



## O'Gonnelloe Parish

Fourth Sunday of Lent  
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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 29th March:	10am St Mary's
Thursday 31st March:	10am St Mary's, Adoration of Blessed Eucharist - note church change
Friday 1st April:	10am First Friday Mass St Mary's
Saturday 2nd April	8pm St Mary's Church
Sunday 3rd April:	11am St Mary's Church - note church change

### 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 March	Michael & Annie Kirby (Anniversary) Moira Stewart (Formerly O'Callaghan Mills, died recently in UK)	St Mary's 8pm
Sunday 27th March	Pat Vaughan Paddy & Mary Connelly	St Mary's 11am
Tuesday 5th April	John Moloney	St Mary's 10am

### Weekend Ministries

Date 2022	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
Mar 26th - St Mary's 8pm Mar 27th - St Mary's 11am (Sunday Mass in St Mary's)	Oonagh McElhinney Mary Gibbons	Anne Molloy Margaret Lynch	Anne Forde, Kathleen Dinan
Apr 2nd - St Mary's 8pm Apr 3rd - St Mary's 11am (Sunday Mass in St Mary's)	Mary McMahan Anna O'Farrell	Pat Gavin Siobhan Kelly	Breda Keaveney
Apr 9th - St Mary's 8pm Apr 10th - St Molua's 11am	Francis McNulty Seamus Bane	Oonagh McElhinney Martha McNamara	Kathleen O'Brien, Mary McKenna Anna McElhinney, Reggie Quinn

Collections St Patrick's Day & 19th/20th March:  
Offerory: €432.20 Church Renovation: €70 Priests Collection: €35 Trocáire: €50  
Thank you for your continued kind generosity & support.



### Parish/Diocesan News

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support with regard to the health and safety standards for all attending Mass. Facemasks are recommended but not compulsory during Mass and other services. Please sanitise your hands when entering church. Holy Communion should only be received in the hand.

**For a Synodal Church:** Pope Francis has asked parishioners in every parish across the world to reflect on our experience of church and share our views focusing particularly on Church as Community, Participation and Mission. If you would like to attend a meeting during Lent and share your ideas, please e-mail: Francis McNulty on francis@claritax.ie or text Siobhán Kelly on 085 7727705. Alternatively questionnaires will be available at back of church which you can fill out and return to church. Or you can fill out an online survey: [www.ogonnelloeparish.ie](http://www.ogonnelloeparish.ie). We encourage and appreciate your participation in this. Thanking you in advance.

**Painting in St Molua's:** The interior of St Molua's Church will be painted after the St Patrick's Day weekend, starting on Monday 21st March. During this period all masses will be in St Mary's Church. Mass will resume in St Molua's on Palm Sunday, 10th April.

**Confessions and Reconciliation:** Confession will be available after all masses (Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday & Sunday) in both churches during the season of Lent for anyone who wishes to receive it.

**Rosary:** During Lent every Thursday morning before Mass at 9:30am. Pray to our Lady for Peace. All are welcome.

**Special Collection for Ukraine:** The Irish Bishops have asked for a Special Collection to be taken up at Masses on the weekend of 26/27 March to support humanitarian efforts in Ukraine and especially the families and children who have had to flee their homeland in advance of the Russian invasion. The proceeds of this Special Collection will be directed to Caritas Internationalis, which is the helping hand of the Church on the ground in the Ukraine and the surrounding region. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.

**Confirmation:** God's Blessing and the many fruit and gifts of the Holy Spirit to the candidates from O'Gonnelloe N.S. who were confirmed by Bishop Fintan Monahan in Bodyke Church on Saturday 26th March - Ciara Delaney, Aoife Foley, Isobel Gibbons, Cian Grainger, Molly Harvey, Orlaith Kelly, Roisin Lynch, Luka Lynch Bourke, Niamh Maher, Siofra McNulty, Eimear Murnane, Sean O'Brien, Darragh Perry, Sophie Sheedy.

**First Confession:** God's Blessing of the pupils of O'Gonnelloe N.S. who will celebrate the Sacrament of First Confession on Wednesday 30th March in St Mary's: Cliona Byran, Michael Daly, Hannah Fahy, Douglas Floyd, Ben Gibbons, Conor Grainger, Diarmuid Heffernan, Connell Hogan, Oscar Kolshus, Darragh Lynch, Fiona McGarr, Logan McLoughrey, Hugo McMahon, Shimona Moloney, Sean Murnane, Liam O'Callaghan, Aoife Perry.

### Community/Local News

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

**Scariff Ogonnelloe Camogie Club:** eagerly anticipated Dinner Dance will take place on Saturday April 2nd at Hotel Woodstock in Ennis. Tickets €50. Contact Majella O'Donnell (086 8314742) for more information and to book your ticket.

**O'Gonnelloe Hurling Club:** are happy to announce that, in order to celebrate a great 2021, 'The O-Stars' dinner dance will be happening in The Killaloe Hotel on April 23rd. Ticket details to follow.

**Ogonnelloe Boot Camp:** exercise class is on every Wednesday evening at the Hall, 7.30-8.30pm. €12 per class and some spaces are now available. Please contact Anna on 0872287543 for more info.

**Clearance Sale of Boutique Clothes:** Saturday 2nd April in O'Gonnelloe Exchange Hall 10am - 1pm. Proceeds to be divided between Ukraine Appeal & Missionvale Ireland.

**SVP East Clare:** Offering a little help at the right time can give people hope for the future. Our small East Clare based team supports local families and individuals, helping them to move towards self-sufficiency and we would welcome more volunteers to assist us. For more information or for an application form please text your contact details to 086 392 1492 or email us [stcaimins.eastclare@svp.ie](mailto:stcaimins.eastclare@svp.ie)

**Conradh na Gaeilge,** Craobh Oirthear an Chláir, held a church gate collection in Ogonnelloe on St. Patrick's Day. The amount collected was €86. The money will be used for the promotion of Irish language activities. Míle buíochas as an dtacaíocht.

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

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



### O'Gonnelloe Parish



**Holy Thursday: April 14th**  
7pm St Molua's, O'Gonnelloe

**Good Friday: April 15th**  
3pm St Mary's Church - Celebration of the Lord's Passion  
7pm Stations of the Cross

**Holy Saturday: April 16th**  
8pm St Mary's Church - Easter Vigil

**Easter Sunday: April 17th**  
5:45am Dawn Mass at Twomilegate (gathering 5:30am weather permitting)  
11am St Molua's Church

As part of the new pastoral area arrangements the Holy Thursday celebration will alternate between Tuamgraney & O'Gonnelloe from year to year. We appreciate your understanding as these changes come into effect.