

# Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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# FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

#### Masses

Aughavas: Sat. 25th March. 7.00 pm. Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord.

Cloone: Sun. 26th March. 10.00 am. Mary McNamara, Kiltyfea.

Michael & Brigid McCabe, Corduff. Paddy Brady & DFM, Drumhalla.

Aughavas: Sun. 26th March. 11.30 am. Eamon Brady, Coroneary.

Phil, Mary, Jimmy & Hilda Smyth, Sonnaghconnor.

Pat & Mary Kate McDonnell, Corriga.

Cloone: Mon. 27th March. 10.00 am. Pat Frank Mulryan, Rocullion.

Rossan: Tues. 28th March. 8.00 pm.

Cloone: Wed. 29th March. 8.00 pm. Paddy McCrann, Mount Ida. M. M.

Aughavas: Thurs. 30th March. 10.00 am.

Cloone: Fri. 31st March.

Aughavas: Sat. 1st April.

8.00 pm. John Charlie Bohan, Drumhalla. M.M.

8.00 pm. Christopher & Ann Delaney, Aughadruminchin.

Owen McCaffrey, Coroneary.

Cloone: Sun 2nd April. 10.00 am. Aughavas: Sun. 2nd April. 11.30 am.

Cloone: Sun. 2nd April. 3.30 pm. Mass & Anointing of the Sick.

Aughavas: Sun. 2nd April. 8.00 pm. Mission Opening.

**1st Friday:** The sick & housebound who are normally visited on the 1st Thurs. and 1st Fri. will be visited by the Missioners on Monday 3rd April between 11 am and 2.30 pm.

## **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

**Aughavas:** Monday 7 pm to 8 pm. **Cloone:** Tuesday 8 pm to 9 pm.



**Baptism:** Ryan Patrick McCrann, Keeldra, was welcomed into the Christian Community in Cloone on Sunday last.

Parish Mission: A list of those representing the different organisations in the Parish, who are participating on Friday 7th April, was published in the Newsletter on 12th March. Each couple will carry a candle and a symbol. Please communicate with the person you are with and decide on a symbol, and who will carry the symbol and who will carry the candle. Please let one of the following know your symbol, if you have not already done so, Seamus Tiernan, Enda McNamara or Fr. Peter Tiernan. Members of the Pastoral Councils have been delivering the Brochure for the Mission to houses in the Parish this week. The Redemptorist Priests will celebrate and speak at all the Masses next week-end, 1st and 2nd April. On Sunday 2nd April there will be Mass and the Anointing of the sick and elderly from Cloone & Aughavas in the Community Centre, Cloone at 3.30 pm. Anyone seeking healing of body, mind or spirit is welcome to attend. There is a Mission Prayer on

the back of the Brochure. Please pray for the success of the Mission. Please make it known that everyone is welcome to attend. There will be a practice at 8.30 pm on Monday evening 27th March in Cloone Church for all who are participating in the celebration of community on the final night of the Mission. Please do the best you can to be in attendance.

World Meeting of Families: Pope Francis personally chose Dublin, to be the host diocese for the World Meeting of Families from 22—26th August 2018. Planning for this great national and international celebration of faith is well underway. A dedicated office and support team has been established and later this year a nationwide programme of talking about the family will begin with an emphasis on Pope Francis' teaching and reflections. The World Meeting of Families promises to be an occasion that will reflect on the faith experience of families from many parts of the world as well as on the challenges and celebrations which characterise the ups and downs of day-to-day family life.

As you know hosting this national and international event requires an enormous amount of planning and funding. In this regard the second national collection will be held on the weekend of 1st and 2nd April 2017. Please bring your contribution in an envelope next weekend and put in the basket along with the offertory collection.

## **SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 2017:**

AUGHAVAS: Readers: Saturday Evening: Teresa Moran.

Sunday: Dolores McIntyre.

Eucharistic Ministers: Saturday Evening: Kathleen Galligan & Bernadette McDermott.

Sunday: Tom McLoughlin & Kathleen Shortt.

Counters: Pat Brennan & James Sweeney.
Altar Society: Catherine Charles & Teresa Moran.

**CLOONE**: Reader: Eamon Cunningham.

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Michelle Dimmock & Teresa Slevin.

Counters: Damian & Olive Brennan.

Altar Society: Bernie McGovern & Margaret Kiernan.

The Diocesan Safeguarding Conference will take place on Tuesday, April 4<sup>th</sup> @ 7. 30 pm., in St. Mel's College, Longford. Guest Speaker: Breda O'Brien, Irish Times Columnist. All are welcome.

**Parish Catechist and Permanent Diaconate:** Further information on the Ministry of Parish Catechist is available from Fr. Nigel Charles, Boherquill, Lismacaffrey, Co. Westmeath. Call 043 6685847 or email: nigelcharles2003@ yahoo.co.uk.

Further information on the Order of Deacon is available from Fr. Aidan Ryan, Ballinahown, Athlone, Co. Westmeath. Call 090 6430124. Email: aidanfryan@eircom.net.

**The AGM** of Cloone Community Centre will be held on Thursday 30th March at 8.30 pm New Committee members always welcome.

**Diabetes Ireland Leitrim Branch** Church Gate collection in Cloone on Sunday 2nd April 2017. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

**Cirque de lumiere** will perform a family variety show in Cloone Community Centre on Tuesday 28th March at 7pm. All tickets €8.

Offertory Collection: (Holy Day & Sunday).Aughavas € 1,060.00;Cloone € 1,165.00.Shrine:Cloone € 135.00.Building Fund:Cloone € 1,030.00.