

Diocese of Ardagh and Clonmacnois Pilgrim Walk in preparation for the Eucharistic Congress: June Bank holiday Monday 4th June. Leaving Ballinahown Hall at 3 pm or Nally's sandpit at 4 pm. Arriving at Nun's Chapel, Clonmacnois at 6 pm for Station Prayers. Young people are invited to take part in the walk.

1932 Eucharistic Congress Exhibition: There is an extensive exhibition containing material related to the Eucharistic Congress in 1932 displayed in Ballinamore Library. The Exhibition outlines the preparations and celebrations which took place nationally and locally at the time. Ballinamore Library is open Mon, Wed and Fri 10–5.30; Tues and Thur 10–8 and Sat 10–5.

SCHEDULE FOR JUNE 2012:

AUGHAVAS: Reader: Saturday Evening: Frank McLoughlin
Sunday: Aughavas N.S. children

Eucharistic Ministers: Saturday Evening: Margaret Gallogly & Geraldine Farrelly

Sunday: Caroline Beirne & Martina / Orna Williams

Counters: Mary Shortt & volunteer

Altar Society: Anette Bohan & Breege Brennan

CLOONE: Reader: Fatima N.S. children

Eucharistic Ministers: Gus Cooke & Mary Joe Schmitt

Counters: Maureen Higgins, Julie Nicholl & Pat Monaghan

Altar Society: Lily Mitchell & Pat Creegan

Cloone/Aughavas Community Playschool are now taking bookings for September 2012 for children who are age 2 years and 10 months on 1st September 2012 and are providing places under the ECCE Scheme. If your child is going to school in September 2013 and born between 2nd February 2008 and 30th June 2009 they are entitled to avail of the FREE Pre-school Year. Limited places available. Contact Mary Moran (Playschool Leader) on 071 9636916 or 086 8382545.

Support Group for Parents of Children with Special Needs are meeting at the Cornmill Theatre, Carrigallen on Wednesday 6th June 2012 from 10 am to 3 pm. . Contact Becky Thomas (Support worker for Special Needs) on 086 3522476 or email bekyeathomas@gmail.com or Fiona Lee (Carers Association Support Groups) on 087 3104580 or email fionagalligan@gmail.com.

Senior Help Line Notice: 'Do you need someone to talk to? Senior Help Line is a confidential listening service for older people by older people for the price of a local call anywhere in Ireland, LoCall 1850 440 444, open from 10 am to 10 pm, 365 days a year'

Offertory Collection: Aughavas € 645.00;

Cloone € 635.00.

Eucharistic Congress:

A Eucharistic Congress is an International gathering of people from all over the world which aims to :

- Promote an awareness of the central role of the Holy Eucharist in the life and mission of the Catholic Church.
- Help in improving our understanding and celebration of the Liturgy.
- Draw attention to the social dimension of the Eucharist which is exemplified in the theme for the congress.
- Communion with Christ and with one another.

Communion with Christ I understand but what is Communion with One Another?.

If I am united with Christ in the Eucharist and you are also united with him in the Eucharist, then we are united with one another, parts of the one body.

St. Paul wrote that all who share the same spiritual food share the same source of life: one bread, one body. At the end of mass we are sent out on the mission to love and serve the Lord beyond the walls of the church.

As St. Augustine said to communicants: you are the Body of Christ (through Baptism); receive the Body of Christ (Eucharist); become the Body of Christ (mission and challenge).

One of the new dismissals at the end of mass says to us:

'Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life'.

We glorify the Lord as we love and serve one another.



Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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3rd June '12 



Eucharistic Congress June 10th – June 17th 2012

"The Eucharist: Communion with Christ and with One Another"

TRINITY SUNDAY

Today we celebrate the feast of our Triune God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

International Eucharistic Congress:
A Bus will leave Mohill on Tuesday 12th June '12 to the R D S for the Congress. Tickets can be purchased at the R D S for €35.00 for the day. There is no charge for the bus. Anyone wishing to travel please contact Fr. Sam as soon as possible.

There are still places available for those who may wish to attend the events during the week for a day or a few days. Book at www.iec2012.ie/registration or 01 2981 22.

We will mark the Eucharistic Congress in Aughavas on Sunday next the 10th June at the 11.30 am mass. Parents are asked to bring the First Holy Communion children dressed in their communion outfits.

We will mark the Eucharistic Congress in Cloone on Sunday 17th June at the 11.30 am mass. We hope to involve the First Holy children in this mass also.

The Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in both parishes will be extended to include a holy hour.

During the week of the Congress families are urged to set aside a little time for family prayer each day.

A Eucharistic candle will be available in both churches next Sunday. Each family is encouraged to bring a candle home and light it as part of the family prayer.

Congratulations to the children who are making their First Holy Communion in Cloone today (Sunday). **A sincere word of thanks** to the teachers who have put so much effort into the preparation of the children and also to the parents who were part of the preparation programme.

The Collection for the Support of the Eucharistic Congress will be taken up next Sunday. Please use the Envelope in your Box.

Pray for Peter Charles, Cloone Village whose funeral Mass took place on Monday last.

Pray for Kathleen Colreavy, Drumnamore whose funeral Mass took place in Aughavas on Tuesday last.

Pray for Seamus Creegan, Leckna whose funeral Mass took place in Cloone on Wednesday last.

Pray for John McKiernan, Drumshanbo Nth, Cloone whose funeral Mass takes place (today) Sunday at 11.30 am in Aughavas.

Masses:
Aughavas: Sat. 2/6/'12. 8.00 pm. Dessie, Paddy & Eleanor, McIntyre, & Anita Dologhan Corduff. A.
 Edward Brady, Camber. A.
Cloone: Sun 3/6/'12. 10.00 am. First Holy Communion.
Aughavas: Sun. 3/6/'12. 11.30 am. John McKiernan Funeral mass
 Cloone: Fri. 8.00 pm Thomas Tiernan Annaghmaconway A
 Mary Forde Kiltyfea A
 Cloone: Sat. 9/6/'12 5.00 pm Eddie Cunningham MM
 Aughavas: Sat. 9/6/'12 8.00 pm Matt, Mary Jane & Paddy Tiernan & dfm Cornulla A
 Fr. Pat & John Conefrey & dfm Lisgilloc A
 Cloone; Sun. 10/6/'12 10.00 am John Foley & dfm Drumharkin A
 John & Elizabeth Derwin Drumlegga A
 Aughavas: Sun. 10/6/'12 11.30 am Anna Duignan 1st Anniv.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:
Aughavas: Monday 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm
Cloone: Tuesday 8.00 to 9.00 pm.