Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes August 1st 2021

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| Masses: | | Anniversaries | Eucharistic Ministers: | Readers: |
| Sat 31 st July | Clooney 7.00pm | No Intention | Catherine Ryan | Linda Hale |
| Sun 1 st Aug. | Maghera 9.30am | No Intention | Mary Corbett | Anne Daffy |
| Sun 1 st Aug. | Quin 11.00am | Jimmie & Nellie Duggan, Carrickfergus. | Ann Corbett & Ann Lynch | Lena O'Halloran |
| Sat 7 th Aug. | Clooney 7.00pm | No Intention | Bridie McNamara | Orla Hanrahan |
| Sun 8 th Aug. | Maghera 9.30am | No Intention | Eileen Daly | Eileen Daly |
| Sun 8 th Aug. | Quin 11.00am | Tom Conroy, Ballyhannon. | Joe Brennan & Kay O'Shaughnessy | Mary Maher |
| Tues 10 th Aug. | Quin 10.00am | O'Halloran Family, Ballyhickey. | | |

Daily Mass: (Quin) Mon—Fri.: 10:00am

Rest In Peace: Peggy McCarty, Ballymaclune, whose funeral took place during the week. Winifred (Winnie) Wood, Suffolk, England, Grandmother of Joan Molloy, Feighquin. Anne Francis (nee Neylon), Galway, late of Quin, sister of Michael Neylon, (Cahercalla, Quin).

Weekly Contributions: Amount collected €505. Contributions can 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.

GAA Lotto Draw 29th July 2021. Jackpot €7800. Numbers drawn:4;20;25;27. No winner. €40 winners: David Barry Jnr. Knocknagoug; Michael Ryan, Quin Village; Josephine Keogh, Clooney; Martina Cunningham, London; Stephan Littleton, Dangan. Next Draw Online 5th August 2021. Jackpot €8000. Tickets available online–purchase cut off time 5.00pm. Tickets also available in Crowes, Quin Post Office and Clooney Stores, cut off time 1.00pm. For all up-to-date ne 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.

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

First Friday: Friday next, Aug 6th is the First Friday of the month. A priest from the Pastoral Area will visit the sick and housebound during the week.

Eucharistic Adoration: Will resume this Thursday Aug 5th. If you would like to give an hour in Eucharistic Adoration please contact George Farr at 086-8355910.

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 – <u>www.killalodiocese.ie</u>. 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.

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.

St. Stephen's Church Maghera: Works are continuing on the repairs to the church roof in Maghera. The cost of these works is \in 50,791.25. The Parish has a shortfall of \in 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. We would like to thank the donation received of \in 59 towards this project. All donations are gratefully appreciated.

Tour of Holy Island: A bus departs the ring of Lough Derg Tourist Office on Tuesday and Thursday at 12.30pm, then by boat from Mountshannon. The tour of the Island is given by Ger Madden and then return to Flanagans on the Lake for a late lunch. Tour and Lunch for €40. Bookings need to be made in advance by contacting 085-1086497.

'Moving from Primary to Secondary school'. - A Healthy Ireland at your Library event. Tuesday, 10th August 2021: Online event 1pm – 2.30pm Join Dr. Mary O'Kane, lecturer in Psychology, Early Childhood Studies and Education, as she identifies the changes and challenges for children as they move from primary to secondary school. Dr. O'Kane will offer practical advice for parents on how to best support their children on this new educational journey. Free event for people throughout Co Clare aged 18+. Places are limited, booking is essential. In order to take part, participants will require remote access to Zoom. Please book your place by emailing <u>kilrush@clarelibrary.ie</u> or by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours.

Reminder: If you are aged between 16 and 17 you can now register for your vaccine. We would like to remind everyone aged 18 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. You can now get your COVID-19 vaccine at a local pharmacy if you are not already vaccinated and are aged over 18. To get your vaccine at a pharmacy, book your appointment with one of the pharmacies on the list of participating pharmacies.

Down Syndrome Clare Branch 21st Annual, 600km "Tour De Munster" talks place this year from Aug 5th – 8th where over 150 cyclists will travel the length of Munster raising awareness and funds for our local Down Syndrome Clare branch. Bucket shaking in Ennis, Ennistymon & Kilrush on Friday, Aug 6th and any volunteers who wish to help on the day can contact Laura Cahir on 087 2901892. You can donate today by entering their online raffle at <u>https://www.idonate.ie/raffle/DSClareFundraiserTdM</u> where a fantastic racing bike worth 1599 euro is up for grabs, sponsored by Planet Tri in Killaloe, - Tickets for this are 1 for €10, 3 for €25 or 5 for €40. Thanks in advance for your support.

Thought for the Week

Worry ends where faith begins.

(Please take your newsletter home with you. Do not leave in the pew.) Thank you!