

O'Gonnelloe Parish

Third Sunday of Easter 1st May 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 3rd May: 10am St Mary's

Thursday 5th May: 10am St Molua's, with Adoration of Blessed Eucharist

Friday 6th May: 10am St Molua's First Friday

Saturday 7th May: 8pm St Mary's Church, Rosary (before Mass)

Sunday 8th May: 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.

Saturday 30th AprilPat & Anne GuilfoyleSt Mary's 8pmSunday 1st MayDon MolloySt Molua's 11amSaturday 7th MayMaureen & Michael Henry, Gerard McMahon (Senior)St Mary's 8pmSunday 15th MayPauline & Jim KellySt Molua's 11am

Weekend Ministries

Date	Reader	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning
2022	(please check with celebrant before Mass)		(to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
Apr 30th - St Mary's 8pm	Francis McNulty	Margaret Lynch	Helen Reilly, Shirley McNulty
May 1st - St Molua's 11am	Mary Gibbons	Ann Molloy	Liz Skelly, Lorraine Hassett
May 7th - St Mary's 8pm	Pat Mooney	Pat Gavin	Gerardine Sheedy, Carmel McMahon
May 8th - St Molua's 11am	Anna O'Farrell	Siobhan Kelly	Kathleen Mooney, Phil McNieve
May 14th - St Mary's 8pm	Oonagh McElhinney	Oonagh McElhinney	Anne Forde, Kathleen Dinan
May 15th - St Molua's 11am	Seamus Bane	Martha McNamara	Anne Molloy

Reflection:

After death and resurrection comes the Spirit of love. Love given, love received and love shared.

Anything real about the resurrection always ends in being sent by God on the mission of Jesus. He gives little instruction about the mission nor even what it may entail. But it entails being led by God. Life for Jesus is life with Jesus and with the grace of God. We are never alone. This is the company and the friendship at the source of the life of the soul, and which keeps our unique personality alive. This love comes in prayer and in love and in our loving service of others. This is mission with and for the risen Jesus Christ.

Risen Lord, increase my faith, hope and love.

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.

A big thank you: to everyone who took part & were involved in the Mercy Sunday preparations. Special thanks to Fr Dariusz & Fr Jackie, may God bless them.

Celebration of First Holy Communion for Ogonnelloe N.S. is Saturday May 14th at 11.00am in St Molua's Church. We ask you to pray for the children receiving the greatest gift of Christ himself in The Eucharist - Clíona 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, Seán Murnane, Liam O'Callaghan, Aoife Perry.

First Friday Adoration: will be on directly after First Friday Mass till 11am. If anyone would like to join Raymond and Anna for this Adoration during the year, please contact Frances McKenna. All are welcome.

Month of May Rosary: will be said on Saturday evenings before Mass in St Mary's at the statue, weather permitting.

The annual Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine takes place on Sunday May 22nd. The day will include a tour of the grounds, a visit to the Museum, concelebrated Mass and time to enjoy lunch and explore the beautiful Shrine grounds and services therein. The Ark Children's Club at The HUB is available for those coming with small children (open Wednesday to Sunday). A bus will be organised by Brigdale Coaches 087 2661333 (Contact Cian) and Noel O'Shea 087 2550155 (Contact Noel). Any questions contact Claire in the Killaloe Diocesan Office at 065 6828638 or visit www.knockshrine.ie

Join the 2022 Public Square Rosary Crusade: on Saturday 14th May in Memorial Park, Tuamgraney at 4pm.

The 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 on 01- 2410800, email: info@joewalshtours.ie or by post to Joe Walsh Tours, 69 O'Connell Street, Dublin 1. The autumn pilgrimage will take place from 2nd to 7th October. Contact Fr. Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director at 087 2349816 or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

Community/ Local News

The OGNS Parents Association has arranged for another Cash for Clobber collection for Sunday May 8th at Ogonnelloe N.S. Items that can be donated include good quality clothing, paired shoes, hats, scarves, belts and handbags. They must all be bagged. Please drop the bags into the school shelter by the basketball court at any time on Sunday May 8th. This is a large fundraiser for the school and we are very grateful for all donations.

Community Cafe at Ogonnelloe Exchange: is now open on Saturdays 10:30am - 2pm. All welcome.

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.

O'Gonnelloe Toddlers Group: is postponed for now. Please contact Helen Reilly for updates 087 7767449.

Get Active & Get Talking: Come and join us on Saturday mornings at 10am outside the O'Gonnelloe Community Exchange Hall for a 5km friendly walk and a chat after in the Community Café. All are welcome and you are welcome to walk, jog or run.

Bealtaine Festival: We are inviting people aged over 65yrs to contact us if interested in sharing their traditional skills with the public at our festival on May 15th in Ennistymon, Co. Clare. Please contact erin@ourcommonknowledge.org if interested in participating or learn more from our website: www.ourcommonknowledge.org

Clare English Language School is back in action for 2022. Students will attend from 16th July to 6th August for a 3 Week Summer Course for Teenagers. Over the 25 years that Clare English Language School has been in operation many Host Families have taken young people into their homes. Host Families are now needed. For more details and rates of pay please contact Caroline Kelly on 087 6287006.

Healing Programme for People Bereaved by Suicide: Are you finding it difficult to cope with the death by suicide of a family member or friend? You could get help at a Healing Programme organised by Clare Suicide Bereavement Support at their premises in Innovation House (near Liddys), Roslevan Centre, Tulla Rd. Ennis, starting at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday May 12th. and continuing for eight consecutive Thursdays. Please feel welcome to come for support and meet others in the same position as yourself. For further information phone 086 0565373 0r 087 3698315. www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com

The Irish Blood Transfusion Service are urgently looking for Blood Donors as stocks are extremely low. If you can give blood, find a clinic near you and make an appointment by calling 1800 731 137. First time donors are very welcome too. For all information check the website: giveblood.ie

Helplines: Women's Aid Helpline 1800 341900: Pieta: 1800 247 247 or text HELP to 51444 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.

Collections 16th/17th April: Offertory: €743.30 Priests Collection: €1310 Trócaire: €901 Church Renovation: €160

Thank you for your continued kind generosity & support.

