



O'Gonnelloe Parish

Pentecost

23rd May 2021

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Parish Office open from 11am - 1pm on Thursday's for newsletter items, to be issued with sacramental certificates, to book anniversary masses or to get Mass Cards & Bouquets. Send your notices for the newsletter on Thursday by 11am.

Weekday Masses

- Tuesday 25th May:** Mass at 10am St Mary's
- Thursday 26th May:** Mass at 10am St Molua's, Adoration of Blessed Eucharist
- Saturday 29th May:** Mass 7pm Tuamgraney, Mass at 8pm St Mary's
- Sunday 30th May:** Mass 9.30am Bodyke, Mass 11am St Molua's

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS AT THIS TIME

People of the Parish, those who have passed away in the last year in our community, our beloved family and friends and all the Holy Souls.

- Sunday 22nd May 8pm** Ann Guilfoyle (First Anniversary) St Mary's
- Sunday 23rd May 11am** Pauline & Jim Kelly (Anniversary) St Molua's
- Mary & Andrew Bugler (Anniversary) St Molua's
- Saturday 12th June 8pm** Michael Dinan (6th Anniversary) & Joe Dinan (1st Anniversary) St Mary's

Weekend Ministries

Date	Reader	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
2020			
May 22nd - St Mary's 8pm	Oonagh McElhinney	TBC	Carmel McMahon, Gerardine Sheedy
May 23rd - St Molua's 11am	Connie McKenna	TBC	Kathleen Mooney, Phil McNeive
May 29th - St Mary's 8pm	Mary McMahon	TBC	Anne Forde, Kathleen Dinan
May 30th - St Molua's 11am	Mary Gibbons	TBC	Anne Molloy
June 5th - St Mary's 8pm	Francis McNulty	TBC	Breda Keaveney
June 6th - St Molua's 11am	Anna O'Farrell	TBC	Anna McElhinney, Reggie Quinn

Collections 15th/16th May:

Offertory: €1172.00 Church Renovation: €655 Priests Collection: €560

Lourdes Invalid Fund: €65 Trócaire: €208

Thank you for your continued generosity & support.



Parish/Diocesan News

Our public celebration of Masses are well underway and thanks to everyone for your continued co-operation and support regarding the numbers allowed at masses (no more than 50), and the wearing of face masks which is required by all who attend. Please make sure you observe social distancing and hand sanitising. If you can spare a moment to help wipe down surfaces after Mass, it would be most appreciated and don't forget to do so when visiting a church other than at mass times. Don't leave it to someone else!

Guidelines for attending Mass:

- Facemasks must be worn in church during Mass and other services.
- Please sanitise your hands when entering church at any time.
- A capacity of 50 people is permitted for Mass; this includes funerals and weddings.
- Holy Communion should only be received in the hand.
- Please respect these guidelines and thank you for your understanding and patience at this time; hopefully our continued efforts will bring about more relaxed conditions in due course.
- Please help to sanitise the church, wiping the seats after Mass or after a personal visit.

Online broadcast of Mass: will be reduced from this week; Mass will be available this week on Wednesday and Friday at 10am and Sunday at 11am.

Exams: We keep in our prayers all those doing exams at the moment. Spirit of God, be with all those doing exams; enlighten students to choose the correct questions. Focus their minds to answer each questions clearly. Holy Spirit, grant them peace of mind and calmness of soul. Holy Spirit, come help them during exams and always.

Missals: For those using daily and Sunday missals - ordinary time resumes this Monday; use Sunday cycle B, weekday cycle 1, 8th week in ordinary time.

Baptisms: Bookings for baptisms are now being accepted; please contact the Parish Office or Fr David. Please note that no more than 10 people are allowed to attend a baptism at this time

Contributions: Thanks for your continued financial support of the parish at this time. A number of payments have been received through the diocesan online donation facility and we are very grateful. All donations made through that service come to the parish.

Rosary for the month of May: Each Friday evening at 730pm the Rosary will be said in the grounds of St Molua's Church, weather permitting, otherwise in the Church itself. Everyone is welcome to come and honour our Lady, during the month of May. All HSE guidelines will be adhered to. If you are unable to attend maybe you will pray with us from your home.

May Safeguarding Month: An Adult Safeguarding Policy for all Munster Dioceses has been introduced into the diocese. 'Inspired by gospel values, the commitment of Pope Francis, and in compliance with law we will strive to ensure the participation and welfare of all adults who may be vulnerable in the life of the Church. We are committed to fostering a safeguarding culture characterised by empowerment, collaboration and zero tolerance of abuse.' You can find a copy of the policy at <https://www.killaloeocese.ie/safeguarding/safeguarding-forms-policies>

Saints celebrated this week include St Philp Neri (26 May) - lived in the 16th century and promoted good preaching and holiness of priestly life. St Augustine of Canterbury - a monk sent by Pope Gregory to England where he helped the church to grow.

The Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage is taking place virtually again this year. Bishop Fintan will celebrate the Mass in Knock for the Diocesan on Sunday 23rd May. The Mass will be streamed live at 3.00p.m. on the Knock Shrine website, as happened last year, with Rosary commencing at 2.30p.m. The Mass can be viewed online at www.knockshrine.ie/watch-live.

Community/ Local News

Mountshannon Community Employment Scheme: Following positions are available in **Ogonneloe:** General Maintenance Operative CES 2145164. To enquire about the above vacancies please email estennis@welfare.ie or Contact your INTREO case officer or check out www.jobsireland.ie for job description and more details.

O'Gonnelloe GAA: Cúl Camp will take place from August 16th to August 20th. Booking will go live on the website from May 24th.

Accord: now recruiting for volunteer facilitators in supporting couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage, is looking to recruit a part time office administrator for 15.5 hours per week. More information 085-2358384 or email accordennis1@gmail.com by Mon 24th May.

Helplines: East Clare Community Response 085 865 98 89; Clare Covid Community 1800 203600; ALONE (for older people) 0818 222 024; Women's Aid Helpline 1800 341900; Clare Haven 065 6822435.

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