

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

July 9th 2023

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Date		Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	Tellers
Sat July 8 th	Clooney 7.00pm	No Intention	Tom Larkin	Pamela McGrath	
Sun July 9 th	Maghera 9.30am	No Intention	Mary Whelan	John O'Sullivan	
Sun July 9 th	Quin 11.00am	John Ryan, Ballyhannon Dokie & Mick Walsh, Corbally Paddy Manning, Keevagh	Pat Carrig & Tom Frain	Grainne O'Keeffe	Annette Egan & Claire Duggan
Sat July 15 th	Clooney 7.00pm	Michael John Quigney, Clooney (1st Anniversary) James, Seamus, Margaret & Michael Brohan, Spencilhill	Rebecca O'Neill	Linda Hale	
Sun July 16 th	Maghera 9.30am	Tommy & Mary Murphy, Maghera	Mary Heffernan	Martin Casey	
Sun July 16 th	Quin 11.00am	Eamon Slattery, Cullenagh (Months mind) Deirdre McHugh, Ballykilty	Pauline Hogan & Pat Phillips	Lena O'Halloran	Colette Colleran & Marian Reynolds

Daily Mass: Mon-Fri 10am Quin.

Rest in Peace: Nuala Sheedy (Nee Murphy), Killmallock and late of Cornmallow, Quin & Betty McSherry, Newmarket on Fergus, sister of Lourda Walsh, Corbally.

Weekly Contributions: Amount Collected €854. 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.

School Reunion: Calling all Colaiste Muire, Ennis girls who did their leaving cert in 1983. A class reunion is being organised for September 16th in Ennis if you would like to attend - we would love to see you! Contact Mary Howard at maryhoward2009@gmail.com for more details.

Quin Taekwondo Split the Pot: Total Pot €90. Congratulations to this week's winner George Farr who wins €45 The next draw takes place on Tuesday, July 11th Envelopes for Split the Pot can be found in the local businesses. Thanks for your continued support.

Lough Derg: Bishop Fintan will lead our Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg on Bank holiday Monday, returning on Wednesday 9th August. 130 euro is the cost including Bus, boat and island fees. A bus will leave from the Cathedral at 7am on Monday 7th August and to book please contact Ennis parish Office 065 6824043

Good luck to Clare: As the road leads to Croke Park this Sunday for the All Ireland Hurling Semi Final, our best wishes to the Clare Team and especially our own Peter Duggan, Ryan Taylor & John Conneely.

Croagh Patrick: Reek Sunday takes place on Sunday 30th July. Mass and confessions available on the mountain that day.

Prayer for Vocations: In this Year of prayer for Vocations to the Diocesan Priesthood, please keep three men from our Diocese who are discerning the call to serve as priests in the Killaloe Diocese. Please pray for them each day. Loving and generous Father, It is You who call us by name and ask us to follow You. In particular, You call someone to serve You as ministers in your Church. Bless our Diocese of Killaloe by raising up faith filled and dedicated priests, deacons, religious and lay ministers. Bless our families and choose from our homes those who are needed for your mission.

Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock: The Annual Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place next Sunday 16th July. Mass at 3pm with Anointing of the Sick beforehand at 2.30pm. Newsletters and Emblems available at PTAA stand in St Johns Rest & Care Centre or via www.pioneers.ie.

European Saints: At a time of great uncertainty in Europe and the world. It is a good time to remember in a special way the Patrons of Europe, three of whose Feast days fall during the summer.

11th July St Benedict,

23rd July St Bridget of Sweden,

9th August Edith Stein St Theresa Benedicta of the Cross.

The remaining European Patrons are,

14th February, SS Cyril and Methodius,

29th April St Catherine of Sienna.

GAA Lotto: Lotto Draw 6th July 2023. Jackpot: €20,000.00. Numbers drawn: 15; 18; 20; 24. **€40 winners:** Brian O'Connor, Feighquin; Brenda Kelly, Craggataska; Jacqueline Kenny O'Brien, Tipperary; Ger Quinlan, Clooney; Stephen Reynolds, C/O Quin P.O., **Next draw Clubhouse 13th July 2023. 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 gaibh as bhur dtacaíocht leanúnach

Thought for the Week

Life's defining moments - from our first breath to our greatest accomplishments - all involve some struggle. We are who we are today because we have already fought through to many victories, and we will keep winning as long as we keep fighting.