

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

November 21st 2021

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Masses:		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers:	Readers:
Sat 20 th Nov	Clooney 7.00pm	Marian McInerney, Ennis & Clooney	Rebecca O’Neill	Nuala Daffy
Sun 21 st Nov	Maghera 9.30am	M.M. Erika Dicks, Maghera	Eileen Daly	Martin Casey
Sun 21 st Nov	Quin 11.00am	Joe & Nora Quinlivan, Quin & Jim McKeogh, Doora	Chris Kelly & Teasie Ryan	Carol O’Reilly
Tues 23 rd Nov	Quin 10.00am	Rose Field, Donaghmeade, Co. Dublin (Recently deceased)		
Sat 27 th Nov	Clooney 7.00pm	Holy Souls	Pauline Conheady	Pamela McGrath
Sun 28 th Nov	Maghera 9.30am	Holy Souls	Maureen Corbett	Vincent O’Halloran
Sun 28 th Nov	Quin 11.00am	Paddy & Peggy Bermingham, Ballyhanon Deceased members of the Ap- ostolic Society Patrick & Bridie O’Dwyer & their son P.J., Ballykilty & their daughter Bridget Connelly, Sligo	Connie Corry & Nollie McCarthy	Chloe Duggan

Daily Mass: (Quin) Mon—Fri.: 10:00am

Weekly Contributions: Amount collected €600. Contributions can be left in the parish office during this time of restrictions or use the Donate button on the Killaloe Diocese website. The Parish Council continues to thank all who leave contributions to the parish office at this time. Your generosity is much appreciated.

GAA Lotto Draw 18th November 2021. Jackpot 11,000. Numbers drawn:6;11;27;32. No winner. €40 winners: Kathleen McDonagh, c/o Joe Quinlivan; Tom O’Halloran, Ballyhickey ; Aoife Clune, Quin Gardens; Ann Hartigan, Ballyhannon; Martin Duggan, Spencilhill. Next Draw Online 25th October 2021. Jackpot €11,4200. Tickets available online— purchase cut off time 5.00pm. Tickets also available in Crowes, Quin Post Office and Clooney Stores, cut off time 1.00pm. For all up-to-date ne you can follow us on Facebook, Twitter or visit www.clooneyqingaa.ie. We thank you for your continued support. Go raibh maith agaibh as bhur dtacaíocht leanúnach.

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 box at the entrance of church porches.

St. Stephen's Church Maghera: We continue to thank all who have contributed towards the cost to repair the roof. All contributions are greatly appreciated.

On- line Donations to Parish: In these times of Government lockdown and restrictions on attendances at public masses, many people who are unable to attend church services are interested in contributing to the support of their parish or their priests. Sincere thanks to all our parishioners who have contributed during this time. It is now possible to make a contribution by credit or debit card directly to your parish using the Diocesan website – www.killalodiocese.ie. The full contribution as received by the Diocesan website will be fully paid to your parish. Simply go to the Diocesan website and click on the red “Donate to your parish” button on the top of the page. You will be invited to select your parish and the parish fund you wish to contribute. Your support is greatly appreciated.

The Messenger: For many, many years this pocket-sized magazine has been at the heart of Catholic Church life in Ireland. Published by the Jesuit Order, this little gem has - down the years - provided reassurance for our parents and grandparents in the beliefs and practices of their Catholic faith. We encourage families throughout the parish to re-engage with the Messenger. A year’s subscription costs only €24 and the magazine is delivered each month. For further details, contact Joe Quinlivan, Main St., Quin, tel. (065) 6825643.

Social Ground Force would like to thank those who contributed and donated €400 which was raised from the recent bakesale. Your support is greatly appreciated and desperately needed. Social Ground Force does not receive any government funding. They rely on donations and support in order to keep their wheels turning on their 24/7/365 mission.

COVID Protocols: Since the 22nd October Religious Services can proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures remaining in place. This means that in our churches face masks should continue to be worn, social distancing continue to be observed and hand sanitizing to continue on entering and leaving the church. Please be respectful of others who come to pray in our churches.

Quin Clooney Community Games are holding their annual AGM on **Monday 22nd November at 21:00** in the Community Centre, Quin village. We have had a very successful year in spite of covid restrictions with many children in the locality part taking in several Community Games events throughout 2021. All new volunteers are very welcome, if interested in helping out in any capacity or able to attend the AGM please contact Liz Canny on 086 1966420.

Tidy Towns: We are delighted to have gained 4 extra marks in this year's Tidy Towns Awards. 4 points is regarded as a considerable achievement and in our Category we are joint 2nd with Tuamgraney on 335 points and just 5 points behind the winner, Ballynacally. Well done to all entrants and we are very proud that our capital town of Ennis won the overall prize. We have progressed on many fronts this year but we still have a lot of work to do. Quin has huge potential going forward and we will give ourselves every chance to gain those valuable extra marks. We acknowledge the huge local commitment from many many people in Quin, from the school children, their parents and teachers to the local council/community scheme workers, to the Active Retired and to the business community. We hope you will continue to support us. Ní neart go cur le chéile.

Malachy’s Famers Market: Sunday 21st Of November 11am—1pm. Some vendors on the day will be: Burren Butcher, Killybegs Fishmonger, Little Cheese Stall, Quinn’s fruit & veg., Arbutus Woodcraft, Sharon’s Homemade Creations, Cabin by the river, Wix & Wax. Some vendors will be cash only.

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

Clothing Collection: Scoil na Mainistreach is having a clothing collection on Monday 6th December. All donations can be brought to the school from next week. If anyone needs assistance with this contact Pauline on 0868192374 and she can arrange collection.

Thought for the Week

Do what you can do, and, if you pray, God will do what you can’t do.

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