

Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Pray for the happy repose of the soul of Canon George Balfe who was formerly C.C. in Mohill, whose funeral Mass takes place in St. Mel's Cathedral on this Sunday at 3.00 pm.

Masses

Cloone: Sat. 1st July. 8.00 pm. Patrick & Katie Beirne, Cornagher, Cloone.

Eileen Mitchell, Clooneen.

Michael P. Gray, Drumhalla & Cattan.

Cloone: Sun. 2nd July. 10.00 am. John Geary, Cornagher. M.M.

Aughavas: Sun. 2nd July. 11.30 am. John Eddie & Alice McCabe & DFM,

Druminbawn.

Cloone: Mon. 3rd July. 10.00 am. Pro Populo.

Rossan: Tues. 4th July. 8.00 pm. Aughavas: Wed. 5th July. 10.00 am. Aughavas: Thurs. 6th July 10.00 am. Cloone: Fri. 7th July. 10.00 am.

Cloone: Sat. 8th July. 8.00 pm. Margaret McCrann, Mount Ida.

Bernie Canning, Cornagher.

Eileen & Patrick Creegan & DFM, Corduff.

Cloone: Sun. 9th July. 10.00 am. DM of McGarty Family, Ardlogher. **Aughavas:** Sun. 9th July. 11.30 am. McGovern Family, Bundarra.

Charlie & Molly Lee, Carrickavoher.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

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

1st Friday: The sick and the housebound will be visited on Thurs 6th & Fri. 7th July.



Baptism: Noah James McCormack, Drumhalla, was welcomed into the Christian Community in Cloone on Saturday 24th June last.

Thanks to members of Aughavas Parish Improvements Scheme for preparing the area around Creigharee Well in preparation for the Pilgrimage on Friday evening.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: The Pilgrimage takes place on Sunday 3rd September 2017. Fr. Tom Healy, the organiser has requested that some people from the Aughavas Parish take part in the Pilgrimage this year. We are looking for 2 readers who will also do the Prayers of the Faithful. The readings and Prayers of the Faithful will be provided. A family is needed to bring up the gifts at the time of the offertory procession. A person is needed to lead the Rosary from the Ambo in the Basilica while the procession is taking place through the grounds. The text will be provided. Anyone who would be prepared to carry out any of

these tasks, please contact Fr. Peter Tiernan by 3rd July.

Stations of the Cross in St. Joseph's Church, Aughavas: The stations of the cross have recently been restored by A & J Regan Ltd. This involved gentle cleaning to remove any dirt & residues; Injected woodworm treatment to timber frames; Application of resin sealer to consolidate weak areas; Plaster repairs to cracks & defects; Restoration of original paint colours to plaster relief; Re-gilding of gold highlighting where necessary; Protective lacquer finishes. The price per station is $\epsilon 300.00 + VAT$ @ 13.5%. The total cost for the 14 stations was $\epsilon 4,767.00$ and it has been paid. Thanks to members of the Parish Employment Scheme in putting the stations in place in the Church after restoration.

Cemetery Sunday takes place in Cloone on Sunday August 6th at 11.30 am and in Aughavas on Sunday August 13th at 11.30 am. Bishop Francis Duffy will be the main celebrant of the Mass. Please remember to bring Holy water for the sprinkling of the graves. All contributions collected at the gates of the cemeteries go towards the upkeep of the cemeteries. Money collected inside the Church at cemetery Sunday Mass goes towards the regular offertory collection for the upkeep of the Church. There will be no other Church Gate Collection in Cloone on Sunday 6th August or in Aughavas on Sunday 13th August.

Safeguarding children in the Diocese of Ardagh and Clonmacnoise: The Designated Liaison person for the Diocese is Mr. Sean Leydon, Diocesan Office, St. Michael's, Longford. Phone 087 7431649 and the deputy Designated Liaison person is Ms Roisin O'Doherty, Diocesan Office, St. Michael's, Longford. Phone 087 3327587.

World Meeting of Families: A conference in preparation for World Meeting of Families will take place in Mary Immaculate College, Limerick on 13th July 2017.

Keeldra Lake, Cloone—Swimming Lessons: The Irish Water Safety Annual Swimming and Life saving classes for children and adults commences at Keeldra Lake on this Monday 3rd July 2017 at 10.30 am and continues for 2 weeks. Enrolment at the lake today Sunday 2nd July from 3 pm—4 pm. Late enrolments accepted on Monday 3rd July at 10 am.

Cloone Agricultural Show fundraising night in Fox's Bar, Tooman on this Sat. night 1st July. Music by Matt Leavy. Raffle for valuable prizes. Your support would be appreciated.

Aughavas Parish Improvements Scheme: A position has arisen in the Cloone area on the Community Employment scheme. If you are interested and think you may qualify, please contact the local DSP Employment Services/Intreo Office in Carrick 074 9650070 to check your eligibility and to apply for this vacancy. Eligibility to participate on CE is generally linked to those who are 21 years or over. Applicants must also be in receipt of an Irish social welfare payment for 1 year or more.

Little Rascals Cloone/Aughavas Community Playschool are now taking new Enrolments for September 2017. For enquiries and/or bookings, please contact Mary Moran (Playschool Leader) on 071 96369161 or 086 8382545. Early enrolments advisable.

"Stop Suicide save a life choose to live" collection at Aughavas Church on Sunday 25th amounted to €168.87. Thanks to everyone who contributed.

Offertory Collection:Cloone € 460.00;Aughavas € 635.00.Pentecost Dues:Cloone € 1,025.00;Aughavas € 1,095.00.