

# Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

## June 5th 2022

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Date		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
Sat June 4 <sup>th</sup>	Clooney 7.00pm	Michael Collins, Corbally; Valentine Clune, Clooney	Bridie McNamara	Orla Considine
Sun June 5 <sup>th</sup>	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Mary Corbett	Eileen Daly
Sun June 5 <sup>th</sup>	Quin 11.00am	Dokie & Mick Walsh, Corbally Paddy Manning, Keevagh	Ann Corbett & Ann Lynch	Brian McMahon
Sat June 11 <sup>th</sup>	Clooney 7.00pm	John & Kathleen Mc Mahon & their son Michael; Paddy O’Sullivan, Shraheen	Chris Quigney	John Condon
Sun June 12 <sup>th</sup>	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Eileen Daly	Stella Corbett
Sun June 12 <sup>th</sup>	Quin 11.00am	Mary Sammon, Carhugar (M.M – followed by burial of Ashes) Mark Slattery, Moyreisk	Joe Brennan & Kay O’Shaughnessy	Pauline Hogan

**Daily Mass: (Quin) Mon-Fri: 10am**

**Weekly Contributions.** Amount collected €510. 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 use the Donate Button on the Killaloe Diocese website. Your generosity is much appreciated.

**Trocaire Collection –** The Lenten Trocaire Collection amounted to €4000. Thank you for your generous contributions.

**Education Fund Appeal:** Sincere thanks to all who contributed last weekend to our annual collection for the education of students to the Priesthood and Lay Ministries for our Diocese. Your generosity to this appeal is very much appreciated. If you were away or forgot there is a special white envelope with pink top in your box of envelopes for this appeal. This envelope can be left in the basket at any time.

**Thank you:** The Spiritan Fathers who visited the parish recently wish to thank parishioners who contributed €465 to their mission appeal. Any outstanding envelopes for this mission appeal can now be returned.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Thursday in St. Mary's Church, Quin from 9am-5pm. We are in need of people to sit with the Blessed Sacrament for one hour on Thursday's. If you have an hour to spare please contact George Farr at 086-8355910. This ministry is a very enriching ministry within our parish.

**St. Anthony's Novena:** Is taking place in the Friary from Saturday 4th June until the Feast of St. Anthony on Monday 13th June. Two sessions daily at 10am and 7.30pm. Sundays at 10.30am Blessing of Lilies on the Feast of St. Anthony. The preacher this year is Fr. Anthony O.F.M., Killarney.

**Do you or anyone you know suffer from addiction?** Addiction to Alcohol, Drugs, Gambling, Pornography, Food, Internet etc. steals life from so many people. Please come to the shrine of Matt Talbot in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sean Mc Dermot street, Dublin, on Sunday 12th June at 2pm, and join our annual national pilgrimage to pray for the miracle of freedom from all these addictions. For more information, visit [www.matttalbotprayersociety.com](http://www.matttalbotprayersociety.com) or contact [vita@matttalbotprayersociety.com](mailto:vita@matttalbotprayersociety.com) ROI (048) 71262894

**Table quiz** in aid of the Clare 250cycle will be held at the Village Inn on the 16th June at 9pm tables of four. Your support would be greatly appreciated

### **Pilgrimages 2022:**

**Lourdes 2022:** Direct from Shannon Airport June 28th—July 3rd Summer Pilgrimage September 22nd—27th Franciscan Pilgrimage October 2nd –7th Autumn Pilgrimage. Lough Derg: Our Diocesan Pilgrimage will take place from Monday 1st to Wednesday 3rd August. Details from the Ennis Parish Office. Bishop Fintan will lead the two pilgrimages making them a Diocesan gathering for all parishes to participate.

**Holy Land: FOLLOW THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS from GALILEE TO JERUSALEM 2022.** Take the trip of a lifetime to the Holy Land 31st August to 10th September, 2022. Group Leader, Mícheál de Barra and Spiritual Director, Fr. John Newman (Scripture Scholar). In association with Premier Travel, Cork Contact Mícheál at 086-8337681 or email [info@carpediemtours.ie](mailto:info@carpediemtours.ie) (See also our website: [www.carpediemtours.ie](http://www.carpediemtours.ie))

**Summer Retreat Weekend:** By the Sea With Jane Mellett and Saule Comeran from Friday 17th to Sunday 19th June at the FCJ Spirituality House, Spanish Point. More details from 087-4479115

**Quin Taekwondo Split the pot :** Total Pot €52. Congratulations to this week's winner Sean Cusack who wins €26. Next draw takes place on Tuesday June 7th. Envelopes for split the pot can be filled in Gala, The Abbey Tavern, The Village Inn, Abbey Express Laundry, Quin Post Office. Many Thanks for your continued support.

**Newsletter Deadline:** If you wish to put a notice in the newsletter, please have your notice in by 12 noon on Tuesdays. Please email [quinparish@gmail.com](mailto:quinparish@gmail.com)

**GAA Lotto:** 2nd June 2022. Jackpot: €16,400. Numbers drawn: 5; 11; 16; 20. No winner . €40 Lucky Dip winners: Paula Walsh, Maigh Dara; Steve Clune, Wexford; Theresa & Kieran Shanahan, Quin; Scarlett O'Neill, Quin; Mary & Paul Clune, Keelvagh. Next draw Online 9th June 2022. Jackpot: €16,600 Tickets available online [www.clooneyqingaa.ie](http://www.clooneyqingaa.ie)- purchase cut-off time 5.00pm. Also available in Crowes, Quin Post Office, and Clooney Stores - purchase cut-off time 1.00pm. We thank you for your continued support

### **We congratulate Fr. Ignatius McCormack on the Silver Jubilee of his ordination on Tuesday next 7th June.**

Fr. Iggy is a valued member of the Abbey Pastoral team and celebrates Mass and helps in the pastoral area at weekends. This is in addition to his responsibility as Principal of our Diocesan College, St. Flannan's. Fr. Ignatius was born on 1st August 1972 in the parish of Kilcolman Co. Offay; educated at Ballyegan and Coolderry primary schools; he received his secondary school education in St. Brendan's community school in Birr. On completion of his secondary schooling, Fr. Iggy entered the National Seminary in Maynooth and received a BA in Geography and Classics in 1993. Awarded a BD by the Pontificate University in Maynooth in 1996 he completed his higher Diploma in Pastoral Studies in 1997. In 2014 he was awarded and MA in Theological Studies by UL from Mary Immaculate College and in 2015 he received the Higher Diploma in Education Management and Leadership by NUI. Fr. Ignatius was ordained a priest 25 years ago this week in his native Parish of Kilcolman by Bishop Willie Walsh. He was appointed curate of Toomevara after his ordination, where he ministered for three years. In 2000 he studied for his H Dip in Education, in Trinity College and taught at Loreto College on St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. In 2001 Fr. Ignatius joined the staff of St. Flannan's College, first as dean of Studies in the final years of the boarding school and in 2005 joined the teaching staff. In 2017 he was appointed principal of the school, a position he still holds to this day. During his time in St. Flannan's Fr. Iggy has assisted in our parish and in the parishes of the parishes of Kilmaley and Ennis. For the past 19 years he is the Vocations Director for the Diocese and has accompanied many young and not so young on the discernment of their vocation.

We thank Fr. Iggy for his great witness and example of a happy fulfilled priest who each day answers the call of the Lord to be of service to God's people. Wishing him every blessing for the next stage of the journey. Ad Multos Annos

### **Prayer for Exam Students**

O God,  
help all students doing  
and preparing for exams.  
Help them to remember well  
and to think clearly.  
Help them not to be so nervous  
or excited that they will  
do themselves an injustice .  
Keep them calm and clear headed.  
Help them to try their  
hardest and to do their best  
Amen.

### **Munster Final Fever!**

The whole Parish wishes the Clare Team and Clooney/Quin players, Peter Duggan and Ryan Taylor the best of luck today in the Munster Final played in Thurles.  
Up The Banner!