficult years. The Parish is in need of more volunteers to be Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, Church Cleaners, and People who do flower Arranging in each of the three Churches. Normally anyone involved in these ministries help out for one month during the year. If you can volunteer to help out in any of the above, please drop your name, address and telephone number into the Parish Office in Broomfield or drop it into the Collection Bag at Mass. We are most grateful to all the Volunteers who do wonderful work in the Parish.

**Synodal Pathway:** The document for the European stage of the Synod was published recently and is available on [www.clogherdiocese.ie](http://www.clogherdiocese.ie) and [www.synod.ie](http://www.synod.ie). The next stage will be a European Synod in Prague in February 2023, leading to a 2-session Synod in Rome in October 2023 and October 2024. This will be alongside and informing our own Synodal Pathway here in Ireland.

**Clogher don Óige:** Are bringing a group of young adults (18+) on pilgrimage to **World Youth Day in Portugal next summer**. Details are being finalised, dates of travel approx. July 25th - August 7th, with time spent in Porto, Lisbon, & a trip to Fatima. See [www.clogherdonoige.org/wyd](http://www.clogherdonoige.org/wyd) for more information & submit an expression of interest.

**Youth advocate programme:** Are recruiting advocates to work with young people and their families locally. Flexible role, hourly rate and training provided. Driver's licence and 3 months experience working with children in any capacity (including family) required. If interested visit [yapireland.ie](http://yapireland.ie) and go to Work With Us - Careers - Advocate Vacancies. Closing date 9th Jan.

**Special Monaghan / Fermanagh Pilgrimage to Fatima:** Ex Dublin for Feast Day of Saint Anthony 9th -14th June 2023 visit Saint Anthony's Baptismal Font in Lisbon and house where he was born contact James Treacy 061921470 or 00353 61921470.

**Medjugorje:** 19th - 26th July 2023 direct from Dublin, €695 if deposit of €100 is paid before January 31st otherwise €745 applies. Spiritual director Rev Fr. Paddy Mc Ginn Monaghan. Group leader Marian Kane (087)2713260 for more information.

**Be Alert:** There continues to be fraudulent scams and alerts via telephone calls emails etc. Please continue to be aware and cautious of any unexpected activity or communication to you & to your vulnerable family members.

**Lisdoonan Centre** Music this Sunday evening 8th January from 6 – 8.30pm in Lisdoonan Centre with Declan Aungier. Supper served followed by Country Dj. All welcome.

**Donaghmoynne GFC** is participating in 'Ireland Lights Up', an initiative which encourages GAA clubs across the 32 counties to turn on their floodlights and open their walking tracks so their community can come together to walk and talk in a safe environment during the dark winter evenings. We will be getting together for 45 minutes on Thursday evenings at 7pm and Saturday mornings at 11am for an initial seven weeks commencing 12th/14th January. Everyone welcome – get the New Year off to a healthy start.

**Notices for Bulletin** Please ensure that all notices for the Parish Bulletin are emailed or dropped into the Parish Office by the Wednesday evening of any given week. Otherwise they may not be in the Bulletin until the following week.

