

Remembering the Tragedy of the Dromcollogher Cinema Fire in September 1926,

48 who died, those who survived,
their families and descendants,
all the first responders who cared
for their community

Dean Edmond Punch (1892 - 1979) served as curate in
the parish of Dromcollogher and worked throughout the
tragedy to care for both living and dead.

He served in this parish, Mungret Crecora Raheen from
1937 – 1970 and is buried in Crecora Church grounds.

“Heart Speaks to Heart”

Motto of Saint John Henry Newman 1801-1890



Wreath placed at
Dean Punch's headstone
on 5 September 2026
to mark the centenary of the fire