

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

September 12th 2021

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Date		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
Sat. Sep 11th	Clooney 7.00pm	Pius O’Neill, Quin Gardens & Kilmurry	Frances Earls	Frances Earls
Sun Sep 12th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Mary Heffernan	John O’Sullivan
Sun Sep 12th	Quin 11.00am	Gerard & Mary Clune, Ballymaclune Bridie Doherty, Ballykilty	Jimmy Maher & Chris Kelly	Brian McMahan
Mon Sep 13th	Quin 10.00am	Pat & Maureen Reynolds and Maye O’Connor late of Ballyhannon		
Tue Sep 14th	Quin 10.00am	Mary McMahan, Broadford and her recently deceased son -in-law Gerard McInerney, O’Callaghans Mills		
Sat Sep 18th	Clooney 7.00pm	John & Maureen Daffy, Rathclooney and Nora & Jim Halligan, Dublin	Tom Larkin	Nuala Daffy
Sun Sep 19th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Flan Hassett	Martin Casey
Sun Sep 19th	Quin 11.00am	Jack Mc Mahon, Danganbrack	Teasie Ryan & Connie Corry	Pauline Hogan

Daily Mass: (Quin) Mon-Fri: 10am

Rest In Peace: Eileen McGovern, Cricklewood, England. Sister of Chris Kelly, Manor View.

Weekly Contributions: Amount collected € 675. Contributions can also be left in the parish office during this time of restrictions or use the Donate button on the Killaloe Diocese website. The Parish Council continues to thank all who leave contributions to the parish office at this time. Your generosity is much appreciated.

Priests' Autumn Collection: This weekend Sept. 11th/12th the Priests' Autumn collection will be taken up at all Masses. This is the third of four collections throughout the year to pay the Priests of the Killaloe Diocese. There is a special white envelope with a yellow top for this collection in your box of envelopes. Alternatively, if you would like to donate online go to the Killaloe Diocesan website, find Quin Parish and use the special button on the website. Donations can also be dropped off at the Parish Office. We thank you for your generosity to this collection.

Comhghairdeas! To all the Confirmation Candidates who received their Confirmation on Saturday. Sept. 11th. We also congratulate their parents, sponsors, and teachers and schools who put so much effort into the Ceremonies to make it a memorable day. Well done to all involved!

First Holy Communion: The First Holy Communion will take place in St. Mary’s Church, Quin on the 25th September at 10am and 12 noon.

Pilates: Pilates resumes in Quin Community Centre on Tuesday 21st September at 6.45pm. This is a 6 week course and mats are provided. Contact Mary Donlon on 087 281 8408.

Dementia/alzheimers awareness talk: Wednesday, 15th September 2021 'Dementia/alzheimers awareness talk'. - A Healthy Ireland at your Library event. Online event 1pm – 2pm. Join Sean Donal O'Shea, Dementia Advisor working with the Alzheimer Society of Ireland and learn about the condition and the various supports available to people who are living with dementia as well as their families and carers. Free event for people throughout Co Clare aged 18+. Booking is essential. In order to take part, participants will require remote access to Zoom. Please book your place by emailing kilrush@clarelibrary.ie or by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours.

Clare Older People's Volunteer of the Year Award 2021: The search is on again to recognise those who give their time, energy and skills to help others in the local community. For nomination forms for the Clare Older People's Volunteer of the Year Award 2021 please contact Helen on (065) 6846240 or email: hmoloney@clarecoco.ie Closing date for receipt of nomination forms is Friday 1st October.

Burren Weekend Retreat 24-26 September: Would you like to come on a guided journey through the Burren? Experience the silence and beauty of this unique landscape through walking mindfully on ancient pathways or limestone pavements. Get to know some of the rare flora and appreciate our rich faith heritage in one of the many ancient sacred sites. Further information Noirin 087 945 9151 or Mary 087 970 1130

St. Stephen's Church Maghera: Works are continuing on the repairs to the church roof in Maghera. The cost of these works is €50,791.25. The Parish has a shortfall of €28,000 to meet this project. If you would like to donate towards this project, please place your contribution into an envelope with your name and weekly contribution number on the envelope. All donations are gratefully appreciated.

On-line Donations to Parish: In these times of Government lockdown and restrictions on attendances at public masses, many people who are unable to attend church services are interested in contributing to the support of their parish or their priests. Sincere thanks to all our parishioners who have contributed during this time. It is now possible to make a contribution by credit or debit card directly to your parish using the Diocesan website – www.killalodiocese.ie. The full contribution as received by the Diocesan website will be fully paid to your parish. Simply go to the Diocesan website and click on the red "Donate to your parish" button on the top of the page. You will be invited to select your parish and the parish fund you wish to contribute. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Reminder: The vaccine portal has opened for parents and guardians to register children aged between 12 and 15. We would like to remind everyone aged 16 and over to register for their COVID-19 vaccine through the HSE's online registration system or on the phone with HSELive. To register you will need your PPS number, your Eircode, email address or phone number.

Booking of Mass Intentions: Please give at least two weeks notice when booking a Mass intention. One intention will be taken for weekday Masses and for Sunday's NO more than three family intentions will be taken for Clooney and Quin Churches and one intention for Maghera Church. Please ring the Parish Office during office hours 11am-5pm at (065) 6825612. If there is no answer please leave a name, date that you would like and contact number and we will get back to you. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Newsletter Deadline: If you wish to put a notice in the newsletter, please have your notice in by 12 noon on Tuesdays. Please email quinparish@gmail.com

Quin Taekwondo Fundraising are pleased to announce that the much awaited "Split the Pot" will be recommencing, with the first draw taking place on Tuesday September 14th.

A HUGH Thank you to all who supported our recent Cake Sale in Aid of Raheen Day Care Centre from Pauline Orla and Niamh Hoey.

Malachys Farmers Market Sunday 19th of September 11am -1pm. Burren Butcher Killybegs Fishmonger Little Cheese Stall Quinns Fruit & Veg Arbutus Woodcraft Sharons Handmade Creations Anna's Bakes Ourdailybreadirish Wix & Wax Wholesomecompany Casa Street Kitchen. Any queries in relation to the Farmers Market please email malachysbarquincoclare@gmail.com and follow Malachys Bar Quin on Instagram & Facebook for regular updates.

Lotto : Draw 9th Sep. 2021. Jackpot: €9,000. Numbers drawn: 6; 12; 14; 26. No winner €40 Winners: Peter Cantwell, Quin; Michael Clune, Quin Gdns; Tina Cleary, Carrahan; Ronan McMahon, Spancilhill; Frank Enright, Quin. Next draw Online 16th September 2021. Jackpot: €9,200. Tickets available online - purchase cut-off time 5.00pm. Tickets also available in Crowes, Quin Post Office and Clooney Stores - purchase cut-off time 1.00pm For all up-to-date news you can follow us on Facebook, Twitter or visit www.clooneyquingaa.ie. We thank you for your continued support. Go raibh maith agaibh as bhur dtacaíocht leanúnach