Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes October 30th 2022

| Masses: | | Anniversaries | Eucharistic Ministers: | Readers: |
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| Sat 29 th Oct | Clooney 7.00pm | No Intention | Pauline Conheady | Linda Hale |
| Sun 30 th Oct | Maghera 9.30am | Pa Murphy & parents Bridie and Joe Murphy, Derryhalla Patrick O'Halloran, Ballyvrohane (MM Mass) Erika Dicks, Maghera | Mary Whelan | Mary Casey |
| Sun 30 th Oct | Quin 11.00am | Padraig McNamara & deceased family members, Ballyhickey Jack Colleran & Baby Hugh Colleran, Quin & Jarlath and Mary Colleran, Ennis | Ann Corbett & Ann Lynch | Brian McMahon |
| Sat 5 th Nov | Clooney 7.00pm | Michael Clune, Toonagh Mary & Christy Mungovan, Quin Holy Souls | Catherine Ryan | Orla Hanrahan |
| Sun 6 th Nov | Maghera 9.30am | Holy Souls | Flan Hassett | Maureen Corbett |
| Sun 6 th Nov | Quin 11.00am | Maura Conroy, Ballyhannon (MM Mass) Annette & Alistair McClean & Paddy Gallagher, Quin Teresa & John Herlihy, Quin Holy Souls | Joe Brennan & Kay O'Shaughnessy | Pauline Hogan |

Daily Mass: (Quin) Mon—Fri.: 10:00am

Rest In Peace: We pray for the repose of the soul of Eileen McMahon, Quin whose funeral took place during the week. May she Rest in Peace.

GAA Lotto Draw 27th October 2022. Jackpot €20000. Numbers drawn:1;19;27;30. No winner. €40 winners: Mikey Corry, Ballymaclune; Keith Hogan, Knappogue; Fergal Lynch, Dangan; Alice Jackson, Creevaghmore Bernie O'Halloran, Quin. Next Draw Online 3rd November 2022. Jackpot €20000. Tickets available online— purchase cut off time 5.00pm. Tickets also available in Crowes, Quin Post Office and Clooney Stores, cut off time 1.00pm.

Weekly Contributions. Amount Collected €700. The Parish Council thanks 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 much appreciated.

SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS PARTY. Will take place on Sunday December 11th in The Inn At Dromoland. We are looking forward to catching up with all our friends and welcoming all from the Parish who are would like to come along on the day. A sincere thanks to all who supported our recent Church Gate collection to help fund this party.

November 1st Feast of All Saints is a Holyday of Obligation. Morning Mass at Quin Church at 10am. The **Annual Bereavement Mass**: Will take place in Quin Church on Tuesday evening at 7pm. We will remember all our dead but especially those from our parish who have died during this past year. Our Remembrance Tree will be lit before Mass and will remain lit until January 6th 2023. Each individual light is a symbol of our loved ones gone before us marked with the sign of faith. This Mass is organised by the Parish Bereavement Group & can be viewed via Parish Webcam & Parish Radio Link. All welcome to attend.

November 2nd Feast of All Souls is a day of special remembrance for the faithful departed. Mass on Wednesday will be at 10 am in St Marys Church Quin.

Holy Souls: Throughout the month of November beginning on Wednesday 2nd Nov, Masses will be offered for the Holy Souls. Envelopes are available in which you can put the names of the deceased and placed in the box at the Church entrances.

First Friday: Friday next 4th November is the first Friday of the month. The sick and housebound will be visited during the week

Blessing of Graves: Blessing of Graves: This year the Blessing of Graves will take place on two Sundays. November 6th: Maghera after 9.30am Mass & The Priests' Graves, Quin Abbey and St. Fineen's after 11am Mass. November 13th: Kildrum Cemetery at 2pm and Clooney Cemetery at 3pm.

Altar Servers: The Parish are now recruiting new Altar Servers for all our Churches. If your child or grand-child would like to serve at the Altar, please collect an application from the School. Training will be provided and we thank all who serve at this time.

Shannon Novena 29th Oct-6th Nov: 'Blessed are those who bring Hope' This Novena is for nine consecutive days in SS. John & Paul Church and Mary Immaculate Church Shannon. Weekday Sessions are at 7pm Monday to Friday in SS. John & Paul Church. Weekend Sessions are on the Saturday Vigil at 6.30pm, and Sunday Masses at 9am, 10am, 11am, and 12.15pm. Mass of Healing and Anointing will take place in Mary Immaculate Church on Friday Nov. 4th at 12 noon and at 7pm in SS. John & Paul Church. Various guest speakers have been invited for each novena session. For more information see www.shannonparish.ie

Remembrance service UMHL 6th November 2022 at 3pm Our Lady of The Rosary Church, Limerick: We invite parents and their families who have experienced the death of their baby, or pregnancy loss at any stage, together with hospital staff to this Annual Remembrance Service. The Mass will also will be streamed live on; https://wwwourladyoftherosaryparishlimerick.ie/web-cam/

Clare Suicide Bereavement Support: Volunteers Required. Clare Suicide Bereavement Support require more Volunteers to help in their work of supporting people bereaved by suicide. Open Introductory Evening will be held at our premises in Innovation House, Roslevan Shopping Centre, Tulla Rd., Ennis on Thursday November 10 th at 7 p.m. This will be followed by a comprehensive training course, starting in the New Year. Please feel welcome to come along. No appointment necessary. Tel. No. 086 0565373 / 087 3698315.

www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com

Mission Month Update: On behalf of Pope Francis, thank you for supporting World Mission Sunday last weekend. Your kindness means that overseas missionaries can continue to share the love of God with some of the world's most marginalised and vulnerable people. If you were away or forgot this special white envelope with purple top in your box of envelopes can be put in the basket over the next few weeks. Alternatively you can donate €4.00 by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300 or visit that Mission Ireland website at missio.ie We take this opportunity to thank in our Parish the Apostolic Works Society for their continued work each year in fostering the Missions. May the compassionate love of God touch our hearts and make us all true missionary disciples.

Clarecastle Day Care Centre open day on Saturday 5th November 10am to 3pm. All Welcome

Thought for the week:

It's difficult to be sick or watch a loved one suffering an illness, but God often uses such difficulties to refine and shape our character in ways that He cannot do otherwise.