DONAGHMORE PARISH BULLETIN

19TH OCTOBER 2025

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MISSION SUNDAY

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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS: MONDAY, TUESDAY 9.30 AM TO 1.00 PM, FRIDAY 10 AM TO 1.00 PM

Please make contact with staff by telephone on 028 30821549 or by email. Anniversary Masses can be booked by telephone or email. If you have queries regarding Baptisms, Marriages or other future event, please telephone or email the office. **All items to be included in the Parish Bulletin should be forwarded to the Parish Office by 12noon on Wednesday.**

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Chair: Gary Lyons, **Committee:** Fr Kevin Conway, Jan Hall, Elaine Hamilton, Maurus Flanagan, Deirdre Kennedy, Bernie Kerr, Barney Mackin, Donal McNally, Denis Murtagh, Bernie Smyth, Hugh Turley.

MASSES IN DONAGHMORE PARISH THIS COMING WEEK

Saturday 18th October 2025 6.00pm Saint John's Church, Glenn
Sunday 19th October 2025—10.00 am Saint Mary's Church, Barr
Monday 20th October 2025—9.00 am Saint Mary's Church Barr
Tuesday 21st October 2025— 9.00 am Saint Mary's Church Barr
Wednesday 22nd October 2025— **No Mass**
Thursday 23rd October 2025— 9.00 am Saint John's Church Glenn

Friday 24th October - 9.00 am Saint John's Church Glenn
Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament after Friday morning Mass

Saturday 25th October 6.00pm Vigil Mass Saint John's Church Glenn

SICK / HOUSEBOUND

Anyone who wishes to have Fr Kevin call to their home please contact the parish office with a day and time that suits them.

NOVEMBER DEAD LISTS

Please use one of the envelopes at the back of church to provide the names of your deceased Parents, Relatives, Friends and all for whom you wish to be remembered. Mass will be offered for those included on the Dead Lists throughout the month of November. Envelopes can be returned via the collection basket, handed into the Sacristy or Parish Office. Donations can be returned in the envelope.

Just A Thought…

Never under estimate the power of a smile and a simple hello

RECENTLY DECEASED: As a parish community we offer our sincere sympathy and prayers to the family of Oonagh Farrelly, formerly of Lurganare and Lisserboy. We remember especially her daughters Edel and Darina, sons Paul, Peter and Cathal, brothers, John and Felix and the extended Farrelly and O'Hare family. We keep them all in our prayers at this time. May Oonagh she rest in peace.

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Saint John's Church Glenn - Saturday evening
October— Michael Grant and Donna Lyons
November—Brea Friel and Majella Sands
Saint Mary's Church, Barr- Sunday morning
October—Caoimhe Murtagh &Bernadette Murtagh
November—Veronica McConville & Gerard Brooks

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saint John's Church, Glenn - Saturday evening
October—Kieran Shields
November—Paula Murtagh
Saint Mary's Church, Barr- Sunday morning
October—Joan Byrne
November— Margaret Cranney

PARISH ANNIVERSARIES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday 18th October 6 pm St John's Glenn

Bronagh Kennedy, Beech Hill
Alice, John, Mary, Kathleen and Benny Grant and Brigid Swaine.
Nellie Murphy, Patrick Arthur and Elizabeth McCamley and Margaret McNamara.

Sunday 19th October 10 am St Mary's Barr

Martina McNally, Knockanarey

Saturday 25th October 6 pm St John's Glenn

M.M Peter McCamley, Tierney Road
Thomas and Mary McSherry and Deceased Family Members

Sunday 26th October 10 am St Mary's Barr

Hugh O'Hare, Lurganare

May their souls
and the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God,
rest in peace. Amen.

DONAGHMORE PARISH - CHURCH SERVICES TV

PARISHIONERS PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS A WEB CAMERA IN SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH, GLENN AND SAINT MARY'S CHURCH BARR. All Masses in the churches will be live streamed.
To access **GLENN**: search **https://www.churchservices.tv/glenn**
To Access **BARR**: search **https://www.churchservices.tv/barr**
Church Webcam's now have the facilitate to record.
If requested, Funeral and Occasion Masses can be recorded. Booking is essential. To enable the programme to be activated prior notice is required. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange.

Pilgrimage to Knockshrine – 6th and 7th December - We welcome parents, young adults, and others to join us as we prepare for Christmas.
B & B and evening meal, morning tea/coffee on route and dinner on the way home on Sunday at the Killyhevlin Hotel, plus transport, picking up in **Newry, Banbridge and Lurgan** for £160 - only 40 places – book asap – need names by Sept 30th with deposit of £50.
Email youthdirector@dromorediocese.org or phone 02830833898

EVORA HOSPICE COLLECTION 2025

The amount collected, as a result of the church door collection on the 4th and 5th of October, for Evora Hospice Newry was

£ 498.00 and € 102.00

Thank you to everyone who contributed.

TIME CHANGE NEXT WEEKEND

An extra hour in bed!

Remember to turn your clocks back at 2 am

Next Sunday 26th October

We must restore hope to young people,
help the old, be open to the future, spread love.
Be poor among the poor.
We need to include the excluded and preach peace .

Pope Francis

NOVEMBER ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS

The Annual Memorial Mass to remember and pray for parishioners who have died since last November will be held on

Thursday 13th November at 7.00 pm in St Mary's Barr.

Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord and may perpetual light shine upon them

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN & VULNERABLE ADULTS:

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS
Diocesan Designated Person:
Stephen Sherry 07301 246 329
safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org
Local Contact Person:
Cathy Devine 07714 214 702
Southern Health & Social Care Trust:
0800 783 7745 N.I. Childline: 0800 1111

ACCORD NI:
MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMME

ACCORD cares about your relationship and your future together. The marriage preparation course we offer is designed with you in mind. Your Marriage Preparation Course offers both of you the opportunity to reflect on how you communicate, to explore your understanding of commitment, how to manage conflict, how to be responsible parents and live the sacrament of marriage.
You can book your Marriage Preparation Course by calling ACCORD Newry on 028 3026 3577 or visit their website at www.accordni.com

BARR PARISH CENTRE The Parish Centre in Barr is available for use by groups or members of the community. The Centre has excellent kitchen facilities, with disabled access and toilet. Anyone wishing to use the Centre should contact the Parish Office or Fr Kevin.

DONAGHMORE PARISH
Envelopes and Standing Orders

12th October 2025	**Weekly**	**£ 899.00**
Loose Plate		**£ 132.00**

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Glenn GAC Lotto Draw Sunday
Sunday 12th October 2025

Winning Numbers
22, 23, 28, 30
No Jackpot Winner

3 Match 3 Winners £ 20 each
Rhonda Bagnall, Ann Valentine, Michelle Grant

Next Week's **Jackpot £ 12,300**
Next Draw **Sunday 19th October 2025**