



Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2nd August 2026

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Sunday Masses

St Ninnidh's Church, Derrylin

Sat 1st August 7.30pm

Nora Shannon (Drumdoney)

Sat 8th August 7.30pm

Oisín Cassidy 1st Anniversary Mass (Corraclare Little) **AND**
Bridie Cassidy and deceased of the Cassidy family (Milltown) **AND**
Mick & Pat McManus and their parents Mary Anne & Patrick and Joe
McQuillan (Aughyoule) & Mary McManus (Ballyconnell Road)

St Mary's Church, Teemore

Sun 2nd August 11.15am

For the People of the Parish

Sun 9th August 11.15am

Fergal Murphy 1st Anniversary Mass (Fivemiletown) **AND**
Sean & Kate Martin (Slieve View) **AND**
Joanne McGovern (Drumderg)

Masses During the Week

Mon	10.00am	Derrylin	Special Intention
Tues	10.00am	Derrylin	Special Intention
Wed	10.00am	Derrylin	Special Intention
Wed	7.00pm	Teemore	NO MASS
Thurs	10.00am	Derrylin	Special Intention
Fri	10.00am	Derrylin	Special Intention
Fri	7.00pm	Teemore	Martin Donohoe & deceased of the Donohoe Family (Dernagore)

Bryan Gallagher RIP: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Bryan, Enniskillen formerly Derrylin who died on 23rd July. His funeral took place on in St. Michael's Church, Enniskillen on Monday.

St. Vincent de Paul: St Ninnidh's Conference can be contacted for support at any time on [07873240493](tel:07873240493)

Parish Office is closed and will re-open on Monday 10th August.

Pope's Collection: We say thank you to all who contributed so generously to our recent church collection. Your contributions came to a total of £728.50 and €74.

Ministers & Helpers

Derrylin

Readers

Sat 1st August Debbie Murphy

Sat 8th August Briege Smith (First Reading & Resp Psalm)
Cassidy Family (Second Reading & Gosp Accm)
Cassidy Family (Prayer of the Faithful)

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat 1st August Martin McBrien & Ciara Lunney
Sat 8th August Laoise McManus & Mary Cassidy

Basket Collectors

August Conaill Boyle & Eunan Maguire

Care of Altar

August Brigid & Michelle McManus

Ministers & Helpers

Teemore

Readers

Sun 2nd August Martina Brady
Odhrán McDonald (Prayer of the Faithful)
Liam Farren & Family (Gifts)

Sun 9th August McGovern Family
Sheana Murray (Prayer of the Faithful)
Elsie Gilleece & Family (Gifts)

Eucharistic Ministers

Sun 2nd August J McBarron, M Curry, N Curry
Sun 9th August J McBarron, M Curry, T McGovern

Basket Collectors

August Gabriel McCaffrey & Michael McAvinue

Care of Altar

August Sheila Donohoe & Cait Maguire

Big Bingo at St Ninnidh's Parish Centre on Friday night at 8.30pm. Great Prizes and Jackpot of £2900 to be won, 45 calls or less. The £1000 prize was won by Tina McManus, Ballyconnell.

Clachan Court: Coffee morning continues and the date for our next outing is Tuesday the 11th of August.
Chiropodist Emma will be in Clachan Court every 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month. For an appointment ring her on 077 3804 4344.

Parish Pastoral Councils

As we prepare for the renewal of our Parish Pastoral Council this autumn, we continue our weekly series exploring the role, purpose and importance of the council in the life of our parish.

Looking Ahead

This autumn, the Parish Pastoral Council will be renewed.

Some current members will continue in their role, offering experience and continuity. At the same time, new members will be welcomed, bringing fresh ideas and new energy.

This process of renewal helps keep the council connected to the life of the parish today.

Teemore Women's Group Annual Grotto Service on Tuesday 11th August at 6.30pm

Theme is Negative influencing on social media resulting in disrespect for and violence against women. (Names for catering purposes please).

Congratulations to all of our Musicians and Dancers from the local area who competed in the Ulster Fleadh in Warrenpoint.

A special congratulations to those who have secured their place at Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann in Belfast.

What an amazing achievement and we wish you every success in Belfast 🍀

- ★ Caolán Maguire, 1st - U12 Piano Accordion
- ★ Grace Shergill, 2nd -U12 Piano Accordion
- ★ Grace Shergill, 1st – 12A Piano
- ★ Derrylin CCE, 1st - U12 8-Hand Céilí Dancing Ladies
- ★ Dáire Dunne, 1st - 12-15 Miscellaneous
- ★ Dáire Dunne, 2nd - 12-15 Fiddle
- ★ Derrylin CCE, 1st - 12-15 8-Hand Céilí Dancing Ladies
- ★ Ruairí McManus, 1st - 15-18 Fiddle Slow Airs
- ★ Catherine Dunne, 2nd - Newly Composed Tunes

Kilmore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Saturday, the 8th of August 2026. The Stations of the Cross and Rosary will be celebrated at 2pm. Mass and Anointing of the Sick will take place at 3pm. Bishop Martin Hayes will be the Principal Celebrant. Oughteragh and Drumreilly Lower Parish will participate in the liturgy, and the Sacred Music will be provided by the St Mary's Church Choir, Aughnasheelin, Co. Leitrim.

Bawnboy Community Festival 31st July – 3rd August

The Bawnboy Community Festival returns with a fantastic programme of events for all ages.

Sunday, 2nd August

- Vintage Family Fun Day
- Live Music Throughout the Day

Monday, 3rd August

- Boat Trip to St. Mogue's Island
- Jampa Ling Buddhist Centre Open Day
- Festival Raffle to close the weekend

All funds raised will be donated to cancer charities and local community services.

We look forward to welcoming you to another enjoyable and successful Community Festival.

Did you know? In August 1852, an effigy of Judge William Keogh was burned in Derrylin before a crowd of around 1,000 people. Keogh, who had served as MP for Athlone and was one of the founders of the Catholic Defence Association and the Independent Irish Party, had pledged that he would never accept office in Westminster. However, he later broke that promise by accepting office in Lord Aberdeen's government. His decision was seen by the Irish electorate as an unforgivable betrayal of a solemn pledge.

Teemore Shamrocks

Congratulations to Frances Quaile, winner of our 50/50 draw. Thank you to everyone who supported the draw.

Best wishes to Alannah and Fermanagh Ladies in the All-Ireland on Sunday.

Good luck to our Minors who have their first match in the Championship next Wednesday.

Derrylin O'Connells

Minors are home Wednesday to Enniskillen, in the first round of the championship, at 7.30. Seniors are away to Tempo, Friday at 7.30.

We have a crucial 7 weeks left in our draw, every ticket is vital for our development plan, so please even if you can only spare an hour selling or share the link to friends near and far, between now and then it will be appreciated.

Tickets are available online at

<https://member.clubspot.app/club/derrylin-oconnells-gfc/fundraisers>

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Today's Gospel remind us that God provides, loves, and invites all to come to Him.

- **God's Generosity:** God gives freely to all. Isaiah speaks of food and drink without cost, and Jesus feeds thousands with little.
- **God's Love is Unbreakable:** Paul says nothing can separate us from God's love. No hardship or struggle can take it away.
- **Trust in God's Care:** The disciples worried about feeding the crowd, but Jesus provided. This shows that God knows our needs and cares for us.
- **Invitation to Come to God:** Jesus welcomes the crowd and gives them what they need.
- **Jesus Feeds the Hungry:** The feeding of the five thousand shows Jesus' care for people's needs. He does not send them away but provides for them.
- **God's Promise is Eternal:** Isaiah reminds us of God's lasting covenant. God's love and care never end.
- **The Eucharist as Spiritual Food:** Jesus' miracle of feeding the crowd points to the Eucharist. Just as He gave them bread to satisfy their hunger, He gives us Himself in the Eucharist to nourish our souls.