



O'Gonnelloe Parish

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

30th January 2022



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Parish Office open from 10am - 2pm 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 for the week ahead

- Tuesday 1st February:** St Brigid's Day 10am St Mary's
- Wednesday 2nd February:** Presentation of the Lord 10am Tuamgraney - Blessing of Candles
- Thursday 3rd February:** St Blaise 10am St Molua's, Adoration of Blessed Eucharist
- Friday 4th February:** First Friday 10am St Molua's - First Friday Adoration directly after Mass
- Saturday 5th February:** 8pm St Mary's Church
- Sunday 6th February:** 11am St Molua's Church

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 30th January** Mary Mulcahy **St Molua's 11am**
- Sunday 6th February** Michael (Mikie) Sheedy (4th Anniversary) **St Molua's 11am**

Weekend Ministries

Date	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
2022			
Jan 29th - St Mary's 8pm Jan 30th - St Molua's 11am	Mary McMahan Seamus Bane	Oonagh McElhinney Martha McNamara	Gerardine Sheedy, Carmel McMahan Kathleen Mooney, Phil McNeive
Feb 5th - St Mary's 8pm Feb 6th - St Molua's 11am	Francis McNulty Siobhan Kelly	Donal Molloy Catriona Casey	Anne Forde, Kathleen Dinan Anna McElhinney, Reggie Quinn
Feb 12th - St Mary's 8pm Feb 13th - St Molua's 11am	Pat Mooney Connie McKenna	Margaret Mooney Frances McKenna	Breda Keaveney Anne Molloy

Collections 22nd/23rd January:

Offertory: €347.50 Church Renovation: €250

Thank you for your continued kind generosity & support.



Reflection:

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails.

Parish/Diocesan News

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

Helping in our Churches: Over the past two years we have experienced periods of great change with the pandemic. Now that we are thankfully emerging back to normality, we are looking to re-energise our group of Parish volunteers. Some people have given decades of service in this way and we are now all asked to consider how we might be able to help in whatever way we can. We are particularly looking to recruit new volunteers as Sacristans and Cleaners at this time. If you would like to volunteer or to know more please contact Fr Dariusz or Joanne in the Parish Office.

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.

2022 Envelope Boxes: are currently being organised and will be available at the back of churches for collection in the next few days. If you do not receive a box or would like to join and receive a box please contact the parish office.

Planning to get married in 2022? You need to give at least six months notice for the completion of church and civil papers and so it would be a good idea to contact Fr. Dariusz to chat through the necessary requirements. This applies whether you are getting married in the parish, elsewhere in Ireland or overseas.

Anniversary Masses: Please note that as more requests are made for anniversary masses for 2022 it will be necessary to include a number of intentions at the same mass. We thank you for your understanding & co-operation.

Confirmation Webinars for Parents: organised by the Diocesan Sacramental Group will be presented by Fr. Chris O' Donnell, Diocese of Limerick and will be held on Monday February 7th at 6.45pm and 8.15pm. Details have been circulated to parents to register for webinar, if you did not receive an email please contact Fr Dariusz.

Dates for the Celebration of the Sacraments 2022 are as follows: • Confirmation - Saturday March 26th Venue/Time TBC • First Reconciliation - Wednesday 30th March at 7.00pm in St Mary's Church; • First Holy Communion - Saturday May 14th at 11.00am in St Molua's Church.

Dates for your Diary: Tuesday 1st February St Brigid's Day at 10am St Mary's; Wednesday 2nd February Presentation of the Lord and blessing of candles in Tuamgraney Church at 10am, you are welcome to bring your candles and leave on the altar for blessing; Thursday 3rd February St Blaise in St Molua's at 10am with blessing of throats directly after; Friday 4th February First Friday Mass at 10am in St Molua's with Adoration directly after till 11am; Wednesday 2nd March Ash Wednesday Mass at 10am in St Molua's.

Community/ Local News

Cafe at Ogonelloe Exchange: is open on Saturday's from 10.30am - 2pm. All are welcome.

Tots and Toddler Group: to be held in the Community Hall every second Wednesday at 10AM starting from 19th January.

Scariff Ogonelloe Camogie Club: Congratulations to the Senior team on a great victory on being crowned Munster Senior Camogie Club Champions. Well done to the team, trainers and mentors.

Ogonelloe National School - Admission/Enrolment for September 2022: Applications are being accepted for enrolment in Junior Infants for the School Year 2022-2023. Please complete the 2022 Application for Enrolment form which you can find on our school website (www.ogonnelloens.com), and return to the school (either by post or email to office@ogonnelloens.com). Applications should be received no later than Friday, 4th March 2022. If you have any queries please contact office@ogonnelloens.com

Visitation Support & Befriending Volunteers: Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person locally? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested please contact Karen on karen.byrne@alone.ie or on 086 0576401

Mountshannon Community Employment Scheme: Following positions are available in Ogonelloe: 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.

Money Advice and Budgeting Service: Are you struggling to make ends meet after Christmas? Are you worried about money you owe to lenders, credit cards, banks and mortgage lenders? For free, confidential and independent advice please contact the Clare MABS on 0761 072430 or email us at ennis@mabs.ie

Helplines: Women's Aid Helpline 1800 341900: Clare Haven 065 6822435 Samaritans, Ennis - 065 6829777 St. Vincent de Paul, East Clare - 086 3921492

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