

# Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

## 14th/15h June 2025

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Date		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	Tellers
Sat June 14th	Clooney 7pm	Johno and Kathleen McMahon and son Michael. Paddy O'Sullivan, Shraheen	Pauline Conheady	John Condon	
Sun June 15th	Maghera 9.30am	No intention.	Mary Whelan	Catherine O'Halloran	
Sun June 15th	Quin 11am	Fr Michéal McInerney & his sister Maureen McGrath, Knappogue. Paddy Manning, Keevagh	Pauline Hogan & Pat Philips	Orla Hoey	Haulie Hannon & Moira Scanlon
Sat June 21st	Clooney 7.00pm	No intention.	Tom Larkin	Orla Considine	
Sun June 22nd	Maghera 9.30am	No intention.	Catherine O'Halloran	Martin Casey	
Sun June 22nd	Quin 11am	No intention.	Deirdre Meaney & Colette Colleran	Carol O'Reilly	Grainne O'Keeffe & Anita Clune
Tues June 24th	Quin 3pm	Deceased Aer Lingus Colleagues, Shannon Airport			

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

**RIP: Brid Malone**, Ennis, mother of Caroline Ryan, Ballymaclune; **Paul Cassidy**, Dublin - brother of Jacinta McEvoy, Knocknagoug, **Carmel Donovan**, Kilkishen, and late of Cragataska & **PM Duggan**, Spancillhill, who died during the week.

**Weekly Contributions:** Amount Collected for the past week €1,035 . The Parish Council 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.

**Diocese & Holy See Collection** will be taken up next Sunday 22nd June. Please find white envelope in your box of envelopes.

**Children's Liturgy:** Sunday June 15th: Team 4 - Claire O'Halloran, Áine Costello, Donna Lyttle Sunday June 22nd Team 5—Brian O'Connor, Fionnuala Rooney, Angela O'Gorman

**Sick & Housebound Parishioners:** Fr Tom will visit the sick and housebound of the parish with the sacraments this week. If you know of any parishioner who would like to receive the sacraments, please contact Fr Tom on 087-2349816

**Cemetery Masses:** In this year of Jubilee of Hope, the Pastoral Council has organised Mass to be celebrated in our parish cemeteries during the month of June. Monday June 16th—Clooney Cemetery. Tuesday June 17th—Maghera Cemetery. Wednesday June 18th—St Fineen's Abbey and Priests Cemetery, location @ St Fineen's. Thursday June 19th—Kildrum Cemetery. All Masses are scheduled for 7pm.

**Exam Time:** With the final full week of State exams this week, please keep all students in our prayers - O God, help all students doing exams to remember all that they have studied and learnt. Help them to remember well and to think clearly, help them not to be nervous or excited or to do themselves an injustice. Keep them calm and clear headed, to try their hardest and to do their best, Amen

**Father's Day:** The third Sunday in June celebrates Fathers. It is the day when we salute one's Father, as well as Fatherhood, paternal bonds and the influence of Fathers in our community. We wish every blessing on the person chosen to be your Father and eternal rest on Fathers who have died.

**Lourdes:** The Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes in this year of Jubilee of Hope will travel to Lourdes on Wednesday 25th June. If you would like a petition to be placed at the Grotto please send to Fr Tom by Tuesday 24th June

**Quin Clooney Maghera Senior Citizens Social Club** - Summer outing will take place on Thursday June 19<sup>th</sup>. Bus Leaving Malachy's Car Park at 9.00am sharp. Picking up at Clooney Church at 9.15am. Returning to Malachy's Pub 6pm. Fee €20.00 per person including:- Morning Tea & Scones, Outing, Lunch & Evening Refreshments. Book your seat before Monday June 16th please by calling or texting with your name(s) and your pick-up point to Fionnuala on 087 626 1681 or Kay on 087 219 6141. Come along and enjoy catching up with our good friends & we welcome new guests from our community.

**Apostolic Work:** The Apostolic Workers were founded in the Diocese of Killaloe in 1955 to help and support missionaries. Our parish has one of the most active branches in the Diocese. To celebrate the 70th anniversary, Bishop Fintan will celebrate Mass in the Cathedral Ennis on Saturday next 21st June at 2pm, this will be followed by a display of members work in the Parish Centre Ennis. All are welcome to attend.

**Day for Life:** In Ireland, England, Wales and Scotland this Sunday is observed as a Day for Life. For as long as history has been written, the world has never been without struggle and suffering. Suffering touches every person at some point in their lives. Hope does not disappoint us as God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit. This year's Day for Life is an invitation to pray for those who suffer and to remain with them like the Good Samaritan.

**This month's Alzheimer Information Cafe** is being held on the 18th of June, in our Ennis Centre, Cuan An Chlair, Cahercalla, from 11.30-12.30. This month is 'Dementia Information Session for Family and Friends' - Speaker Fiona Hartigan, Support Manager for Family Carers Ireland Clare. All welcome to join us for tea and a chat afterwards. For more information contact Samantha Fennell [0876985819](tel:0876985819) e-mail : [samantha.fennell@alzheimer.ie](mailto:samantha.fennell@alzheimer.ie)

**Quin Village Tidy Towns (QVTT)** is hosting a Foraging & Wellness Event at Monk's Well on Sat 21<sup>st</sup> June @ 11:15am to mark the longest day of the year. Led by QVTT Foraging Team Lena and Tom, the event will include herb and plant identification, freshly picked herbal teas, chive blossom salt tasking, and tips on growing herbs and edible flowers. The gathering is centred around the Wellness Bed – a plant bed with carefully selected plants for people, pollinators and bats, a living example of nature in action. Free event – all welcome.

**Split the Pot:** Congratulations to this weeks Split the Pot winner Catherine Keating who wins €71. Next draw takes place on Tuesday June 17th. 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:** 12th June 2025 Jackpot: €20,000. Numbers drawn: 6; 13; 30; 32; No winner. €40 Winners - Fergal Culligan, Spancilhill; Rhys Phillips, Olive Walsh, Cork; Carl Hale, Clooney; Agnes Lawless, Clooney. Next draw Clubhouse 19th June 2025. Jackpot: €20,000. Tickets available online [www.clooneyquingaa.ie](http://www.clooneyquingaa.ie) - purchase cut-off time 5.00pm. Also available in Quin Post Office and Clooney Stores; purchase cut off time 1pm. Go raibh maith agaibh as bhuir dtacaíocht leanúnach.

**Thought for the Week:** What's done in love lasts forever.

**Newsletter Deadline:** The cut-off time for submission of notices for inclusion in the newsletter is Tuesday at 5pm.