



O'Gonnelloe Parish

Inis Cealtra Cluster

Fifth Sunday of Easter

18th May 2025

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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 20th May:	10am Mass St Mary's Church
Thursday 22nd May:	10am Mass St Molua's Church, Adoration
Saturday 24th May:	NO Mass
Sunday 25th May:	11am Mass St Mary's Church

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS AT THIS TIME

Sunday 18th May	Liam, Anna & Margaret Daly - Anniversary Family Mass	St Mary's 11am
Thursday 22nd May	Pat & Anne Guilfoyle - Anniversary	St Molua's 10am
Sunday 25th May	Margaret & Donat McNamara - Anniversary Fr Sean Mulcahy - Months Mind & Pauline Kelly (his sister) - Anniversary	St Mary's 11am

Weekend Ministries

Date	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
St Molua's May 18th - St Mary's 11am	No Mass Family Mass	No Mass Donal Molloy	Liz Skelly, Lorraine Hassett Christine & Anne O'Driscoll
St Molua's May 25th - St Mary's 11am	No Mass Oonagh McElhinney	No Mass Oonagh McElhinney	Margaret Mooney, Jude/Marie McInerney Christine Sheedy
May 31st - St Molua's 8pm St Mary's	Family Mass No Mass	Frances McKenna No Mass	Anna McElhinney Helen Reilly, Shirley McNulty
June 7th - St Molua's 8pm St Mary's	Connie McKenna No Mass	Martha McNamara No Mass	Margaret Bane, Mary Lynch Gerardine Sheedy, Carmel McMahon

Thank you for your continued kind generosity & support.

Think
about it

"Real happiness is cheap enough.
Yet how dearly we pay for its counterfeit".
THINK ABOUT IT!

Parish/Diocesan News

We offer and pray for good wishes that the pontificate of our new Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV, his service of the Church and of the world, be guided by divine wisdom, strength and serenity, as he leads and inspires us all. Inauguration will be on Sunday 18th May in St Peter's Square, Rome

Sunday 11th May: Safeguarding. In the Churches Safeguarding Policy 'A Safe and welcoming Church' June 2024, Bishop Fintan Monahan pledges that the Diocese will safeguard children and young people from harm and to support them in their development as valued and integral members of the Catholic Church in Ireland. The Church's ministry will be inclusive and will uphold their rights. Consistent with Gospel values, and with civil and criminal law, those who minister will do so with dignity and integrity, honouring their calling to ensure that children and young people are welcomed, cherished and protected, following the example set by Jesus.

Rosary on Friday's for the month of May: 7pm in St Molua's Church. Weather permitting it will be outside at statue. All are welcome

Sick or housebound parishioners who would like a **First Friday call from the priest**, or those who would like to arrange a hospital visit for a sick relative are asked to call the parish office on 087 877 9113.

Inis Cealtra News

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.

A statue of the Sacred Heart will be on display in the Sacred Heart Church, Scariff for Inis Cealtra Cluster from 5pm on Tuesday 27th May for private prayer. Prayer Service will be held at 7pm. Wednesday 28th May normal Mass at 10am with private prayer till 3pm. Statue will then move to Scáth na Sionnaine Cluster (Castleconnell, Clonlara, Killaloe). All are welcome.

Weekend Mass Rota for the coming months in Inis Cealtra Cluster will be:

Rota for May 2025

Saturday	Scariff 6:30pm; Kilclaren 7pm
Sunday	Bodyke 9:30am; Flagmount 9:30am; Whitegate 10am; Scariff 11am; Ogonnelloe (St Mary's) 11am

Please note that on Saturday May 31st the June schedule will come into effect.

Rota for June

Saturday	Tuamgraney 6:30pm; Mountshannon 7pm; Ogonnelloe (St Molua's) 8pm
Sunday	Clonusker 9am; Killanena 9:30am; Feakle 10am; Scariff 11am

Community/ Local News

Café Exchange: Open on Saturdays 10:30am – 1pm.

Peace Vigil for Palestine at the East Clare Memorial Park, Tuamgraney on Sunday 18th May at 12pm. This has been organised by East Clare Memorial Committee and East Clare for Palestine and there will be an unveiling of the plaque at the Solidarity Tree, to commemorate those murdered in the ongoing genocide in Gaza. Please come along for some moments of reflection and remembrance.

Irish Seed Savers - Our Food Crop Heritage: Anita Hayes, the founder of Irish Seed Savers will host an informal chat about the history of this organisation which was established over 30 years ago in her own back garden. Irish Seed Savers is an environmental not-for-profit organisation, who house over 600 varieties of seed in their living seed bank. This talk will look at the role of a living seed bank for food security in Ireland. It will take place on 21st in the Lakeside Hotel, Killaloe at 7:30pm. Admission is Free and All are Welcome!

Stall with Bric-a-Brac, Toys, Gifts and much more to support **Rays of Hope Hospice Uganda** will be in Tuamgraney Car Boot Sale on Sunday 25th May from 7:30am to 1:30pm. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Indoor astroturf fundraising night Ogonnelloe GAA Friday 30th May with live trad band the.unhinged.band from 21.00 to 23.00, finger food, auction of services, raffle, MC Jim O' Brien. Tickets 20 Euros per ticket available online at: <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/ogonnelloehurling> or contact Claire Molloy on 0870546018

May 31st/June 1st Church gate collection for the **Irish Guide Dogs Association** in Ogonnelloe, Tuamgraney & Scariff. Your support is appreciated.

Lions Club International sponsor a worldwide collection and distribution of used spectacles to third world countries. A drop off box is available in O'Meara's Totalhealth Pharmacy - Scariff for spectacles broken or unbroken with lenses please. Spectacles collected are transported to Medico Lions Club, Le Havre, France. In Le Havre spectacles are sorted and graded before shipping to third world countries. Any queries contact Joanne Dunphy Allen 086-8177649.

Scariff Bay Community Radio have recently installed a new transmitter in the area so now people in the Ogonnelloe and Killaloe areas can tune in each Saturday and Sunday from 9am till late to a variety of programmes on 92.7FM. The Board of SBCR would like to thank Smith O'Brien's GAA Club for their assistance with this project. Any more information please contact sbcrinfo@gmail.com

Are you or a loved one affected by dementia?? Raheen Day Centre at **Raheen Community Nursing Unit** are planning on holding a Memory Morning on Fridays. You will have the opportunity to meet and network with people in your area, learn about supports available and discuss topics in a safe, friendly environment. For more information or to register your interest phone Áine Lyons on 061-923215.

All notices are as given & correct on going to print