



O'Gonnelloe Parish

Ascension of the Lord
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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 31st May:	10am St Mary's
Thursday 2nd June:	10am St Molua's, with Adoration of Blessed Eucharist
Friday 3rd June:	10am St Molua's. First Friday
Saturday 4th June:	8pm St Mary's Church
Sunday 5th June:	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.

Weekend Ministries

Date 2022	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
May 28th - St Mary's 8pm May 29th - St Molua's 11am	Francis McNulty Siobhan Kelly	Margaret Mooney Frances McKenna	Kathleen O'Brien, Mary McKenna Margaret Bane, Mary Lynch
June 4th - St Mary's 8pm June 5th - St Molua's 11am	Mary McMahan Mary Gibbons	Anne Molloy Margaret Lynch	Christina Sheedy, Mary Kirby Martha McNamara, Ann Ryan
June 11th - St Mary's 8pm June 12th - St Molua's 11am	Pat Mooney Anna O'Farrell	Pat Gavin Siobhan Kelly	Helen Reilly, Shirley McNulty Liz Skelly, Lorraine Hassett

Collections 14th/15th May: Offertory: €205 Church Collection: €35 Lourdes Invalid Fund: €60

Thank you for your continued kind generosity & support.

Thank you

Reflection: Prayer of St Teresa of Avila

Christ has no body but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth but yours,
Yours are the eyes with which he looks compassion on this world,
Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good,
Yours are the hands, with which he blesses all the world...
Christ has no body now on earth but yours.

Parish/Diocesan News

During our safeguarding month in the Diocese: We must keep in our prayers those effected by war. Using the words of Khalil Gibran 'Safeguarding the rights of others is the most noble and beautiful end of a human being.' As we start to see church activities re open, we are always looking at updating our policies, guidance and forms. We are currently in process of producing safeguarding guidance for Pilgrimages as well as updating our social media policy. All can be found on the safeguarding page of the Diocesan website.

First Friday: Mass will be on Friday 3rd June at 10am in St Molua's Church.

Adoration in St Mary's: is for the month of June on Tuesdays for 1 hour after 10am Mass for Sacred Heart of Jesus in St Mary's Church. All are welcome.

Lourdes 2022: the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place again this year, from 28th June to 3rd July and from 2nd October to 7th October, direct from Shannon Airport. The pilgrimage this year cannot accommodate sick or assisted pilgrims Prices vary from 739 to 759 per person sharing depending on choice of Hotel. Booking and more details from Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800 Info@joewalstours.ie or by post to Joe Walsh Tours 69 O'Connell Street Dublin 1.

Lough Derg Three day pilgrimage: Wed 1st June until 15th August (Sat 13th Aug is final day to begin the Pilgrimage). Admission €80 | Booking advised | Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. All booking info, including organised parish groups available at www.loughderg.org, email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518. Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co Donegal, F94 N289

Exam Students: We remember and pray for those that are sitting Junior & Leaving Certs exams in the next few weeks. There is a booklet on the altar in St Mary's and St Molua's Churches to write the names of students. Mass on Sunday 5th June will be to remember all those intentions and pray for those sitting exams.

Community/ Local News

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.

Fun Painting Session: In Ogonnelloe Exchange, on Saturday 11 June 2022 from 2.00pm to 4.00pm. Maria Mbokha, a local artist, will host an Art Session in Ogonnelloe and all interested in trying out painting using acrylics are invited to come and join us. If you already have painting materials, please bring them along. We will provide materials for those who don't have them at home. All ages are welcome including children, but children should have their parents with them for the full session. In order for us to plan the space and numbers of people, can you please let us know that you intend to come by sending an email to donal.m.oconnor@gmail.com

Mountshannon Arts Festival - May 26th - June 6th: This year's Festival Theme is community - through their events, performances and workshops Mountshannon Arts Festival 2022 will be erasing the boundaries between artists and audience. Events range from Full Circle Playback Theatre, a songwriting workshop with John Spillane, Origami workshops, a community art installation and the first ever Mountshannon Community Parade all designed to make you wonder are you the spectator or the artist? Everyone is invited to take part in the events and to discover the unique relationship between artists and audience. Find out more about the Festival on www.mountshannonarts.ie and their social media channels.

Scariff Library: Clare Arts Office in conjunction with the Scariff Library Gallery presents 'Between You, Me and The Wall' from 24th May to 24th June, 2022. The Clare Champion's award winning photographer John Kelly has been capturing the people, life and times of the county for over 30 years.

Tuamgraney Community Weekend - Saturday 4th & Sunday 5th June. On Saturday Camogie tournament, Community Mass in Memorial Park at 6:30pm, Cake sale after Mass for Tuamgraney N.S., followed by Stephen Kennedy & friends at the Barn in Nuala's. Sunday is Family fun day hosted by the TDA with monster BBQ & Ice cream at the Barn in Nuala's at 3pm with Munster final Clare v's Limerick match on big TV with Music by Tiny Giants & Jason Fahy. Come along!

Elderly lady in Ogonnelloe looking for a carer Monday to Sunday for One hour in the morning and an hour at lunch and possibly more hours too. Excellent rate of pay. Any availability at all would be greatly appreciated. Please phone 087-7416724. Thank you.

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.

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