

Sunday 27th March

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# O'Gonnelloe Parish

Third Sunday of Lent 20th March 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 22nd March: 10am St Mary's

Thursday 24th March: 10am St Mary's, Adoration of Blessed Eucharist - note church change

Saturday 26th March: 8pm St Mary's Church

**Sunday 27th March:** 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 19th MarchMichael Howe (First Anniversary)St Mary's 8pmSunday 20th MarchMichael O'CallaghanSt Molua's 11am

Saturday 26th March Michael & Annie Kirby (Anniversary)

Moira Stewart (Formerly O'Callaghan Mills, died recently in UK)

Pat Vaughan

St Mary's 8pm

St Mary's 11am

Sympathies: Sincere sympathies to the Sheedy family on the death of Mary McKenna, may her gentle soul rest in

#### **Weekend Ministries**

Date	Reader	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning
2022	(please check with celebrant before Mass)		(to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
Mar 17th - St Molua's 10am	Francis McNulty	Margaret Mooney/Frances McKenna	
Mar 19th - St Mary's 8pm	Family of Michael Howe	Margaret Mooney	Gerardine Sheedy, Carmel McMahon
Mar 20th - St Molua's 11am	Connie McKenna	Frances McKenna	Anne Molloy
Mar 26th - St Mary's 8pm	Oonagh McElhinney	Anne Molloy	Anne Forde, Kathleen Dinan
Mar 27th - St Mary's 11am (Sunday Mass in St Mary's)	Mary Gibbons	Margaret Lynch	
Apr 2nd - St Mary's 8pm	Mary McMahon	Pat Gavin	Breda Keaveney
Apr 3rd - St Mary's 11am	Anna O'Farrell	Siobhan Kelly	
(Sunday Mass in St Mary's)			

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. 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.

Knock Fully Escorted Pilgrimage four night Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, 04th April 2022. €570.00 per person sharing. Price includes return bus transfer ,4 nights in Knock House Hotel with Full Board. All entertainment and excursions. Wheelchair accessible rooms. Single supplement €75.00. Contact Patricia on 087 1890 236 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: resumes again this year from 28th June to 3rd July, direct from Shannon Airport. Sick or assisted pilgrims will not travel this year. Cost €739 to €759 depending on the choice of hotel , Agena or La Solitude. To reserve your place please contact Joe Walsh Tours -Tel; 01-2410800 , email: info@joewalshtours.ie Post: Joe Walsh Tours 69 O'Connell Street Dublin 1. The autumn pilgrimage will take place from 2nd to 7th October 2022. Enquiries to Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director 087- 2349816 or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

**Ukraine Collection & Appeal:** Our community is collecting urgent supplies for the people of Ukraine until 21st March to ensure they can be shipped out. FOOD Tea and coffee/ Cans with an opener (soups, beans, stews, meatballs ready meals in a tin)/Food (porridge, rice, pasta, cereal, sugar)/Soups (in packs dry)/ Baby food (formula milk in powder/baby food in jars, and in pouches). Sweets (chocolate, bars) and dairy/Conserves/Preserves/Energy bars. HYGIENE / MEDICAL Personal hygiene products (hair shampoo, bath gel, soap, deodorants, toothpaste, and toothbrushes). NB: if sending shampoos/liquids, please wrap in clingfilm or put in plastic sealed containers. Dressings (bandages, sterilized gauze, disinfectants, plasters, wipes, sanitary items, hygienic females pads, tampons) Paracetamol, ibuprofen Milton tablets or equivalent CLOTHING / BEDDING Sleeping bags blankets, sleeping mat, Napkins every sizes Baby clothes any ages - clean and washed please. New ladies, men and kids underwear all sizes, Scarves, coats, gloves, pullovers/sweaters, Warm socks. Drop Off Points at: Bodyke Church, Tuamgraney Church, O'Gonnelloe Churches, Parish Office Tuamgraney.

**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.

## Community/Local News

A meeting will be held in the Parish Hall on Mon next 21st March at 8pm to explore what possible support we as a parish can give to the Ukrainian people. We are asking for a representative from each parish organisation or anyone interested in helping those who have left their war torn country.

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.

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

Census 2022: Enumerators are delivering census forms. The census is taking place on Sunday, 3 April 2022. Census enumerators are calling to every home in your area to deliver census forms from now up to census date. Enumerators can help with any queries that you may have. Visit the website census ie for more information and our contact details if you wish to contact the census office. Please ask to see their ID badge when they call. Census enumerators will not enter your home. The census is carried out by the Central Statistics Office (CSO).

**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

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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