

# Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

21st Sunday in Ordinary time—26th August 2018

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Masses		Anniversaries		Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. August 25th (Clooney)	7.00pm	Mary, Christy & Brian Mungavan, Quin		<b>Clooney 7.00pm</b> Sat 1st Sept	Frances Earls	Joseph Daffy
Sun August 26th (Maghera)	9.30am					
Sun August 26th (Quin)	11am	Jim Slattery, Moyreisk; Helan & John Joe Malone, Ballyhickey		<b>Maghera 9.30am</b> Sun 2nd Sept	Martin Casey	Eileen Daly
Thurs August 30th (Clooney)	9.30am	Michael O’Connor, Clough, Co.Laois				
Friday August 31st (Quin)	7.30pm	Mary Hassett, Ballykilty (Month’s Mind)		<b>Quin 11am</b> Sun 2nd Sept	Elaine Downey	Ann Corbett & Ann Lynch
Sat. Sept 1st (Clooney)	7.00pm					
Sun Sept 2nd (Maghera)	9.30am			<b>Eucharistic Adoration Quin Church,</b> next Thursday and every Thursday, Vigil observed 9.30am to 5.30pm. Why not drop in for a few minutes?		
Sun Sept 3rd (Quin)	11am					

**Daily Mass:** (Quin) Mon & Tues: 10am, Weds & Thurs:9:30am, Fri: 7:30pm

**Offertory Donations:** Three Churches €720. Tellers Quin 2nd Sept. Maureen McKeogh & Linda Conneally

**Pastoral Council:** Will have its first meeting after the Summer break on Monday 3rd Sept. at 8PM in the meeting room above the Sacristy in Quin Church. All members are urged to try and attend and new members are more than welcome.

**The Quin Choir** is back on Sunday September 2nd after a summer break . Practice on Monday 27th at 8.30pm. New members welcome . Contact Pauline Hoey 0868192374

**Clare Haven Services** would like to thank the people of Quin, Clooney & Maghera for their generosity at our recent church gate collection. The amount raised was €322.08. Sincere thanks to all.

**Samaritans Ennis & Clare branch** gratefully acknowledge €297.22 collected at the recent church gate collections.

**Quin Taekwondo Split the pot :** Total Pot €96. Congratulations to this week’s winner Iain Jackson who wins €48. Best of luck for next week. Split the pot buckets and envelopes are located in our local shops, pubs, laundry and in Molloy's butchers in Roslevan.

**Lotto numbers:** No's drawn: 2 - 5 - 14 - 25. No winner. €40 winners: Kay Lynch, Cragataska, Cathal Egan, Quin; Anne Marie Hartigan, Ballyhannon David O'Brien, Castlefergus Riding School, Meia Carroll, Abbey Tavern. Next week's draw in Monk's Well. Jackpot: €14,150

**PARKINSON'S ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND - CLARE BRANCH.** This month's Meeting will be held on Friday 31st August at Carrigoran Wellness Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus from 10 am - 1pm. Anybody with Parkinson's and their Family/Carer are welcome. Contact: 087 2272782

**Active Ageing:** The very popular Active Ageing programme of physical exercises for seniors, men and women, will re-commence at 11.30am on Monday, 3rd September at Quin Hall. The sessions will be conducted by John Conroy, Clare Sports Council. Everyone welcome.

**Quin/Clooney Community Games** had huge success at last weekend's All Ireland finals held at the University of Limerick. Noah McConway came 4th in the high jump. Our U14 Skittles and U14 Tag rugby teams won gold and are All Ireland champions. This is an incredible achievement for our wonderful participants and their mentors. Congratulations to all involved.

We welcomed into the Christian Community recently through the Sacrament of Baptism:

*Tom Fionn Moore, Liam Patrick Lawless, Oliver Martin Hannon, Lyla Rose McEntee, Emma Elizabeth Donnellan.*

## Diocesan Notes

**Information evenings on the new volunteer Ministry of Catechist and Ministry of Pastoral Care** being developed by the Diocese will be held at three locations around the Diocese in early September. These are the venues, times and dates: 1. Kilrush, Community Centre: Wednesday, September 12th at 8p.m 2. Ennis, Pastoral Centre: September 13th at 8p.m 3. Obama Plaza, Moneygall, Monday 17th September at 8p.m. All these meetings, Bishop Fintan will be present to formally launch the new Ministries and the Pastoral development team will respond to any questions.

**Lourdes Autumn Pilgrimage:** Due to great demand for the Autumn pilgrimage a second aircraft has been secured for the Autumn Pilgrimage on Sunday 7th October returning Friday 12th October. €679 pps with €10 discount for online booking to [joewalshstours.ie](http://joewalshstours.ie)

**POST OF CHOIR DIRECTOR IN THE CATHEDRAL, ENNIS:** The Cathedral of Sts Peter and Paul, Ennis, is seeking to appoint a Choir Director. The post is a part time post with the expectation that the Director will lead one choir rehearsal during the week and lead one Sunday Eucharist. The Director will also serve the Christmas and Holy Week Liturgies and other occasional liturgies as they arise during the year. Attendance at planning meetings for liturgy will also be necessary. Applicants are invited to submit a letter of application together with their Curriculum Vitae with the names of two referees, one of whom should be a member of the clergy of the Diocese of Killaloe. Further details can be obtained by contacting Fr Tom Ryan V.F at the Cathedral House Station Road Ennis, Co. Clare. Tel (065) 6824043. Please submit your CV and letter of application to Fr Tom Ryan V.F. Cathedral House Station Road, Ennis, Co. Clare. V95 HD7X. The closing date for applications is Friday, September 14th 2018.

**Bereavement Support Information Evening:** will take place in Milford Care Centre on Tue 28th August 2018 from 7pm - 8.30pm. The evening is designed to give general information on grief and bereavement to bereaved people, their family and friends. Bereavement Counsellors will be in attendance to provide general information on Grief and Bereavement. The information evening is Free.

### **Prayer for returning to School:**

*Lord, bless all the children returning to school. May they grow as you did, in wisdom, in stature and in favour with God and his people. Keep them safe as they go to and from school. Keep them faithful to you as they learn and play together. Keep them in your loving care and help them to show the same loving care to others. Amen.*