Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes August 7th 2022

Date	Mass	Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
Sat Aug 6th	Clooney 7pm	Peggy Kelly (Monthsmind)	Chris Quigney	John Condon
Sun Aug	Maghera	No Intention	Maureen	Maureen
7th	9.30am		Corbett	Corbett
Sun Aug	Quin	Tommy Conroy, Ballyhannon	Colette Colleran	Colette
7th	11.00am		& Jimmy Maher	Colleran
Sat Aug	Clooney	Tony and Aidan McCarthy, Toonagh	Frances	Frances
13th	7pm		Earls	Earls
Sun Aug	Maghera	No Intention	Catherine	Stella
14th	9.30am		O'Halloran	Corbett
Sun Aug 14th	Quin 11.00am	Jimmy & Nellie Duggan, Castlefergus; Bridget O'Halloran & Deceased family members, Ballyhickey	Chris Kelly & Teasie Ryan	Carol O'Neill

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

Weekly Contributions. Amount collected €730. 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.

Retired Priests' Collection: Next weekend 13/14 August the annual collection for the Retired Priests of the Killaloe Diocese will be taken up at all Masses. There is a white envelope with an orange top in your box of envelopes for this collection. Please be mindful that the Parish is levied on this collection at the end of the year and we ask that you be as generous as possible in these difficult financial times.

Eucharistic Adoration: Eucharistic Adoration returned this past Thursday 4th August and will take place each Thursday thereafter from 9am - 5pm. We thank all those who are keeping this prayer ministry alive in our parish. We are in need of people to sit with the Blessed Sacrament for one hour on Thursdays. We would encourage people who have an hour to spare to please contact George Farr at 086-8355910 to add your name to the list or to discuss further.

Annual Mass at St. Joseph's Well: Mass will be celebrated at St Joseph's Well on Monday 15th August at 7pm. Celebrant: Fr. Dariusz Zarebski

Clare Older People's Volunteer of the Year Award 2022: The search is on again to recognise those who give their time, energy and skills to help others in the local community. For an application form please contact Helen on https://www.clarecoco.ie/services/ community/age-friendly-programme/ clareage-friendly-county.html. Application forms must be submitted by Friday 16th September.

Annual pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Monday August 15th. This is the 40th anniversary of our annual pilgrimage to knock. We missed the last two years so we are hoping to have a big group this year. Bus leaving quin church at 9am pick up at Clooney church at 9.30am. Contact Nita at 0879511682 or Moira at 0876457744 for bookings.

Lourdes Autumn Pilgrimages: The next pilgrimages to Lourdes from Shannon Airport will be the Franciscan Pilgrimage from September 22nd to 27th and our Autumn Diocesan Pilgrimage from October 2nd to 7th. Details from Joe Walsh Tours, Friary or Parish Office.

Grinds: Third level student studying Science and Education, available for grinds up to Leaving Certificate honours level in Biology and Chemistry. Grinds commencing early September in the Ennis area. Can do individual or groups. For more information contact, 0838058136

ALONE is a national organisation that strives to enable older people to age at home, safely and securely, for as long as they wish. We work with all older people, including those who are lonely, isolated, frail or ill, homeless, living in poverty, or are facing other difficulties. If you are an older person who would like to learn more about this service, please call ALONE's National Support Line on 0818 222 024. Available seven days a week from 8am – 8pm. ALONE's Visitation Support & Befriending Service matches older people who would like additional social contact with a volunteer who provides companionship through a weekly visit. We work with a number of older people in the Ennis area who would like for someone to visit them. Are you that someone? If you would like to volunteer with ALONE see the volunteer section of the Alone.ie website or email Aoife.Dennehy@alone.ie

Quin Taekwondo Split the pot :Total Pot €76. Congratulations to this week's winner Dee Hynes who wins €38. Next draw takes place on Tuesday August 9th. 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

GAA Lotto Draw 4th August 2022. Jackpot: €18,200. Numbers drawn: 2; 3; 24; 30. No winner . €40 Lucky Dip winners: Michael Culligan, Quin; Olivia Pickering, Darlington; David Finnerty, Ard na Mainistreach; Barry Moyles, Quin;

Dorrie Kelly, Craggataska. Next draw Online 11th August 2022. Jackpot: €18,400 Tickets available online www.clooneyquingaa.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

Thought for the Week: Give for the joy of giving, knowing that you are the one blessed by having the ability and resources and will to help another.

August, Month of Immaculate Heart of Mary

The month of August is traditionally dedicated to the Immaculate Heart. The physical heart of Mary is venerated because it is united to her person and is the seat of her love (especially for her divine Son), virtue, and inner life. Immaculate Heart of Mary, full of goodness, show your love towards us. Let the flame of your heart, O Mary, descend on all people. We love you immensely. Impress true love in our hearts so that we have a continuous desire for you. O Mary, gentle and humble of heart, remember us when we are in sin. Amen. Thought for the week

Please take your newsletter home with you. Do not leave in the pew. Thank you!