



O'Gonnelloe Parish

The Most Holy Trinity

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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 1st June:** Mass at 10am St Mary's
- Thursday 3rd June:** Mass at 10am St Molua's, Adoration of Blessed Eucharist
- Friday 4th June:** Mass at 10am St Molua's - First Friday
- Saturday 5th June:** Mass 7pm Tuamgraney, Mass at 8pm St Mary's
- Sunday 6th June:** 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.

Saturday 12th June 8pm Michael Dinan (6th Anniversary) & Joe Dinan (1st Anniversary) St Mary's

Sympathy: We offer our sympathies to Elaine Mulcahy on the death of her uncle Jack Treacy and to Conor O'Reilly on the death of his father Edmond, may their gentle souls rest in peace.

Weekend Ministries

Date 2021	Reader (please check with celebrant before)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
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
June 12th - St Mary's 8pm	Pat Mooney	TBC	Mary McKenna, Kathleen O'Brien
June 13th - St Molua's 10am	Seamus Bane	TBC	Margaret Bane, Mary Lynch

We pray for all students who begin state examinations in the coming week.

A Student's Prayer

Lord God, please clear my mind
and give me the understanding and knowledge that comes only from you.
Bless me as I take this exam and bring the information
that I've studied to mind when it is needed in this exam.
Grant this favour as I begin this test. I ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Parish/Diocesan News

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support with regard to the health and safety standards for all attending Mass. Please continue to wear face masks and observe the social distancing in church. By doing so you will ensure that public attendance at Mass will remain in place. If you have a moment to spare in helping to sanitise surfaces after Mass it would be very much appreciated and of course please do so after your own personal visits.

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.

St Molua's: Work has now begun on St Molua's church. Please take care and do not go around the building.

First Friday: is on Friday 4th June, Mass is in St Molua's 10am.

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: One of the impacts of Covid is a rise in the 'amount of screen' time. Finding ourselves spending more time looking 'down' than looking 'up'. This is especially worrying for children. Please check out these useful Websites with resources for keeping our children safe online. Office for internet Safety; Webwise; That's not cool; Think you know; Net lingo; Translate it; Laya Healthcare Online Safety; Screen Time app; Connect Safely; Google Family Safety Centre; PEGI Rating System; Kid Rex (safe search); YouTube Policy & safety; ICIA'S Parents Guide to Mobile Phones Irish Mobile Phone Operators Code of Practice. (courtesy of Dr Maureen Griffin)

Saints celebrated this week Mon 31 is the feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is to honour Mary's thoughtful service of an elderly relative in need. We celebrate the feast of St Justin on 1 June - St Justin was one of the earliest theologians and his writings contain description of the gatherings of believers which were the foundation of the structure of the Mass as we know it today.

Weddings: In relation to marriage notification forms with the HSE system down and the Civil Registration office have to hand write the marriage notification forms that will be forwarded to you.

Community/ Local News

Mountshannon Community Employment Scheme: Following positions are available in **Ogonnelloe:** 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: Major fundraising campaign to raise funds for the development of a fantastic indoor sports centre that will benefit the entire community. On the website www.ogonnelloegaa.com you can see models of the development and enter the raffle to win an ECO Garden Room + €5,000 cash prize. Membership is due with games about to start back up, club membership fees are now due. Please contact Gerry Cosgrove, Vincent Grady, PJ Delaney or Alan Maher for details. Cúl Camp will take place from August 16th to August 20th. Booking will go live on the website from May 24th.

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.

All notices are as given & correct on going to print.

Collections 22nd/23rd May:

Offertory: €318.50 Church Renovation: €465 Priests Collection: €280 Lourdes Invalid Fund: €10

Trócaire: €102

Thank you for your continued generosity & support.

