

# Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

## November 20th 2022

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| Date          |                | Anniversaries  | Eucharistic Ministers         | Readers            |
|---------------|----------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| Sat Nov 19th  | Clooney 7.00pm | Marian McInerney, Rathclooney & Ennis Holy Souls   | Bridie McNamara               | Orla Considine     |
| Sun Nov 20th  | Maghera 9.30am | Holy Souls   | Eileen Daly                   | Martin Casey       |
| Sun Nov 20th  | Quin 11.00am   | Joe & Nora Quinlivan, Quin Hannon & Markham Families Holy Souls                              | Tom Frain & Pauline Hogan     | Pat O'Brien        |
| Tues Nov 22nd | Quin 10am      | Chris & Paddy Phillips & Deceased Family Members   |                               |                    |
| Sat Nov 26th  | Clooney 7.00pm | Holy Souls   | Chris Quigney                 | John Condon        |
| Sun Nov 27th  | Maghera 9.30am | Holy Souls   | Maureen Corbett               | Vincent O'Halloran |
| Sun Nov 27th  | Quin 11.00am   | Eileen McMahon, Danganbrack (Monthsmind)<br>Paddy & Peggy Bermingham, Ballyhannon Holy Souls | Pat Phillips & Deirdre Meaney | Joanne Molloy      |

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

**Rest in Peace :** Bridie Duffy Tulla, mother of John Duffy and Susan Conheady Clooney.

**Weekly Contributions.** Amount collected €1,355. 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.

We would also like to acknowledge a donation of €500 towards Maghera Church Roof Repairs.

**Holy Souls Offerings:** Throughout the month of November Masses will be offered for the Holy Souls. Please use the special white envelope in your box of envelopes for your list of deceased and place it in the basket at any weekend or drop off to the Parish House. Extra envelopes and lists are available in church porches.

**Mass for deceased members and staff of Clare County Council** on Tuesday at 5.15pm in the Cathedral Ennis.

**A meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council** will be held on Monday, 21st November at 8pm in St Mary's Church Quin. You are welcome to attend if you would like to assist with any of our groups such as: Baptism/Blessing of New Life, Bereavement Support, Choir, Church cleaning, Liturgy, Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, Children's Liturgy (Pray and Play) Youth Faith Formation. The purpose of the meeting is familiarise and heighten awareness of the work done in the Parish by each group. We would encourage you attend and get involved in our community. Existing members of the above groups are also welcome to attend.

**Enrolment Ceremony** for candidates and their parents for Confirmation in Clooney School on Saturday next 26th November at 7pm Mass in Clooney Church.

**Travelling Crib:** We welcome you to take part in our Quin, Clooney Maghera Advent Travelling Cribs. This Advent, Joseph and Mary and our Nativity will travel throughout the Parish and beyond, being received by a new host each day during the Advent and Christmas Season. If you would like to take part please sign the sheet that is on the Altar beside our Crib with your name & telephone number on the date you are available to welcome our Travelling Crib into your home. Should you receive this Travelling Nativity into your home, please be gracious and respectful hosts. Included is a travel log to track Joseph and Mary's journey, along with suggested prayers for your use. Our Crib will begin its Journey on November 27th returning to our Churches on January 6th

**The reconvened AGM of Quin community centre** will take place on Tuesday the 22nd of November at 8pm. It is essential that a management committee is elected to run the centre.

**Clooney/Spancillhill/Maghera Tidy Towns:** This was the groups 3rd ever entry to the competition and their score was up 13 points from last year to 245. The committee would like to thank the many volunteers for their hard work throughout the year. The group would also like to acknowledge the support of local businesses and business people, Williams Concrete products, Clooney Stores, Kate Deegan, Michael McGrath and Fergal Cahill. Tom Conheady and Karin O'Neill are also thanked for their work on the community library. The heritage and Walking Trails groups outstanding work in restoring the gates at Clooney Lodge and developing the information board and walking trails around Clooney House has been a huge addition to the physical beauty of the locality. The groups next event is the lighting of the community Christmas Tree. The committee welcomes new members.

**Malachys Christmas Farmers Market under lights.** Tuesday 21st of November from 7pm-10pm. Malachys Bar Car Park Quin Co Clare. With over 20 artisan bakers cheesemongers fishmongers butchers and creative crafters florists and artists its one not to be missed! There will be live music & entertainment on the night! Malachys Bar will be selling delicious hot drinks & hot food outside! Malachys bar are requesting all patrons to be covid compliant in order to keep everyone safe & well! Remember the multinational chains will be fine our local economies need your support ! #shoplocal #supportlocal

**Clooney-Quin ICA** would like to thank all those who supported our recent table quiz which was a fantastic night. Thank you to those who donated towards spot prizes and to Anne in village Inn who made the night possible. A donation from the night will go to Bunratty Search and Rescue. Clooney-Quin Ica run 1st Wednesday night in each month and new members always welcome.

**Advent Talk:** "Criocho Callan Cluster" & FCJ Spirituality House, Spanish Point "Advent talk" by Fr. Michael Conway (Professor of Faith and Culture Maynooth College) "Passing on the Life of Faith; understanding the challenge" in the FCJ Spirituality House, Spanish Point V95EOW7 on Wednesday 30th of November at 8pm. All are welcome. Enquiries to Donagh 087 2322140 or Noirin 087 4479115

**Quin Taekwondo Split the Pot:** Total Pot €92. Congratulations to this week's winner Bernard Casey who wins €46 The next draw takes place on Tuesday, November 22nd. Envelopes for Split the Pot can be found in Gala, The Abbey Tavern, The Village Inn, Abbey Express Laundry, and Quin Post Office.

**Lotto Draw :** 17th November 2022. Jackpot: €20,000. Numbers drawn: 1: 4: 14; 18. No winner. €40 Lucky Dip winners: Joanne Perill, Corbally; Conor Harrison, Carrahan; Oisin Considine, Kilgobbin; Gemma Hassett, Quin; Tom O'Halloran, Ballyhickey. Next draw Clubhouse 24th November 2022. Jackpot: €20,000 Tickets available online [www.clooneyquingaa.ie](http://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 dtacafocht leanúnach

Thought for the week

***It pays to listen to others. Everyone knows at least one thing you don't.***