

**Newsletter for the Parishes of
Dromod & Caherdaniel**
Sunday 9th February 2025
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Priests of the Iveragh
Pastoral Area**

- Fr. Sean Jones: 087-2032455
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St Crohan's Church, Caherdaniel
www.churchmedia.tv/caherdaniel
Our Lady of the Valley, Cillin Liath:
www.churchmedia.tv/CillinLiath
St Finian's, Waterville
www.churchmedia.tv/Waterville

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- **Dromod Parish:** St. Finian's Church & Oratory, Waterville and Our Lady of the Valley Church, Cillin Liath
- **Caherdaniel Parish:** St. Crohan's Church, Caherdaniel; Church of Most Precious Blood, Castlecove & Mary Immaculate Church, Lohar

DROMOD PARISH:
Masses will be livestreamed
**Mass intentions from Saturday 8th February to
Sunday 16th February 2025**

Saturday 8th February

10.00am: **St. Finian's**
Requiem Mass +Eddie Quinlan
12.00: Noon **St. Finian's:**
Months Mind +James O'Shea,
3.00pm: **St. Finian's:**
Months Mind +Jackie Moran,
7.30pm: **Cillin Liath:**
+ Mike and Cathy O'Shea, and all deceased
members of the O'Shea family Canugga,
+ Donal and Bridie O'Shea, Octive, Anniversary

Sunday 9th February

10.00am: **St. Finian's**
+ Willie Clifford, Killurley, Anniversary
+ Michaela Carey and all the Carey family of
Moulnahowne
+ Breda Sugrue, Anniversary

Monday 10th February

10.00am: **Oratory**
+ Ahmed Musa, UK – *Recently Deceased*

Wednesday 12th February

10.00am: **Oratory**
+ Paddy McGillicuddy, Cable Station, Anniversary

Friday 14th February

10.00am: **Cillin Liath**
Community Mass – *Refreshments after Mass in gTeic
Building*
7.30pm: **St. Finian's**
+ **No Evening Mass**

Saturday 15th February

7.30pm: **Cillin Liath:**
+ Patsy O'Shea, Gortlatlea, Anniversary

Sunday 16th February

10.00am: **St. Finian's**
+ Julia Sugrue, St. Finian's Terrace

Waterville Community Party will take place at
1.00pm on Sunday 16h February @ Waterville Golf
Links. All are welcome. If anyone needs assistance or
transport, please contact IRD office at 066-9474366.

For those who have died recently:

*Eddie Quinlan, Waterville
Gerald McGill, Portmagee
James O'Sullivan, Boulikeel
Ahmed Musa, UK.*

May they rest in eternal peace. Amen.

CAHERDANIEL PARISH:
Masses will be livestreamed
**Mass intentions from Saturday 9th February to
Sunday 16th February 2025**

Saturday 8th February

1.30pm: **Caherdaniel**
Baptism
6.00pm: **Lohar**
+ Nora and Maurice Carey

Sunday 9th February

9:30am: **Caherdaniel**
+ Eugene O'Sullivan Coomnhorna First Anniversary
and his brother Patsy O'Sullivan, London

Tuesday 11th February

10.00am: **Caherdaniel**
+ Patsy O'Sullivan (Mass Cards)
+ Donal O'Connor (Mass Cards)
+ Tim Murphy (Mass Cards)
+ Kevin Mulcahy (Mass Cards)

Saturday 15th February

6.00pm: **Castlecove**
+ Josephine and Paddy O'Leary, Castlecove

Sunday 16th February

9:30am: **Caherdaniel**
+ All deceased members of the O'Dwyer family,
Upper Caherdaniel

Castlecove/Caherdaniel Defib Project

We have 20 defibrillators in the parish for public access.
We are planning to run 5 public courses during February in
CPR & AED. Each course is approx. 3 hours duration, 8
people per session. The courses will run both afternoons
and evenings on Thursdays in February, on a first come
first serve basis. These 5 courses are free and are being
funded by the Derrynane Inshore Rescue Defibrillator
Fund. For further information or to book a place, contact
Ger on 087 6765648

Recovery Haven Kerry (Cancer Support House) will have
a Drop in Support & Information morning in **Cahersiveen**
Thursday February 13th at 10.30am-2pm. This will be held
at the [Cahersiveen Social Services](#) Building (V23R726).
There will be Reflexology and Massage but by appointment
only so please call us on 066 7192122 if you would like to
avail of them.

**Diocesan 2nd Collection this week
Lourdes Helpers 2025**

Dromod Community Alert are holding a meeting on
Wednesday 12th February at 7.30 Ionad Lae
Dromod. All are welcome to attend.

Bishop Ray to Commission Inaugural Pastoral Leaders

Bishop Ray will commission 25 people as pastoral leaders at 12 noon
Mass in St Mary's Cathedral, Killarney on Sunday Feb 9th. The
ministry of pastoral leader is a new ministry in the Diocese of
Kerry. The ministry involves the co-ordination and support of
pastoral ministry in parishes and pastoral areas. The volunteer
pastoral leaders will work with the clergy, parish secretaries and all
those already involved in parish ministry. The pastoral leaders will
be commissioned for three years. All are welcome to attend the
Mass in the Cathedral, or to join online via:

killarneyparish.com/watchlive

Parish life has changed greatly. People are concerned about the
future of their parishes. Pastoral leaders will work with the clergy
and parish ministers in a complementary role. Over the past two
years, the newly commissioned pastoral leaders have undergone a
formation programme accredited by Mary Immaculate College,
Limerick. This programme has given the participants an opportunity
to develop their faith and their skills. Some of the roles they will
undertake may be ones that were traditionally carried out by
priests e.g. bringing communion to the housebound or supporting
the schools with preparation for the reception of the Sacraments.
As Bishop Ray has said, "The future Church will be different not
better or worse!" as he welcomes the new ministry in the diocese.

**We send our best wishes to Philomena Scanlon from Caherdaniel
Parish & Dermot Walsh from Cahersiveen Parish who will be
commissioned this Sunday. May you be blessed in the ministry.**

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Piarsaigh na Dromoda 2025 Membership is now due. Please
contact Mary (087 6238257) or Jenny (087 2775392) to arrange
payment. Thank you.

Variety Show will be held on **Friday 14th February at 7pm sharp**
in **Foilmore Community Center**. It's a fundraiser for **Filemore
N.S.** The children of the school will perform along with local south
Kerry performers. Entry fee €10 Adults & children go free. Raffle
on the night.

Volunteers Wanted to ensure the continuity of community events-
St. Patrick's Day Parade, Easter Egg Hunt, Halloween, NYE etc. If
you are able to ANY of the following-Wear a hi-viz and direct
traffic, Put up and take down crowd safety barriers, Hand out
medals, Put out easter eggs, Throw water sponges, Talk on a
microphone, Face paint, Carve pumpkins, Build Halloween
structures, Any skill you feel could be useful for ANY one of these
events even for 1 hour! -Please email IRD Waterville
at irdwatervilleclg@gmail.com or text 0879552750

**PARISH OFFICE
DROMOD /CAHERDANIEL**

OPENING HOURS:

Tues & Thurs 10am - 1pm

You are always welcome to call to the Parish
Office based at the Dromod Parish Presbytery
for Mass Bookings/Mass Cards/Certs or any
general enquiries.

Notices for Parish Newsletter

Information to be included in Newsletter,
please email/hand in to the Presbytery before
12:00pm on Thursdays - email:
waterville@dioceseofkerry.ie
caherdaniel@dioceseofkerry.ie

**Tide times for Ballinskelligs Bay +05mins for
Westcove - Not for Navigation**

09.02.25	01.27 high	07.57 low	14.02 high	20.22 low
10.02.25	02.34 high	08.57 low	14.58 high	21.15 low
11.02.25	03.23 high	09.46 low	15.42 high	22.02 low
12.02.25	04.07 high	10.31 low	16.27 high	22.44 low
13.02.25	04.51 high	11.10 low	17.07 high	23.21 low
14.02.25	05.29 high	11.44 low	17.43 high	23.54 low
15.02.25	06.05 high	12.18 low	18.16 high	

Last Week's Collections

Dromod Parish
Offertory €1085.00
Caherdaniel Parish
Offertory €636.00

*We sincerely thank you for your support
towards the offertory collection*

FOR FEBRUARY

Sacristan: Angela Hallissey, Trish McLintock,
Mary Jo Fitzpatrick

Church Cleaning:

Cillin Liath: Mary Jackie O'Sullivan &
Cathy Connell

St. Finian's: Teresa Batt O'Sullivan, &
Zara Dwyer

Eucharistic Ministers:

Cillin Liath: Mary Sheehan
St. Finian's: Catherine Walsh

Readers:

Cillin Liath: Anne Curran
St. Finian's: Bernie Cronin