



# O'Gonnelloe Parish

## 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

### 29th August 2021



Parish Website: [www.ogonnelloeparish.ie](http://www.ogonnelloeparish.ie)

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Parish Office open from 10am - 1pm on Thursdays 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 31st August:** Mass at 10am St Mary's
- Thursday 2nd September:** Mass at 10am St Molua's, Adoration of Blessed Eucharist
- Friday 3rd September:** Mass at 10am St Molua's
- Saturday 4th September:** Mass 6.30pm Tuamgraney, Mass at 8pm St Molua's
- Sunday 5th September:** Mass 9.30am Bodyke, Mass 11am St Mary'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 28th August 8pm** Mary Gavin (Anniversary) **St Molua's**

**Sympathies:** Sincere sympathies to the Stuart family on the death of Dominic, may his gentle soul rest in peace.

### Weekend Ministries

Date 2021	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
Aug 28th - St Molua's 8pm Aug 29th - St Mary's 11am	Anna O'Farrell Francis McNulty	Catriona Casey Donal Molloy	Anna McElhinney, Reggie Quinn Breda Keaveney
Sept 4th - St Molua's 8pm Sept 5th - St Mary's 11am	Seamus Bane Pat Mooney	Frances McKenna Carmel McMahon	Margaret Bane, Mary Lynch Kathleen O'Brien, Mary McKenna
Sept 11th - St Molua's 8pm Sept 12th - St Mary's 11am	Siobhan Kelly Oonagh McElhinney	TBC TBC	Martha McNamara Christina Sheedy, Mary Kirby

#### Reflection: Bless the Space Between Us: A Book of Blessings by John O'Donohue

May I live this day  
Compassionate of heart,  
Clear in word,  
Gracious in awareness,  
Courageous in thought,  
Generous in love.

#### Collections 14th/15th August:

Offertory: €192 Church Renovation: €65  
Priests Collection: €20

St Mary's Candelabra: €103 St Molua's Candelabra: €338

Thank you for your continued generosity & support.

*Thank you*

### Parish/Diocesan News

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support with regard to the health and safety standards for all attending Mass. You can help us to stay within the limits by attending Mass on a day other than Sunday when suitable.

#### Guidelines for attending Mass:

- Facemasks must be worn in church during Mass and other services.
- Social spacing in church is still necessary – maintain a distance in seating
- 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 help to sanitise the church, wiping the seats after Mass or after a personal visit.

**St Molua's:** The painting of the interior of St Molua's is scheduled for later in the year; on the advice of the builder, it was important to allow the repaired barges and walls to dry out before painting; thank you for your patience.

**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

**Online Masses:** will resume in September. There are a number of local parishes where you can watch Masses but of course you are more than welcome to attend in person.

**Contributions:** Thanks for your continued financial support of the parish at this time, your support is greatly appreciated in these difficult times. A number of payments have been received through the diocesan online donation facility and we are very grateful.

**Episcopal Ordination of Father Ger Nash Bishop-Elect of Ferns:** St. Aidan's Cathedral, Enniscorthy, Sunday 5th September 2021 at 3pm. It will also be available on St. Aidan's Cathedral webcam. - <https://www.staidanscathedral.ie/our-parish/webcam/> and South East Radio 95.6fm to 96.4fm. The radio broadcast will commence at 2.30pm with a commentary from Fr. John Paul Sheridan.

### Community/ Local News

**Note of thanks from Dorothy Woods:** Dorothy would like to thank her neighbours and friends for their kindness in celebrating her recent birthday. Thank you all so very much.

**Cafe at Ogonneloe Exchange:** is opened on Saturday from 11.00am to 3.00pm. Clarecare 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. We hope to see you there.

**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](http://www.ogonnelloegaa.com) you can see models of the development and enter the raffle to win an ECO Garden Room + €5,000 cash prize

**Mounthannon 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](mailto:estennis@welfare.ie) or Contact your INTREO case officer or check out [www.jobsireland.ie](http://www.jobsireland.ie) for job description and more details.

**Age Action's Care and Repair** does small DIY jobs, free of charge, for older people to help them maintain their homes and their independence. It prioritises carrying out jobs in the homes of older people who are being discharged or have recently been discharged from hospital. If someone is coming out of hospital, no matter where they live, we would support them to make sure their home is safe. Referrals can be made directly to 0818 911 109 or email to [careandrepair@ageaction.ie](mailto:careandrepair@ageaction.ie).

**SVP East Clare:** As always, your donations make a difference, to support those most in need in East Clare. You can also contact SVP East Clare, in confidence, on 086 392 1492 or via email at [stcaimins.eastclare@svp.ie](mailto:stcaimins.eastclare@svp.ie). Account Name: East Clare SVP. Bank of Ireland. IBAN No: IE91 BOFI 9044 1363 2045 45. BIC No: BOFIE2D.

**The Good Old Days:** is available from the author, Mary A. Moloney for €10.00 plus €5.00 P&P at Clyduff, Lisnagry, Castleconnell, Co. Limerick. The 120-page booklet contains the authorised biography of the famous Co. Clare priest, Fr. James Minogue (1925-1918), whose memories of his life and times are in themselves an actual archive of the twentieth century. The book contains universal memories, including "Our Schoolyard Games", "The 1966 Farmers' March", "Saving the Hay", "Poems we Learned at School", and "Old Irish Sayings".

**Tour of Holy Island:** Ring of Lough Derg Tourist Office in Killaloe (County Clare) at 12H30 on Tuesdays and Thursdays, to Mounthannon pier with a boat trip to and from Holy Island. Tour concludes with a lunch at 'Flanagans On The Lake' (a bar and restaurant near Killaloe) around 15H. Bookings need to be made in advance via 0851086497

**Limerick-Killaloe Camino:** is a project of the Church of Ireland Cathedrals of St Mary's in Limerick and St Flannan's in Killaloe. It is roughly 25 kilometres in Length which is about a five hour walk. It follows part of the Lough Derg Way with a mixture of river bank, canal bank, forest trail, old roadway and minor roads. The Limerick-Killaloe Camino is best accessed from one of three different trailheads along the Lough Derg Way which provide information boards and car parking. These are at Limerick (Arthurs Quay), Clonlara (centre of the village) and Killaloe (Riverside Car Park on the Killaloe Side of the Shannon, near the Tourist Office). A booklet containing prayers and readings for this camino can be downloaded at <https://limerick.anglican.org/limerick-killaloe-camino/>

**Helplines:** 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.**