

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

October 9th 2022

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Date		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
Sat Oct 8 th	Clooney 7.00pm	Margaret Kroll, (nee Culligan) Chicago who died on 19th September 2022 & deceased members of the Culligan Family, Spencilhill Sile, Biddy & Pete Considine, Dangan John & Mary Daffy, Rathclooney Nora & Jim Halligan, Dublin	Frances Earls	Frances Earls
Sun Oct 9 th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Maureen Corbett	Eileen Daly
Sun Oct 9 th	Quin 9.00am	Muriel O’Neill, Feighquin Pat McNamara, Ballykilty	Jimmy Maher & Chris Kelly	Sally O’Neill
Sat Oct 15 th	Clooney 7.00pm	No Intention	Tom Larkin	Nuala Daffy
Sun Oct 16 th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Catherine O’Hal- loran	Stella Corbett
Sun Oct 16 th	Quin 9.00am	Tom Quinlivan, Carhugar Flan McNamara, Cragataska	Teasie Ryan & Connie Corry	Mary Liddy

Daily Mass - (Quin) Mon-Fri 10am

Rest In Peace: Please pray for the repose of the souls of Maura Conroy, Ballyhannon whose funeral took place during the week, and Marian Commane, Kilnamona, sister of Theresa Shanahan, Cragataska.

Weekly Contributions. Amount Collected €1,395. 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.

Garda Vetting: Garda Vetting is now due for various ministries in the Parish. If you are a Sacristan, Eucharistic Minister, Member of Choir etc., please take a form from the Church porches and complete per instructions.

New Youth Ministry Group - A new Youth Ministry Group will begin meeting in the Church of Our Lady, Roslevan (Fahy Hall) on Sunday 23rd October 6pm-8pm. There will be a Youth Mass at 7pm. This group is open to 13 -18 year olds. All are welcome. Mass will take place at 7pm. Please email donaghomeara@gmail.com for further details.

Celebration of New Life: Blessing of Expectant Parents. Ennis Cathedral, Tuesday 25th October at 8pm. All are welcome.

Clare COPD Ireland Group: Clare COPD Ireland Group meet every Wednesday at 12.15pm in Maria Assumpta Hall, Ennis. Exercise class, followed by chat and tea. All welcome.

Mental Health Week 2022: Ennis Mental Health Week 2022 takes place from 10th to 15th October. A number of free events will take place throughout the week to include Mindfulness through Art, Mindful Gentle Chair Yoga, Singing for Wellness, Walk for Wellbeing. Please see www.ennismha.com or contact 085-2524608 for more details. Please note advance booking is required for some of these events.

Mission Month Updates: October and World Mission Sunday is a time for the faithful of the world to show their appreciation towards the work of overseas missionaries. The generosity offered will be used to support missionary activities in over 1,100 struggling dioceses, mostly in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. The Mission Sunday Collection will be taking up at all Masses the weekend of Oct. 22nd/23rd. There is a special white envelope with a purple top in your box of envelopes for this collection. Alternatively you can donate €4.00 by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300 or on the missio.ie website.

Mary's Meals - Coin Collection: We are appealing to you for your copper coins, old punts/pence, old sterling and other currencies that are lying around the house in jars and tins. You don't need to count it! We are willing to collect it from you if you are willing to donate it! Please contact Angela Moore at 089-4339592 or angela.moore@marysmeals.org.

Marriage Enrichment Weekend. Friday 4th – Sunday 6th November 2022. Venue: The International Hotel, Cork Airport. For more info / book, visit www.marriageencounter.ie

Quin Tidy Towns As you all gave us great support this year in helping to keep Quin Village looking it's best, we would like to invite you to Malachy's on Saturday next, 8th October at 4pm for an end of season get together. We will have music, food and chat. All are welcome especially the junior TT workers. It's been a year of real improvements from displays of flowers, wild flowers, art, cleanliness and inspiring messages on beautifully painted stones. As always, ní neart go cur le chéile. Thank you all.

Cake sale fundraiser for Clare crusaders on the 16th October in Quin community centre before and after 11am Mass. Please support Pauline Hoey, Una Clune and Aine Quigney who are running in the Dublin city marathon in aid of the above.

Quin Taekwondo Split the pot : Total Pot €96. Congratulations to this week's winner Tina Kears who wins €48. Next draw takes place on Tuesday October 11th. 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.

Lotto Draw 6th October 22. Jackpot: €20,000. Numbers drawn: 5,13,15,30. No winner.
€40 Lucky Dip winners: Shane McNamara, Dun Na Manach; Sharon Curley,Quin; Elizabeth Jones; Peter Sheehy, Clooney; Phil O Halloran, Quin. Next draw Online 13th October 2022. Jackpot: €20,000. 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. Go raibh maith agaibh as bhur dtacaíocht leanúnach.

Sick and housebound parishioners, Fr Tom Ryan will visit the sick and housebound with sacraments this week. If you know of any sick or housebound parishioners, who would like to receive the sacraments, please contact Fr. Tom on 087 2349816.

Thought for the week: God's Spirit is like a radio station, broadcasting all the time. You just have to learn how to tune in and receive His signals.

Golden Leaves

We see signs of summer's passing in golden leaves, shortening days,
misty mornings, autumn glow.

We sense its passing in rain that dampens, winds that chill,
harvest's bounty placed on show.

Creator God, who brings forth both green shoot and hoar frost, sunrise and sunset,
We bring our thanks for seeds that have grown, harvests gathered, storehouses filled, mouths fed.
And, as your good earth rests through winter's cold embrace, we look forward to its re-awakening
when kissed by Spring's first touch.

(Author Unknown)