

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

Pentecost Sunday - May 20th 2018

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Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Clooney 7.00pm Sat 26th May	Roisin Leamy	Rebecca O’Neill
Maghera 9.30am Sun 27th May	Gordon Dicks	Eileen Daly
Quin 11am Sun 27th May	Maureen McKeogh	Ann Corbett & Monica O’Halloran
Eucharistic Adoration Quin Church, next Thursday and every Thursday, Vigil observed 9.30am to 5.30pm. Why not drop in for a few minutes?		

Mass Anniversaries		
Sat May 19th (Clooney)	7.00pm	Liam & Christina Loughnane Cranagher
Sun May 20th (Maghera)	9.30am	Sean Moloney O’Callaghan Mills
Sun May 20th (Quin)	11am	Mick & Dokey Walsh Corbally
Sat May 26th (Clooney)	7.00Pm	Michael Collins Corbally
Sun May 27th (Quin)	11am	Lena Meaney Carhugar Haulie Moloney Monanoe



Daily Mass: Quin: Monday—Friday: 9.15

Pray & Play: April 29th Team 1: Una Clune, Maire Fahy & Paula Nugent

Offertory Donations: Three Churches **€1251.00.** **Teller Quin 27th May :** Eva Orahilly & Finuala O’Sullivan

CCTV: Has been installed in Quin Church for crime prevention and general Security Purposes.

Sacristans Clooney & Maghera and Church Cleaning Quin: Collection will be taken up next weekend 26/27May. White envelope in your box..

First Holy Communion: will take place Saturday next 26th at 11am for Quin/Dangan School in Quin Church.

World Meeting Of Families Petition Box: Every Tuesday Mass is offered for the intention of our families in the parish. Simply place your petition in the box provided in Quin Church.

Exams Mass: A Mass for all students sitting their Leaving Certificate or Junior Certificate Exams will be in Quin Church Sunday 3rd June at 11am.All Families welcome.

Pro Life Thought: ‘Among the vulnerable for whom the church wishes care with particular love and concern are unborn children, the most defenceless and innocent among us. Nowadays efforts are made to deny them their human dignity and to do with them whatever pleases, taking their lives and passing laws preventing anyone from standing in the way of this....the church cannot be expected to change her position on this question....it is not “ progressive” to try and resolve problems by eliminating a human life.’ **Pope Francis, Evangelii Gaudium 213-214.**

Quin Taekwondo Split the pot : Total pot **€ 180.** Congratulation to this week’s winner James Reynolds who wins **€ 90.** Best of luck for next week. Envelopes for split the pot can be found in the local shops & Pubs.

Mary, Mother of the church: A Memorial honouring Mary as Mother of the church has been added to the church calendar, to be observed on the Monday after Pentecost, 21th May.

Clare prolife groups have a "Lifts for Life" scheme throughout Co. Clare, which is created to help prolife voters, who have no means of transport to get to polling stations on May 25th. If you need a lift to the polling station, we will do our best to send a driver your way. We also need drivers to help take people in their locality, to the polling station. If you are looking for a lift or willing to help out as a driver please contact 086-1908318 or visit www.aliftforlife.com Any amount of time volunteered will be greatly appreciated.

Ennis Garda station opens Day 26th May 2018 is free and open to everyone, it is on from 2pm-5pm. Weather permitting the Garda Air Support Unit Helicopter will land in the adjoining GAA grounds, Cusack Park. Other specialist Garda Units attending include the mounted Unit, Dog Unit, Traffic Corps, scenes of crime, Community Policing unit, Victims of crime and the crime prevention Officer. The event also includes guided tours of Ennis Garda Station to members of the public. Our local partner agencies will also be presented, including the Clare Civil Defence and the Clare Fire & Rescue Services. Free Parking for the duration of event at the Clare County Council Offices on New Road, Ennis.

Quin Village Tidy Towns is gearing up for this years competition. Judges will be visiting weekend in June. Our aim is to again increase our scores. To do so we need the support of all villagers to help us keep the village clean. Every Sat from now until judging in June cleaning & weeding will continue call to Quin hall village housing estates are highly rated by tidy Town judges and continue to take responsibility for their areas. **Pride of the place Quin has been selected to represent Co Clare .**

Health Care Assistants Required: Full & Part time hours available. QQI Level 5 in health care support/community Health or similar. Patient Moving & Handling. If currently studying for this award, applicants will also be considered. Experience required. Contact: Bluebird Care Clare on 065-6868222 or Email clare@bluebirdcare.ie.

The recently formed **Clare Branch of the the Parkinson's Association of Ireland** will be meet at Carrigoran Health & Wellness Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus at 10.00am on Friday 25th may. All are welcome. For further information contact 087-4158430

Lotto Results: Lotto drawn no's: 3-4-16-18. No winner co. Board Draw Ticket: David Taylor, Spencilhill, David Moloney. Dun Na Manach. € 40 winner Karen & Owen O'Brien, Quinville. Martin Liddy, Jaspers Pound, Chrissie Casey. Next weeks draw in **Malahys. Jackpot € 12,**

Diocesan Notes

SAFEGUARDING All Clerics and Religious are Mandated persons. The Children First Act 2015 places a legal obligation on them, to report child protection concerns to Tusla - Child and Family Agency. These mandated persons must also assist Tusla, on request, in its assessment of child protection concerns about children who have been the subject of a mandated report.

Lough Derg 2018: Season opens for One Day Retreats on Saturday 5th May. Retreats continue on **May 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 15, 20, 22, 26, 27 & 28.** Advance booking is essential. Tel +353 (0) 71 9861518 or email info@loughderg.org. Why not take some time and space for yourself on Lough Derg this May? (Three Day Pilgrimage Season begins on Friday 1st June.)

11th Annual Clare Burren Marathon Challenge - Sat May 26th 2018 *The Burren, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare. Choice of Full, Half & 10K Mini marathons. Walk - Jog - Run, both on & off road, across the beautiful Burren terrain. Entry options & info: <http://www.clareburrenmarathonchallenge.com/> or phone 087 7779714. Charity Groups, individuals, runners, walkers - everyone welcome to take part.*

Anam Cara Tipperary, an organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its next monthly Parent Evening on Monday 21st of May from 7.30pm-9:00pm in the Horse & Jockey Hotel, Thurles, Co. Tipperary. Anam Cara Tipperary offers a safe and comfortable setting where you can 'drop the mask' and be yourself among people who understand. This event is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether this was recent or not.

"SONGS OF HOME AND FAMILY" : TO MARK THIS SPECIAL YEAR OF THE FAMILY, AND TO HELP THE HOMELESS. Your support will be greatly appreciated for this event which takes place in Sts. Peter and Paul's Church, Borrisokane on Thursday May 17th @ 8pm and in St. Mary's of the Rosary Church, Nenagh on Thursday May 24th @8pm, with singers from the parishes of Cois Deirge and Odhran clusters, to mark this Special Year of the Family, the visit of Pope Francis, and to help the Homeless. Donations for the McVerry Trust and Focus Ireland will be very welcome on both nights. Triona O Connor from Focus Ireland will attend in Borrisokane on May 17th and Fr. Peter McVerry will attend in Nenagh on May 24th.

Please take your newsletter home with you.