

# Parish of Quin-Clooney-Maghera

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Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> June 2016

## Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### ANNIVERSARIES

| Sat. 25<sup>th</sup> June (Clooney), 7.00 p.m.  
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Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> June (Maghera), 9.30 a.m.  
Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> June (Quin), 11.00 a.m.  
Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> July (Maghera), 9.30 a.m.

**Kathleen & Michael McMahon.**  
**John Nash,** Toonagh.  
Deceased members, **Markham family,** Maghera  
**Patrick Keane,** Orda, Quin..  
**Nora Harte** (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.) & **John Harte,**  
Ballyvergan.  
**John Ryan,** Ballyhannon.  
**Pat & Ann Liddy,** Snugboro.

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Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of the following who died last week:

- **Nora Lawrence,** Fethard, Co. Tipperary, sister of Eddie Lawrence, Quin.
- **Margaret (Peggy) Corry,** Sixmilebridge, mother of Michael Corry, Ballymaclune, Quin.

**Mass in Quin – Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June to Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> July - 10am each day.**  
Friday next, 1<sup>st</sup> July, is FIRST FRIDAY of the month.  
Fr. McCormack's will visit the sick and housebound on **Thursday next** (30<sup>th</sup> June).

NEXT WEEKEND ...

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
<b>CLOONEY – 7.00pm</b> Sat. Vigil, 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	<i>Eoin Conheady</i>	<i>Michael Murphy</i>
<b>MAGHERA – 9.30am</b> Sunday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> July.	<i>John Dicks</i>	<i>Catherine O'Halloran</i>
<b>QUIN - 11.00am</b> Sunday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	<i>Breda McGrath &amp; Niamh O'Donnell</i>	<i>Ann Lynch, Tom Frain &amp; Marie Lawlor</i>
<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> - Quin church, next Thursday, and every Thursday, <b>9.0am to 7.00pm,</b>		

**Pray & Play:** Leaders today, Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> June – (Team 2): Elaine Downey, Lianda D'Auria, Mary McMahon. Please note – after today, the *Play & Play* programme will go into recess until early September. Many thanks to all the leaders for their commitment throughout the past year.

**Offertory Donations:** (Administration costs, upkeep of parish property, insurance, etc.)

Last weekend, (18/19<sup>th</sup> June): Three churches: **€920.** Tellers: **Quin,** 3<sup>rd</sup> July: Eva Rahilly & Finuala O'Sullivan. Tellers, **Clooney,** Month of July – Maura O'Loughlin & Pat McMahon. Tellers, **Maghera,** month of July – Anthony Corbett & A N Other.

**Priests' Summer Collection:** Many thanks for your generous contributions to the quarterly (June) collection for the priests of the parish. If you have overlooked it, your contribution may be submitted whenever convenient. (Yellow envelope)..

**Parent & Toddler Group:** - Every Monday morning, from 10am to 11.30am, the group meets - in the *Abbey Room* of Quin Community Centre. It comprises parents (fathers as well as mothers), babies, toddlers, grandparents, minders, etc. Terrific social interaction for the adult minders – and great fun for children. If you've not been already, you are invited to come along. All welcome.

**Quin Tidy Towns:** The village has donned its Summer garb and now looks resplendent with flowers and colour and new paint.. The local committee, which organises these enhancements, in readiness for adjudication in the National *Tidy Towns* competition, deserves our full support. The annual churchgate collection takes place today. Your generosity much appreciated.

**Youth Festival:** The "Youth 2000" Summer Festival takes place at the Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary, on 7<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> July (incl). Organised specifically for young people, aged 16 to 35 years, Last year it attracted over 1200 young people from all parts of Ireland. A great opportunity to meet new friends and enjoy the music and fun, and experience the Catholic faith. Cost: donation only. Free buses available from most large towns. For details **01-6753690.**

**World Youth Day 2016:** You are invited to attend the World Youth Day – with Pope Francis – in Krakow, Poland, from July 24<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> 2016. It will be the biggest gathering of young people anywhere in the world this year. You must be 18 years of age to travel on the pilgrimage. The cost is €895. Further details from Deirdre Convey 065-6834461 or Fr. Donagh O'Meara, Killaloe, at 087 2322140.

**A Brighter St. Francis:** Our thanks go to local artist, Patricia Reynolds, for her excellent paint restoration of the statue of St. Francis in the church grounds, Quin. Patricia was acting in an entirely voluntary capacity.

### Retiring Collection:

As announced recently, the World Meeting of Families will take place in Dublin in the year 2018. Pope Francis is expected to attend. (It would be only the second time ever that a reigning Pontiff will come to Ireland; Pope John Paul II was the first, back in 1979). In preparation for the event, the Irish Bishops have asked that each parish contribute to the costs involved. For that reason, a RETIRING COLLECTION will be held at the end of Mass in each of our churches **next weekend, 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> July.** Your support would be much appreciated

**Outstanding Results** - The children of this parish achieved quite remarkable results at the County Finals of the Community Games Athletic Championships at the Lees Road Stadium, Ennis, on Sunday 12th June. With 62 children competing, they amassed a total of **8 Gold Medals, 4 Silver, 9 Bronze,** and 5 fourth place certificates. .Apart from Ennis (with its huge population) Quin/Clooney topped the honours list as the best area in the county. Further details next week.

**Clooney-Quin GAA: Results,** LOTTO Draw, 23<sup>rd</sup> June. Numbers Drawn: **02-12-13-26** No Winner. Jackpot next week: **€7,550.** Lucky Dip (€40 each) Winners: Martin Clune, Carrahan; Liam Killeen, Shraheen; Noreen O'Brien, Quinville; Brian Leamy, Clooney; Aideen, Cillian & Aisling O'Halloran, *Dun na Manach,* Quin

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*Treat everyone with politeness, even those who are rude to you,  
not because they are nice - but because you are.*