

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

24th Sunday The Nativity of John Baptist -24th June 2018

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			Clooney 7.00pm Sat 30th June	Vincent Keogh	Pamela McGrath
Masses			Anniversaries		
Sat. 23rd June (Clooney)	7.00pm	John Nash Toonagh			
Sun .24th June (Quin)	11am	Fr. Micheal McInerney, Quin Patrick Keane Orda, Quin			
Sat. 30th June (Clooney)	7.00pm	No Intention			
Sun. 1st July (Maghera)	9.30am	No Intention			
Sun. 1st July (Quin)	11am	No Intention			
Pray For:		John Enright Newmarket on Fergus, brother of Frank Enright, Abbeyview, Quin			
			Eucharistic Adoration Quin Church, next Thursday and every Thursday, Vigil observed 9.30am to 5.30pm. Why not drop in for a few minutes?		

Daily Mass: (Quin): Mon—Fri: 9.15

Pray & Play: June 24th Today’s pray and play liturgy will be the last one for summer. We thank all the leaders who are so committed in keeping this time of prayer and learning for the children of our parish.

Offertory Donations: Three Churches **€955. Tellers Quin 1st July** : Monica Dolan & Nollie McCarthy.

Trocaire Lenten Collection: To date has amounted to €5,312. Thank you for your generosity to the poor of the Third World.

Annual Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on **Sunday 29th July 2018. Led by Bishop Fintan Monahan.** Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm. For bus transport please contact Glynn’s Coaches @ 6828234.

Schools Closing: School will close this week for the summer holidays . We wish all the pupils and teachers of our two primary schools a very restful and safe summer and may all return refreshed and renewed in September.

Tickets for the Papal visit to Knock and the Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park on Sunday August 26th will be available on **Monday June 25th on the worlds Meeting of Families Website. All Tickets are FREE.**

The Ministry of Pastoral Care and the Ministry of Catechist: Leaflets with information about these ministries are available in the Church Porches.

Guided Walks for Active Agers (over 50’s)- Thursday 28th June @ 11am. The Cloondorney Lake Loop, Tulla. This a 7km looped Walk along part of the East Clare way walking route, Starting Tulla. The walk will start and finish at the Clare Walks Office on Main street, Tulla. V95 C4E0. The walk follows quiet roads passing quiet countryside, forestry & bogland & will also bring you along the shores of Cloondorney Lake is 40 acres and holds most species of coarse fish. Flat surface mostly, there will be an optional refreshment shop in the Clare Walks office on our returns. Pls Bring suitable walking shoes/boots, waterproof clothing and fluid. This walk is primarily for Active Agers but all are welcome. Dogs are welcome and must be kept on a lead all the times. Walks are free of charge with optional donations. All

Monies raised will go towards the future maintenance and upkeep of the East Clare Way & the Mild Clare Way Walking Routes. For Further Information contact us on 065-683912 or 086-3586293. info@clarewalks.ie

Clooney Graveyard Mass: On Friday 13th July a graveyard Mass will take place in Clooney Graveyard at 8pm. All Welcome.

Quin Taekwondo Split the Pot: Total pot € 162. Congratulation to this week's winner Brendan Molloy who wins €81. Best of luck for next week. Spilt the pot buckets and envelopes are located in our local shops, pubs, laundry and in Molloy's butchers in Roslevan. All the best for next week.

Lotto drawn number: 15,21,27,31.No winner. Country Board Draw Tickets: 1.Martin Clune,Crowhill, 2. Anthony Kirby, 19. Maigh Dara, Quin € 40 winners 1.Seamus Leamy,Knappogue.2. Amy Collins, Corbally.3.Mrs Gallagher.C/O Quin PO. Next week draw: Duggans. Jackpot :€ 12,800.

Diocesan Notes

Ennis Parish, led by Fr Tom Hogan, will make a **pilgrimage to Italy on October 15-22**. They will fly from Dublin to Bari in the heel of Italy and spend the first three nights at the shrine of Padre Pio in San Giovanni Rotondo. This is a very special year as it is the 50th anniversary of the death of Padre Pio and the 100th anniversary of the appearance of the stigmata, the wounds of Christ, on his body. The group will then drive to Sorrento, visiting the lovely town of Pietrelcina on the way. Padre Pio was born here and the whole town is filled with places associated with him. The last four nights will be spent in the famous resort of Sorrento. Perched on a clifftop, the town has unrivalled views of the Bay of Naples and Mount Vesuvius. From here the group will do a boat trip along the spectacular Amalfi Coast to the colourful town of Positano. The return flight is from the nearby airport of Naples to Dublin. For more information on this beautiful trip, please contact Mary on 087 1247669

On Friday August 24th at the World Meeting of Families Congress, the Munster Province (which includes Killaloe diocese) are invited to form a combined provincial choir to sing at 2 major liturgies (9am Morning Prayer in the Simmons Court RDS, and 4pm Eucharist in the RDS Arena). If your choir would like to participate please contact Mr Derek Mahady directly at Music@worldmeeting2018.ie. I encourage your choir to participate on this day focused on the theme of HOPE!

Lough Derg 3 Day Pilgrimage 6th August 2018 (Bank Holiday Monday) Coach leaves Ennis Cathedral at 7 am with pickup available in Barefield, Gort, Oranmore, Claregalway, Tuam, Knock and Sligo. Price €115 For further information and bookings contact James Treacy on 061921470 or Ennis Parish Office on 0656824043

The recently formed Clare Branch of the Parkinson's Association of Ireland: will meet at Carrigoran Health & Wellness Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus at 10.00 am on Friday next, 29th June. One of the Group's aims is to link people with **Parkinson's**, their carer's, relatives, friends and interested health and care professionals. The meeting offers a forum for discussion, support and information and to raise awareness locally about **Parkinson's** and problems associated with the condition. These informal meetings normally include a presentation by a healthcare professional or complementary therapist, as well as an activity that assists people living with **Parkinson's** such as Yoga, Dance, Physiotherapy or Tai Chi. **All are Welcome For further information contact 087 415 8430**

Christmas Pilgrimage Group to the Holy Land Ex Dublin 19^h – 27th December 2018 Trace the Footsteps of Jesus, taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem (Mount of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane, Last Supper Room and Calvary), Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, River Jordan, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee. Contact James Treacy 061921470 or 0860572216 payments can be made in instalments and it's perfectly safe to go at the moment otherwise you will get your money back if cancelled.

Legal Challenge to Referendum - Information is being sought from people who could not vote on 25th May as a result of their names being removed from the voting register. If you were affected please send a **signed** letter, giving your account of what happened, with your name, address and occupation to Alan Daveron, Solicitor, **3 Hollywood Park, Goatstown, Dublin 14**. Alternatively, scan the signed letter and email it to referendumchallengeevidence@yahoo.com. Please send as soon as possible as the case is due before the court again on 26th June. Thank you.

COMPUTER/INTERNET CLASSES FOR OLDER LEARNERS – COMING TO CLARECASTLE IN JULY 2018 Age Action, in partnership with Roche Ireland, is running a special beginner/refresher computer class (iPad/Tablet/Smartphones also) for people aged 55+ who have little or no computer experience or who are apprehensive of technology and would like to increase their confidence. This class will take place in the Roche facility in Clarecastle, Co. Clare. The volunteer tutors will be Roche employees and each student will be taught on an individual (1:1) basis so this is a great opportunity to have **your own individual tutor** to help you 'get connected' in 2018. This once-off course starts on Thursday, July 26th from 11:30 – 1:30pm and runs for 5 consecutive Thursdays, ending on August 23rd. We encourage you to bring your own device (Laptops/iPads/iPhones/ Tablets/Smartphones are all welcome) **however** if you have no device we can provide a laptop for you to learn on. There is no fee for the course. For further information or to book a place on the course, call Age Action on 091 527831. **Spaces Limited.** (NOTE: these classes are for beginners or for people who wish to refresh/build on their basic skills).

June Retreat Days at Glenstal Abbey Tuesday 26th - One Day Silent Retreat for Women. **Wednesday 27th** - Annual one Day Retreat for Women (not silent). **Thursday 28th** - Day Retreat for Men. Reflect, relax and pray in the peaceful and beautiful surrounds of the Abbey. Guided by monks of the monastery, the day will include a number of talks, Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Meals and Refreshment breaks are included. Cost €45. For more information; 061-621005 / events@glenstal.com