



O'Gonnelloe Parish

Inis Cealtra Cluster

5th Sunday of Ordinary Time
4th February 2024

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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. Deadline for your notices for the newsletter is Thursday by 11am.



Weekday Masses for the week ahead

Tuesday 6th February:	10am Mass St Mary's Church
Thursday 8th February:	10am Mass St Molua's Church, Adoration
Saturday 10th February:	8pm St Mary's Church
Sunday 11th February:	11am St Molua's Church

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS AT THIS TIME

Saturday 10th February	Gemma Carcaterra Clarke Ogonnelloe GAA (deceased members)
Sunday 25th February	Jimmy Keon

St Mary's 8pm
St Molua's 11am

Baptism: Congratulations to those who were recently baptised. We welcome Laura McGuinness, Ruth McGuinness and Darragh Quinn to our faith family. May God bless them.

Weekend Ministries

Date 2023	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
Feb 3rd - St Mary's 8pm Feb 4th - St Molua's 11am	Francis McNulty Mary Gibbons	Pat Gavin Siobhan Kelly	Gerardine Sheedy, Carmel McMahon Kathleen Mooney, Phil McNeive
Feb 10th - St Mary's 8pm Feb 11th - St Molua's 11am	Mary McMahon Siobhan Kelly	Oonagh McElhinney Donal Molloy	Breda McNamara, Margaret Kenney Anne Molloy
Feb 17th - St Mary's 8pm Feb 18th - St Molua's 11am	Oonagh McElhinney Family Mass	Margaret Mooney Frances McKenna	Olivia O'Donovan/Olivia Weir/Orlaith Ringrose Anna McElhinney



Collections 27th/28th January: Offertory: €332.55

Thank you for your continued kind generosity & support.

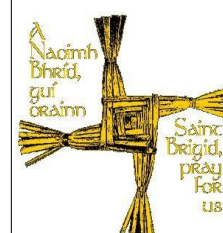
The Inis Cealtra Pastoral Area comprises of the parishes of Bodyke & Tuamgraney, Ogonnelloe, Scariff, Feakle, Killanena & Flagmount, Mountshannon (Clonrush) & Whitegate and also provides services to Raheen Community Hospital. Current Inis Cealtra Area Weekend - **Mass Times Vigil (Saturday)** Killanena 6.00pm; Tuamgraney 6.30pm; Mountshannon 7.00pm; Kilclaren (Feakle) 7.00pm; Ogonnelloe 8pm; Scariff 8pm. **Sunday Morning** Clonusker (Scariff) 9.00am; Bodyke 9.30am; Feakle 10.00am; Flagmount 10.00am; Ogonnelloe 11.00am; Whitegate 11.00am; Scariff 11.00am

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"Always do your best. What you plant now you will harvest later".

Parish/Diocesan News

It is requested that people would take a copy of the **parish newsletter** home with them after Mass each weekend. Using the newsletter to refer to it for reminders of parish and community events will assist in keeping in touch and remembering what you wish to remember from what is included in each weeks issue.



St Bridget: We are celebrating St Bridget these days as we enjoy the freedom of the bank holiday weekend. This is the 1500 anniversary of her death. She is celebrated as one of our more important Irish saints.

Dates for the celebration of **Sacraments** in the parish this year. All ceremonies will be held in St Molua's Church.

Reconciliation: Wednesday 28th February 7pm

Confirmation: Friday 15th March 11:30am

Eucharist: Saturday 11th May 11am

Parish Office will be closed on Thursday 15th February 2024. Newsletter for weekend of 17/18 February will also be printed next week. Please ensure you have notice to parish office by Thursday 8th February 10am. (Joanne is travelling to South Africa with Missionvale Ireland)

Family Masses: Please note the following dates for upcoming family masses. We hope you can join us.

February 18th - First Sunday of Lent, there will be a Lenten journey worksheet for children to complete and finish for Easter
March 10th - Fourth Sunday of Lent, a lovely way to celebrate mothers of all ages on Mother's Day.

April 14th - Third Sunday of Easter, our theme will be thanksgiving for Confirmation.

May 19th - Pentecost, our theme will be thanksgiving for First Holy Communion.

June 2nd - Body & Blood of Christ, celebrate with and for those who are about to do exams.

Lectio Divina runs every Tuesday evening in the parish hall, 8pm to 9pm. Call Olivia @087 6380201 for more info. All welcome.

New Collection Envelopes The 2024 boxes are being delivered over the coming week. If your do not receive a box or you would like to receive a box of giving envelopes for the first time please contact Joanne in parish office.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes direct from Shannon Airport will be from Friday 21st to Wednesday 26th June and our Autumn Pilgrimage from Monday 30th September to Saturday 5th October.

Lourdes Novena: A novena in preparation for the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes and World Day of Prayer for the Sick will take place in the Cathedral Ennis from 3rd to 11th February. Weekdays at 7.30pm, Saturday 11am and Sunday 11.30am.

Community/ Local News

Ogonnelloe Exchange café: is on Saturday's from 10:30 am to 1pm. All are welcome.

Ogonnelloe National School - Admission/Enrolment for September 2024: Applications are being accepted for enrolment in Junior Infants for the School Year 2024-2025. Please complete the 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, 23rd February, 2024. If you have any queries please contact office@ogonnelloens.com

Raheen Day Centre welcomes new referrals at any time. If you or someone you know would like to avail of this service where you can meet people, avail of hairdressing, chiropody, music sessions, advocacy support and a hot meal please call Louise on 061- 923215.

New monthly Connect Cafe, a free, safe and supportive space for people living with dementia and their family and friends, runs on the last Tuesday of every month at 6.30pm in Killaloe/Ballina Community & Family Resource Centre. Cafe Coordinator Aifric Devane & you can contact her on aifdevane@gmail.com

Clare Older People's Volunteer of the Year Award 2024
The search is on again to recognise those who give their time, energy and skills to help others in the local community. For a nomination form please email: agefriendlyclare@clarecoco.ie or telephone (065) 6846240 or visit www.clarecoco.ie/services/community/age-friendly-programme/age-friendly-county/ Nomination forms must be submitted by Friday 1st March 2024.

The **AGM of Ogonnelloe Hurling Club** will take place in the Parish Hall on Friday the 9th of February at 8:45pm. It is critical we have as many members, adult players and parents attend this meeting as possible as we set out our plans for the year ahead.

East Clare Musical Society are running from February 15th to 17th at Scariff Community College Hall "Let's Go To The Movies" is a celebration of songs from both Movie and Stage adaptations of some of the most iconic musicals. Doors open at 18.45pm with curtain up at 19.30pm. Tickets available from https://www.tickettailor.com/events/eastclaremusicalsociety

Helplines: • ALONE (for older people) 0818 222 024 • 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.