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The Parish of Magheradroll comprises thirty-six townlands. They are listed below with translations and meanings:-

- Aghnaleck - *Ath-na-leac* - Ford of the flagstones.
- Ballylintagh - *Baile linnteach* - Townland of the pools. (flax ?)
- Ballycrune - *Baile cruinn* - Round townland.
- Ballycreen - *Baile crion* - Withered townland.
- Ballykeel - *Baile caol* - Narrow townland
- Ballylone - *Baile Abhann* - Townland of the river.
- Ballykine - *Baile Mhic Chathain* - Kane's townland.
- Ballymacarn - *Baile Mhic Chearnaigh* - Kearney's townland.
- Ballymaglave North - *Baile Mhic Fhlaitumh* - McGlave's townland.
- Ballymurphy - *Baile Uí Mhurchadha* - Murphy's townland.
- Ballynahinch - *Baile na h-inse* - Townland of the island.
- Burren - *Bolrinn* - Rocky place.
- Cargacreevy - *Carraig na craoibhe* -Rock of the great tree.
- Cragygray - *Carrai re Cabhach* - Grey Rock.
- Carricknadariff - *Carraig na dair-mha* - Rock of the oak plain.
- Creevytenant - *Craobh an teannt* - Ceremonial tree.
- Cluntagh - *Cluanta* - Weadowlands.
- Cluntanagullion - *Clunta na gcuileann* - Meadows of the holly trees.
- Cumber - *Cumar* - Confluence of rivers.
- Dooglen - *Dubh-ghllean* - Black glen.
- Dunbeg - *Dun beag* - Small dun or fort.
- Dunmore - *Dun mor* - Big dun or fort
- Drumaness - *Droim an easa* - Hill of the waterfall or hill of the weasel.
- Drumgavolin - *Droim gaibhlin* - Hill ridge of the little river fork.
- Drumkeeragh - *Droim caorach* - Hill ridge of the sheep.
- Drumsnade - *Droim snathad* - Hill ridge of the needles.
- Edenduff - *Eudun na duir-mhu* - Hill brow of the plain/Hill brow of the bull.
- Glasdrumman - *Glas-droman* - Green hill.
- Glebe - *An English term* - Townland for support of the Established Church
- Guinness - *Baile na Gatnmhe* - Townland of the sand.
- Magheraconluce - *Machaire Chluain lius* - Plain of the meadow of the healing herb.
- Magheradroll - *Machaire idir ghabhal* - Plain within the river fork.
- Magherahamlet - *Machaire am thaimhleachta* - The field of the plague grave.
- Magheraknock - *Machaire an chnoic* - Plain of the hill.
- Magheratimpany - *Machaire an tiompandigh* - Plain of the minstrel.

These townlands in the Parish of Magheradroll comprise three areas each served by their own church.