



O'Gonnelloe Parish

13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

27th June 2021



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Parish Office open from 10am - 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 29th June: Mass at 10am St Mary's
Thursday 1st July: Mass at 10am St Molua's, Adoration of Blessed Eucharist
Friday 2nd July: First Friday Mass 10am St Molua's
Saturday 3rd July: Mass 7pm Tuamgraney, Mass at 8pm St Mary's
Sunday 4th July: 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 26th June 8pm Tom Stritch (First Anniversary) & Martin Minogue (Anniversary)
 & Maudy & William Healy (Anniversary) **St Mary's/Online also**
Saturday 3rd July 8pm Anton Hoffman (Anniversary) **St Molua's**
Thursday 15th July 10am Dan Crowe **St Molua's**

Weekend Ministries

Date 2021	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
June 26th - St Mary's 8pm	Mary McMahon	Carmel McMahon	Helen Reilly, Shirley McNulty
June 27th - St Molua's 11am	Siobhan Kelly	Frances McKenna	Liz Skelly, Lorraine Hassett
July 3rd - St Molua's 8pm	Connie McKenna	Anne Molloy	Kathleen Mooney, Phil McNeive
July 4th - St Mary's 11am	Francis McNulty	Margaret Lynch	Carmel McMahon, Gerardine Sheedy
July 10th - St Molua's 8pm	Mary Gibbons	Siobhan Kelly	Anne Molloy
July 11th - St Mary's 11am	Pat Mooney	Pat Gavin	Anne Forde, Kathleen Dinan

A Blessing - John O'Donohoe

May you be present in what you do.
 May you never become lost in the bland absences;
 May the day never burden;
 May dawn find you awake and alert, approaching your new day with dreams, possibilities and promises;
 May evening find you gracious and fulfilled;
 May you go into the night blessed, sheltered and protected;
 May your soul calm, console and renew you."

Parish/Diocesan News

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support with regard to the health and safety standards for all attending Mass. 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.

With all events in church at the moment, capacity is restricted to 50 with usual health and safety guidelines in place. Please keep this in mind especially when anniversary Masses are being celebrated. Attending Mass during the week fulfils your Sunday obligation at the present time.

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.

First Friday: Fr David will be in contact with regular calls.

Sacraments: The celebration of First Holy Communion for children in our parish will take place in St Molua's on Sunday 11 July at 1130am. We will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday 8 July in St Mary's Church at 11am. Please keep all the children, their families and teachers in your prayers at this time. Please note that attendance at both celebrations is limited to 50 people.

Thanks are due to all in our school communities: at the end of a very different school year. We hope you all have a good holiday and best wishes to those moving on to other schools, third-level or work.

The new graveyard extension is now completed and graves are available for purchase. If you are interested in buying a plot you can contact one of the following; Michael McNamara -086 8202917 or Ger O'Brien - 087 6349429 or Pat O'Brien - 087 7924202

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.

Changing of Churches and Times: On Saturday 3rd July Vigil Mass will be celebrated in St Molua's at 8pm and on Sunday 4th Mass will be celebrated in St Mary's at 11am. This will continue for the rest of the year.

Please pray for Fr Ger Nash who was recently appointed as Bishop-elect of the diocese of Ferns. This diocese covers most of Wexford and parts of counties Wicklow and Carlow. Fr Ger, a native of Tulla, has most recently served as diocesan secretary and director of pastoral development in our diocese of Killaloe. We will miss his faithful service and wish him all the very best in his new appointment. **A Prayer for Fr Ger:** Eternal God, Shepherd and Guide, may Ger who will serve your Church be a shepherd after your own heart, who will walk in your ways and with loving care, watch over your people. May he be a leader of vision and a teacher of your truth. So may your name be glorified and your church built up through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Saints of the week: 29 June Ss Peter and Paul - this is the day traditionally considered to be the foundation day of Rome by Romulus. 1 July St Oliver Plunkett the last Catholic to die at Tyburn and the first of the Irish martyrs to be beatified. He was archbishop of Armagh from 1669 to 1681.

Community/ Local News

Cafe at Ogonneloe Exchange: will re-open on Saturday 10 July from 11.00am to 3.00pm. Clarecare will operate the Cafe as part of their Connect Clare social enterprise venture, which is a new Clarecare initiative aiming to reconnect members of the public through conversation and community engagement in a café environment. Our cafe in Ogonneloe is a location where Connect Clare is being piloted for a number of months. You can drop in for a tea or coffee and some hot and cold food every Saturday from 11.00am to 3.00pm, to meet friends and have a chat. Or if you are passing by you can call in for a takeaway drink or snack. If the cafe is successful its opening could be extended to other days of the week. This is a great opportunity for our community to support a new venture in Ogonneloe. We hope to see you there.

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: 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.

Scariff Library: Monday 14th June – Friday 9th July 2021 'Colour and Rhythm' Inis Artists Art Exhibition Open during library opening hours: Monday – Friday 10.00 – 1.30; 2.30 – 5.30

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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