



Inis Cealtra Pastoral Area
O'Gonnelloe Parish
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
20th September 2026



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Open from **10am - 2pm on Thursdays**. Deadline for notices for the newsletter is Thursday by 11am.

Parish Website: www.ogonnelloeparish.ie

Parish Facebook: O'Gonnelloe Parish

Live Stream of Mass on weekends from St Molua's Church

www.youtube.com/@StMoluasChurch/live or click on Mass Broadcast on parish website

Weekday Masses for the week ahead

Tuesday 22d September: 10am Mass St Mary's Church
Thursday 24th September: 10am Mass St Molua's Church, Adoration
Saturday 26th September: No Mass
Sunday 27th September: 11am Mass St Mary's Church

We Remember in our Prayers at this time

Sunday 20th September: Maura and Fr. Sean Mulcahy Anniversary Mass **St Mary's 11am**
Saturday 3rd October: Eileen Mannion - Months Mind **St Molua's 8pm**

Weekend Ministries

Date	Reader (please check with celebrant before Mass)	Eucharist Minister	Church Cleaning (to be cleaned week leading up to your date)
Sept 19th - St Molua's	No Mass	No Mass	Margaret Bane, Mary Lynch
Sept 20th - St Mary's	Oonagh McElhinney	Donal Molloy	Helen Reilly, Shirley McNulty
Sept 26th - St Molua's	No Mass	Mo Mass	Liz Skelly, Lorraine Hassett
Sept 27th - St Mary's	Family Mass	Pat Gavin	Breda McNamara, Margaret Kenney
Oct 3rd - St Molua's	Mary Gibbons	Majella Grady	Martha McNamara, Anne Ryan
Oct 4th - St Mary's	No Mass	No Mass	Olivia O'Donovan, Olivia Weir, Orlaith Ringrose

Collections for 6th September: Offertory: €475 Church Renovation: €215

Thank you for your continued kind generosity & support

Thank you

Think about it

"Forgiveness is an attribute of the strong". THINK ABOUT IT!

Parish/Diocesan News

Sympathies: We offer our condolences to the Woods family on the death of Dorothy and the O'Farrell family on the death of John. May their gentle souls rest in peace.

Family Mass: Our next family Mass takes place on Sunday 27th September in St. Mary's Church at 11am. The theme will be in keeping with the Season of Creation. There will be tea and coffee and some delicious home baking on offer afterwards. All are welcome to attend this lovely family event.

On Friday next 25th September, we join the Diocese of Killaloe in **wishing Bishop Fintan Monahan a very happy 10th anniversary of his episcopal ministry**. Bishop Fintan was ordained Bishop of Killaloe in the Cathedral of SS Peter & Paul Ennis on Sunday 25th September 2016. We give thanks for ten years of dedicated service, steadfast faith and compassionate leadership, and we pray that the Lord will continue to bless Bishop Fintan as he shepherds the people of Killaloe Diocese with grace and wisdom. May St Flannan's and St Senan continue to bless and guide him in his ministry.

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.

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

Rota for September 2026

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

Pastoral Councils: A meeting for all the Pastoral Councils in our Inis Cealtra Pastoral Area will take place on Wednesday 14th October at 7.30pm in the Teagasc Office, Scariff V94 NX58. We extend a warm welcome to all members to join us on the night.

Franciscan Missionaries of Mary: Srs. Mary, Nuala & Jarka would like to sincerely thank you for your kind welcome & extreme generosity to their mission appeal last weekend within our Pastoral Area. Total contributed from our Pastoral Area was €5,224.75

Community/ Local News

Café Exchange: reopens on Saturday 26th September from 10.30-1pm and will be in aid of Milford Hospice. All are welcome.

Clare's Alzheimer's Memory walk: Sunday the 20th of September in Lee's Road, Ennis at 11am. Meeting beside the entrance to the children's playground. Registration online at www.memorywalk.ie or on the day from 10.30 am. Two routes, 1.3km and 5km. Face painting for kids and refreshments. Dogs welcome.

Clare Age Friendly Week from 28th September to 2nd October with Sports Day, Cé Mise Art Exhibition, Health & Wellbeing Expo in West County Hotel, Carrigoran Age of Creativity. Check out local poster for details or contact swaring@clarecoco.ie or 065 6845240.

Irish Cancer Society seek Volunteer Drivers: is seeking compassionate volunteer drivers to join our pool of drivers. As a volunteer driver you would be bringing patients undergoing chemotherapy to the hospital and back home after their treatment. Gifting your time means that cancer patients will have comfortable (one to one) transport. If you can spare 2 days per month, have a valid driving licence, and a safe reliable vehicle you are perfect candidate. Full training will be given before your start. For more info contact Monica or Emily at volunteer@irishcancer.ie

Killaloe-Ballina Local History Society: Join us on Wednesday 23 September for a fascinating look back at the many hotels and hostleries that once served Killaloe and Ballina. Discover the stories of their owners, their rise and fall, and some of their illustrious guests. A free evening of local history, memories and stories — with a possible stroll to see some of the historic buildings as they are today (weather permitting)! The event will take place in St. Flannan's Cathedral, Killaloe at 7:30pm. Our talks are free, and everyone is very welcome.

Cnoc na Gaoithe Traditional music weekend takes place from Friday 25th - Sunday 27th September. Friday night we celebrate the 80th anniversary of the Tulla Céilí Band at 7pm followed by a céilí at 9pm. Saturday at 8pm Comhaltas 75th Anniversary Concert. For more info contact www.cnocnagaoithe.com

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