

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

29th /30th March 2025

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Date	Mass	Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	Tellers
Sat Mar 29th	Clooney 7.00pm	No Intention	Catherine Ryan	Nuala Daffy	
Sun Mar 30th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Eileen Daly	Mary Casey	
Sun Mar 30th	Quin 11am	Cella & Tom McMahon, Quin & Claremorris, Hannon & Markham Families Sr Dolores Clune, Ballymaclune & Plymouth, and Mary Clune, Ballymaclune & Mervue, Galway	Anne Corbett & Ann Lynch	Deirdre Clune	Haulie Hannon & Moira Scanlon
Sat April 5th	Clooney 7.00pm	No Intention	Mary O'Connor	Pamela McGrath	
Sun April 6th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Catherine O'Halloran	Anne Daffy	
Sun April 6th	Quin 11am	Eileen Cunningham, Knocknagogue & deceased family members	Joe Brennan & Kay O'Shaughnessy	Joanne Molloy	Grainne O'Keeffe & Anita Clune

Daily Mass this week: Mon-Fri 10am at St Mary's Church, Quin

RIP: Pray for Sr. Mary Attracta (Maura) Duggan, St. Xavier's Convent of Mercy, Ennis and formerly of Caher-kine, Newmarket-on-Fergus, who died on Tuesday 25th of March 2025 R.I.P.

That extra Hour: This weekend, clocks go forward one hour at 1am on Sunday morning.

Weekly Contributions: Amount Collected for the past week € 1,210 The Parish Council thank you for your weekly contributions for the upkeep of the Parish. Contributions can also be left in the parish office or alternatively you can use the Donate Button on the Killaloe Diocese website. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

First Friday of April is this Friday 4th April. Mass at 10am in St Mary's Church, Quin

Children's Liturgy: 30th March 2025, Team 3, Nicola Killeen, Dawn Reynolds, Hannah McInerney. **April 6th 2025:** Team 4, Ciara O'Halloran, Aine Costella, Donna Lyttle.

Sacramental Masses: Our next preparation mass for our young people preparing for First Holy Communion and Confirmation takes place at the 7pm vigil Mass in Clooney Church on Saturday 5th April and the 11am Mass in St Mary's Church Quin on Sunday next 6th April. Please keep the children from both of our schools

in your prayers as they prepare with their families and school for reception of the sacraments. Confirmation takes place on Thursday 15th May at 11am in St Mary's Church Quin and at 3pm in St John XX111 Church Clooney.

Dawn Mass: This year the Dawn Mass for the Abbey Pastoral Area on Easter Sunday 20th April will be hosted by the parish of Clarecastle Ballyea and will take place at the Quay in Clarecastle. Time to be confirmed.

The Annual Matt Talbot Novena in Tulla continues next Wednesday 2nd April at 7pm. The preacher this week is Fr Pat Malone. He will lead the service of healing with the Sacrament of the Sick.

Pastoral Council: The committee will meet at 8pm this Monday night to plan for Holy Week and Easter.

The Quin Apostolic Work will hold their annual Display on next Sunday April 6th in Quin Community Centre after 11am Mass and from 2pm to 4pm. All are welcome to come and see the marvellous work completed over the winter months by our hard working members. Anyone wishing to donate a sacred vessel in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for favours received may do so by contacting Moira @ 087 645 7744 or Nita@ 087 951 1682.

Quin Active Retirement: Quin ARA wish to remind members of planned holiday to Bundoran Monday 21st April to Thursday 24th. The cost is €395 per person sharing. Further details from Jackie Slattery 0868508323

Trocaire: On this our 4th week of Lent, Trocaire is calling on us to hear the cry of the poor. By donating to Trocaire this Lent, you can help families work towards a more secure future for their children, giving them a chance to break the cycle of poverty.

A Prayer of Gratitude for our Mothers: Good and gentle God, we pray in gratitude for our mothers and for all women who have joined with you in the wonder of bringing forth new life. You who became human through a woman, grant to all mothers the courage they need, to face the uncertain future that life with children always brings. Give them the strength to live and to be loved in return, not perfectly, but humanly. Give them the faithful support of family and friends as they care for the physical, emotional and spiritual growth of their children. Give them joy and delight in their children to sustain them through the trials of motherhood. Most of all, give them the wisdom to turn to you for help when they need it most. God bless all Mothers this Mother's Day

Split the Pot: Winner Helen Kitson wins €78. Next draw takes place on Tuesday 1st April. Envelopes for split the pot are at Gala, The Abbey Tavern, The Village Inn, Abbey Express laundry, Quin post office and a taste of Quin.

Lotto Draw 27th March 2025 Jackpot: €20,000. Numbers drawn: 8; 9; 24; 26. No winner. €40 Winners: Ann Leamy, Quin; Jennifer Kelleghan, Mullingar; Martin Toher, Quin; Ger Quinlan, Clooney; Kelly Ann & Kate McMahon, K2 Hair Salon Next draw Clubhouse 2nd April 2025. Tickets available online www.clooneyquinga.ie - purchase cut-off time 5.00pm. Also available in Gala, Quin Post Office, and Clooney Stores - purchase cut-off time 1.00pm. We thank you for your continued support. Goraibh maith agaibh as bhur dtacaíocht leanúnach

Newsletter Deadline : The cut-off time for submission of notices for inclusion in the newsletter is Tuesday at 5pm. Notices can be emailed to quinparish@gmail.com

Thought for the Week: Bí Ullamh - The scouts were in camp. In an inspection, the scout leader found an umbrella neatly rolled inside the sleeping bag of a small scout. As an umbrella was not listed as a necessary item the Leader asked the Boy Scout to explain. "Sir" answered the young boy with a weary sigh "did you never have a mother?"



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