

Holy Week—Aughavas: There will be a meeting in St. Joseph's Church, Aughavas on Tuesday 14th March at 8.00 pm in preparation for Holy Week. We need Readers for the Passion on Palm Sunday and Readers of the Prayer of the Faithful. We need Readers of the Word of God, and volunteers for the washing of the feet on Holy Thursday. We need Readers for Holy Saturday for the Easter Vigil. I would like to appeal to anyone who has been part of a Liturgy Committee to attend and anybody who can read, or attend for the washing of feet on Holy Thursday, to please attend. If you are available to read but cannot attend the meeting, please send word to the meeting specifying the day on which you are available.

St. Patrick's College Maynooth Annual Trócaire Lecture on Tuesday 7th March 2023 at 7 pm. *How can Catholic Social Teaching (CST) help us to navigate fragility and lead us to local power and global justice in times of unprecedented crisis?* Registration for this free event during Trócaire's 50th anniversary year is required. Please register: (i) to attend in person at this link; https://bit.ly/3jdPzvv (ii) to attend online at this link; http:// bit.ly/3Rho3ty. For further enquiries contact Frances Harnan – frances,harnan@trocaire.org.

Are you looking for a career in Childcare? The Childcare Programme is managed by Leitrim Development Company and is designed to help long-term unemployed to secure training and work experience in the field of childcare. Part of the programme is the provision of QQI training in childcare. This qualification is essential to find employment in the childcare sector. The programme assists learners to enhance and develop both technical and personal skills, which can be used in the workplace. This is a part time position. Applicants must be in receipt of a social welfare payment to be eligible. For further information about Childcare CE, please contact: Leitrim Development Company. Tel:086-3914399 or 071 9641770. Email: schemes@ldco.ie

Drumeela Garden Club next meeting in Teach Duchais, Drumeela on Wednesday 8th March at 8:30pm. Guest speaker will be John Boyle, a renowned gardener from Ballinalee, Co Longford. John will talk on 'Growing Vegetables' and he will give advice to new and existing vegetable growers on getting your growing year off to a good start. He will have useful ideas and lots of tips on getting the most from your vegetable garden. Usual raffle and refreshments on the night.

Cloone/Aughavas Community Playschool are now taking bookings for new enrolments. Contact Mary Moran on 086 8382545 for bookings and enquiries, or you can call into the Playschool in Cloone Community Centre, Monday to Friday, 9 am — 12 pm.

Active Age: Annual Dinner and Dance will take place on Friday 24th March in Breffni Arms Hotel, Arva @ 7pm. Transport from Mohill, Cloone and Aughavas. Everyone welcome. Open to non-members. Details and to confirm your attendance contact: Irene Argue @ 087 7940 413 or Marian Shanley @ 087 2733 986 asap. (Membership fees due).

St. Joseph's N.S. Aughavas Enrolment & Open Day on Thursday next 9th March from 2 - 3 pm. Come along to meet the staff and children and see what our school has to offer.

Newsletter Notices: Please note that notices for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter should be sent by email to aughavascloone1@gmail.com or dropped into the Cloone Parish house letterbox no later than Thursday evening.

Off. Collection: (18th/19th Feb.) **Aughavas €** 845.00; (19th Feb). **Cloone €** 600.00.