Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes June 27th 2021

Date		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
Sat. June 26th	Clooney 7.00pm	Terry & Jimmy Murphy, Clooney	Chris Quigney	Claire Murphy
Sun June 27th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Catherine O'Halloran	Mary Casey
Sun June 27th	Quin 11.00am	Patrick Keane, Orda Fr. Micheal McInerney & Maureen McGrath Quin.	Deirdre Meaney & Collette Colleran	Carol O'Neill
Sun June 27th	Quin 12.30pm	Brenda Ryan, Ballymaclune. Funeral Mass & Burial of Ashes in Quin Abbey (Immediate Family only)		
Mon. June 28th	Quin 10.00am	Marlene Hanrahan, Hazelwood Quin & Ennis		
Sat. July 3rd	Clooney 7.00pm	No Intention	Tom Larkin	John Condon
Sun July 4th	Maghera 9.30am	John & Nora Harte, Ballyvergin.	Stella Corbett	Maureen Corbett
Sun July 4th	Quin 11.00am	Deirdre McHugh, Ballykilty, 1st Anniv.	Mary Clune & Jimmy Maher	Carol O'Reilly

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

Weekly Contributions: Amount €750. 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

First Friday: Friday next July 2nd is the First Friday of the month. A Priest from the Abbey Pastoral Area will visit the sick and housebound with the Sacraments. If you wish to receive the Sacraments contact the Parish Office @ 6825612.

Eucharistic Adoration: This Thursday June 24th will be the last Eucharistic Adoration for the month of June. There will be no Eucharistic Adoration for the month of July. Adoration will resume on the first Thursday in August.

On-line Donations to Parish: In these times of 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. 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. Sincere thanks to all our parishioners who have contributed during this time.

Summer Priests' Collection: The Summer Priests' Collection was taken up at all Masses last weekend. We thank all who subscribed to this collection. If you were away or forgot this special white envelope with a yellow top in your box of envelopes can be placed in the box at the entrance of our Churches or you may wish to drop off to the Parish Office. Alternatively, you may wish to contribute by using the Donate Button on the Killaloe Diocesan Website. Just go to Quin Parish and use the special button for the Priests collection. The Parish Council takes this opportunity to thank you for your generosity to this collection.

Booking of Mass Intentions: Please give at least two weeks notice when booking a Mass intention. One intention will be taken for weekday Masses and for Sunday's NO more than three family intentions will be taken for Clooney and Quin Churches and one intention for Maghera Church. Please ring the Parish Office during office hours 11am-5pm at (065) 6825612. If there is no answer please leave a name, date that you would like, the date you would like, and contact number and we will get back to you. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Confirmation 2021: On Saturday July 10th, The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated with three Confirmation Ceremonies in our Parish. In St. Mary's Church, Quin, at 9:30am & 11am for Quin/Dangan National School. In St. John XXIII Church, Clooney at 11am for Clooney National School. In advance of the day we congratulate all the Confirmation Candidates, their Parents/Guardians and Teachers in our primary schools.

Newly Baptised: We welcomed into the Christian Community recently: Bobby Joe McNamara.

Quin Heritage History Project: Over the next few months local volunteers will undertake a Heritage Audit of the Quin area. This has been made possible by a grant of €4,000 from the Heritage Council. Your input in this project would be most warmly welcomed. We need old photographs or information on traditions, characters, events, folklore, archaeology and history to help build the fascinating story of Quin. We encourage individuals, families, experts and enthusiasts to come and give us a hand. If you think you might be available please contact Siobhan O'Sullivan (087) 412 4337 or Yvonne Gallagher (087) 273 6324. Alternatively you can email us on quinheritagegroup@gmail.com. In the meantime we wish to thank Quin Tidy Towns for supporting the launch of this project.

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

Lotto Draw: 24th June 2021. Jackpot: €6,800. Numbers drawn: 3; 8; 16; 31. No winner.€40 Winners: Phil O'Halloran, Quin; Paul & Mary Clune, Keevagh; Mikey Corry, Ballymaclune; David Taylor, Spancilhill,; Donal O'Brien, Westmalling, U.K. Next draw Online 1st July 2021. Jackpot: €7,000. Tickets available online - purchase cut-off time 5.00pm Tickets also available in Crowes, Quin Post Office, and Clooney Stores - purchase cut-off time 1.00pm. For all up-to-date news you can follow us on Facebook, Twitter or visit www.clooneyquingaa.ie. We thank you for your continued support. Go raibh maith agaibh as bhur dtacaíocht leanúnach

Scripture Thoughts

The book of wisdom tells us to seek God with sincerity of heart and to believe at the core of our beings. Paul takes that sincerity to the step of helping others by sharing what we have. If our love for God is sincere, then we will share our goods for the sake of the other person who is in need. The Gospel relates the manner in which Jesus shares his gifts with those in need. The woman who has suffered with a haemorrhage for twelve years is healed immediately. The little girl is healed as well.

If we are to follow Jesus, then we must be willing to share what we have with others. We are gifted in many ways that others are not. We are therefore invited to share those gifts with others.

ways that others are not. We are therefore invited to share those gifts with others. We may have wealth, good health, education, clothing, good food, etc. We are called to share these gifts with others in need.

Take time today to list the gifts you have. Look at your possessions: clothing, food, etc. What can you share with others? Make a plan today to do so.

Thought For The Week

Give encouragement at each opportunity.

Don't overlook "small" steps of progress.

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