

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

4th / 5th October 2025

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Date		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	Tellers
Sat Oct 4 th	Clooney 7.00pm	Special Intentions	Frances Earls	Frances Earls	
Sun Oct 5 th	Maghera 9.30am	Special Intentions	Eileen Daly	John O'Sullivan	
Sun Oct 5 th	Quin 11am	John Brown, Ballyhickey, Muriel O'Neill, Feighquin, Frances & Patrick Larkin, John & Sean Callinan & PJ Devanney, Deerpark, Kilmurry, Pauline Clune, Quin	Pauline Hogan & Pat Philips	Lena O'Halloran	Kay O'Shaughnessy & Claire Duggan
Sat Oct 11 th	Clooney 7.00pm	Gearoid O'Neill, Corbally	Nuala Daffy	Pauline Conheady	
Sun Oct 12 th	Maghera 9.30am	Special Intentions	Maureen Corbett	Catherine O'Halloran	
Sun Oct 12 th	Quin 11am	Jack & Eileen McMahon, Newline Road	Colette Colleran & Maureen McKeogh	Robert Downes	Colette Colleran & Marian Reynolds

Daily Mass this week: Monday to Friday at 10am St Mary's Church Quin.

Harvest Mass: Bishop Fintan will celebrate this year's Harvest Mass in St Stephen's Church Maghera on Sunday 12th October at 9.30am. St Stephen's Church is currently undergoing painting and upgrading and it is hoped to be completed by this date to give thanks to God for all the blessings of creation and life.

October the month of the Rosary: The Rosary is a special prayer in the lives of many people. The month of October, with the feast of the Holy Rosary is a special opportunity to once again renew your love for this prayer, even by praying one decade of the rosary each day.

Weekly Contributions: Amount Collected for the past week **€765**. The Parish Finance Committee 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.

Priests Autumn Collection: The Autumn collection for the priests who serve the parish from the Abbey Pastoral Area will be taken up at all Masses next weekend. Your generosity and support is very much appreciated. Envelopes are available in the porch.

Children's Liturgy: Sunday October 5th: Siobhan Morris & Marissa McCarthy
 Sunday October 12th: Sandra Quirke & Aislinn Homer

Recent Baptisms: We welcome to the Christian Community **Eala Faye Skerritt** and **Tess Maisie Purdy** who recently received the Sacrament of Baptism.

County Hurling Final: This Sunday all roads lead to Cusack Park for the County Final between our parish and neighbours Eire Og. All the sweat, the dedication and the teamwork have led to this final. We wish every blessing to the team and management to play with courage, with passion and leave nothing behind. We are all cheering so loudly for you all. Bring home the Canon Hamilton this evening please.

Blessing of New Life: Calling all expectant parents to the next Blessing of New Life in our Pastoral Area that will take place on Monday 6th October at 8pm in the Church of Our Lady Roslevan, If you or anyone you know is pregnant, please share this invitation with them.

Church Gate Collection in aid of Senior Citizen's Christmas Party will take place at our 3 Churches next weekend October 11th & 12th. Your support would be very much appreciated. This year's Christmas Party will take place on Sunday December 7th in The Inn At Dromoland.

Accord Marriage Preparation Courses: Are you getting married in 2026/27? Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service provides Marriage preparation programmes for couples choosing to get married in the Catholic Church. Make a booking today for courses in Ennis or Nenagh at accord.ie

Le Chéile Youth Ministry group will hold its first meeting of the year in Church of Our Lady, Roslevan/Fahy Hall on Sunday 19th Oct 6-8pm It's open to TY, 5th, 6th & College students. Come along for an opportunity to meet other young people of faith, have fun & meet new friends. For more info contact Fr. Donagh O' Meara 087 232 2140, Myriam Black 087 234 1831, Joanne O' Brien 086 600 9682.

Season of Creation: Living God, giver of all life, you bless us with your wonders of the earth, with all its beauty and goodness. May we remember that we are caretakers, not owners of this wonderful planet.

May we tread lightly and care greatly, for our home, Mother Earth.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month 2025 takes place from 1st to 31st October. For further information, please log onto www.breastcancerireland.com

Flute and Tin-Whistle Classes commencing in Ennis from September. Contact Bríd for more information 0876217337. New students welcome.

Clooney-Quin ICA are holding a Coffee and Cake Sale Morning with face painting for Children to support the bring "bring Cillian Home Fund" in Quin Hall.

Date: Sunday 19th October. Time: 10 - 1 pm. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Split the Pot: Congratulations to this week's winner **Mike O'Halloran**, who wins **€68**. Next draw takes place on Tuesday October 7th. Envelopes for split the pot can be filled in at Gala, The Abbey Tavern, The Village Inn, Abbey Express Laundry, Quin post office, Varden's Pharmacy, and The Pantry Cafe. "Be in to win".

GAA Lotto Draw: 2nd October 2025 Jackpot: €20,000. Numbers drawn: **20, 25, 26, 27; No winner.**

€40 Winners - Siobhan O'Sullivan, Clooney, Hazel Myles, Quin, Martin Toher, Rineen, Jennifer Stafford, Clooney, Donal O'Críodáin, Clooney.

Next draw, Clubhouse 9th October 2025. Jackpot: €20,000. Tickets available online www.clooneyquingaa.ie - purchase cut-off time 5.00pm. Also available in Quin Post Office, Gala and Clooney Stores; purchase cut off time 1pm. We thank you for your continued support. Go raibh 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: Success starts in the heart. Get your motives and priorities right, and you're halfway there.