DESMOND Have you got type 2 diabetes? A free one day course designed to give support in looking after diabetes is beginning in Monaghan. It's called **DESMOND** and will be held in Monaghan PCCC, St. Davnet's Complex, Rooskey, on Thursday 24th January. For more information, or to book a place phone Elaine on 047 95471.

Viatores Christi Overseas Volunteering Training Course - Open To All!

This enjoyable course, run over 4 weekends from February to May, is for anybody who is interested in overseas or home volunteering at some stage, or who just wants to learn more about global injustice issues and how we fit in.

Training covers Community Development, Health, Global Awareness, Mission, etc. and begins on 9-10 February 2019 in Dublin. Contact Viatores Christi 01 8689986 or email apply@viatoreschristi.com for more info.

St. Joseph's Hall Bingo every Friday night at 9.00pm. Jackpots €11,300 & €6,700. (subject to no winner on 18/01/19)

No Winner (4, 13, 20, 21) Jackpot £7,250. Aghadrumsee GFC Lotto: **Clones GFC Lotto:** No Winner (2, 9, 22, 28) Jackpot €10,800. **Currin GFC Lotto:** No Winner (2, 11, 19, 23) Jackpot €4,100.

THE ROLE OF THE BISHOP

On Sunday 10 February, Monsignor Larry Duffy will be ordained as the new Bishop of Clogher. Once ordained, a bishop becomes the visible head of the local Church or diocese. By his ordination, he becomes a successor of the apostles. He joins what is called the 'episcopal college' – the body of bishops who 'share in the apostolic responsibility and mission of the whole Church under the authority of the Pope, successor of St Peter.' (Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 1594)

The bishop works closely with priests, deacons, religious and laypeople of his diocese. He is the shepherd of the flock and he fulfils this role in service to the People of God entrusted to his care. He has three functions – to teach the faith, to govern the diocese and to sanctify us – to make us holy. We pray for our new bishop:

God our Father.

look with favour on your servant Father Larry, our bishop-elect. As he prepares to lead your pilgrim Church of the Diocese of Clogher, may he find strength and joy in the fellowship of the priests, deacons, religious and people in our parishes.

Grant him a spirit of counsel and fortitude,

a spirit of knowledge and piety and a spirit of courage and right judgment, so that, together, we may fulfil the mission to make your kingdom come and make visible in the world the sacrament of your Church.

We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.



Parish of Clones

Sacred Heart, Clones St Alphonsus, Connons St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee

Parish Office: 9.30am—1.00pm and 2.00pm—4.00pm (Monday—Friday) **Telephone: 047 51048** Email: clonesparish@eircom.net Website: www.clonesparish.com

20th January 2019

Week Two in **Ordinary Time**

	Mass	es and Intentions for the Week
		Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
		(World Day of Migrants and Refugees)
(Vigil)	7.30pm	Joseph & Edward Beggan, Clonkeencole;
	-	Gerry McCaul, Newtownbutler Road;
		Patrick & Mary Rooney & McCarney Family, O'Neill Pk.
Sun 20th	9.00am	People of the Parish
	10.00am	Philip Mulligan, Killyfole
	11.30am	Pauline Kelly, Carn Gardens (1st Anniversary)
Mon 21st		St. Agnes, virgin and martyr
	10.00am	Richard & Teresa Mohan, Coonian
Tue 22nd	10.00am	Eamon Masterson, Beechgrove
Wed 23rd	10.00am	Sweeney Family, Scotstown
Thurs 24th	10.00am	St. Francis de Sales, bishop
Fri 25th	10.00am	The Conversion of St. Paul, apostle
	7.00pm	John Edward Killen, Aghadrumsee;
	_	John Gerry Boyle, Knockmacarooney
Sat 26th	10.00am	Majella McMahon, O'Neill Park;
		Philip Doherty, Clones & Scotland
		Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Vigil)	7.30pm	Liam Quigley, Newtownbutler Road;
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7.30pm	Liam Quigley, Newtownbutler Road;
	Kitty & Jimmy Flynn, Newtownbutler Road;
	Mary Mick & Aidan Quigley Scotshouse:

Mary, Mick & Aidan Quigley, Scotshouse; John & Gertrude Beattie, Analore Street;

Maisie & Johnny Murray, Newtownbutler Road

Sun 27th 10.00am

11.30am People of the Parish

The priest on duty can be contacted through the Parish Office. Parish Mobile (Emergency Number): 085 817 6203

Weekend Masses

Saturday 7.30pm Sacred Heart, Clones

Sunday 9.00am St. Alphonsus, Connons, 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

(St. Mary's, Ture, on 2nd & 4th Sundays and Church Holidays)

10.00am St. Macartan's, Aghadrumsee

11.30am Sacred Heart, Clones

Masses during the Week: Monday—Saturday in Sacred Heart Church at 10.00am

(On days of funerals in Clones, Mass will be at 11.00am)

SACRAMENTS AND MINISTRIES

Baptisms are celebrated in Sacred Heart Church on the second Saturday of each month at 4.00pm and in St. Macartan's Church on the third Sunday at 1.00pm.

Anointing of the Sick: Priests are available to celebrate the Sacrament with anyone who is seriously ill. Contact the Parish Office or ring the Emergency Mobile.

Confessions: Saturday, after 10.00am Mass.

Adoration: Wednesday, 10.30am - 10.00pm, in Sacred Heart Church.

Friday, 9.30am - 6.30pm, in St. Macartan's Church.

Deaths: We pray for Jimmy O'Neill, Follum

Noel Daly, Killarney Rita Flynn, Bangor Terry Callaghan, Scotland

Christening: We welcome into our Christian faith community Bobby Gerard Fryers

St. Macartan's 27th Jan

Reader: Geraldine Beggan **Minister of the Eucharist:** Máire Cullinan

Sacred Heart Church 26th & 27th Jan:

Readers: Vigil Geraldine O'Reilly

11.30am Eveleen McDonald

Ministers of the Eucharist:

Vigil Rosemary McMahon, Jonathan McManus, Rita O'Connor

11.30am Teresa McMahon, Jenny McQuillan, Clare Shiels

Altar Society: Maureen Connolly, Kathleen McPhillips, Anna May Greenan

Blessing of Graves 2019

The blessing of graves will take place on Sunday 25th August 2019.

Schools in Clones Parish

St Tiarnach's 51398 Largy College 51132

St Comgall's

Gael Scoil Eois 52162

55329

St Macartan's 677 51100

COMMUNITY NEWS, ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Catholic Schools Week from 27th January until 3rdFebruary 2019. The theme this year is "Celebrating the Work of Our Local Catholic Schools". During Catholic Schools Week we will celebrate and reflect on the great living tradition that our Catholic Schools represent, how they welcome diversity, invite intergenerational participation, serve the parish community and support our Catholic faith. This will be an opportunity for us to show that we are proud of our Catholic ethos and that we celebrate it as we do other aspects of school life. Catholic Schools Week in the Diocese of Clogher will also be part of our preparations for the ordination of our new bishop on 10th February.

Clones Faith & Light Fiesta on Sunday 3rd February at 3.00pm in St. Tiarnach's School, Clones. There will be a Mass at the Fiesta.

Befriending Monaghan is a new service run by Monaghan Integrated Development. It is aimed at older people in the county living with social isolation and loneliness. Trained volunteers will visit the person once a week in their own home. If you or someone you know would like to avail of the service or if you would like to become a volunteer please contact Marina on 087 0656793.

Helping Hands is a free DIY jobs service for older people and people with disabilities living in Co. Monaghan. No job is too small. All volunteers are Garda vetted. The service is run by Monaghan Integrated Development. Contact Marina 087 0656793, Margaret 042 9749500 or e mail helpinghands@midl.ie

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje, July 11th until July 18th from Dublin. Cost is €625pps fully inclusive if deposit of €100 is paid before February 1st, otherwise €675pps applies. Contact Marian Kane on 087 2713260.

Clones Film Club returns on 26th January at 9.00pm for a season of monthly screenings in the Courthouse, kicking off with 'The Guilty', a taut psychological thriller from Denmark.

Anam Cara Armagh, an organisation supporting bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Wednesday 30th of January at 7:20pm in the Armagh City Hotel, Armagh, BT60 4FR. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age at which your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether recent or not.

National Learning Network have training opportunities in retail and food outlets throughout Co. Monaghan. Keep all Social Welfare payments and get a small training allowance. Phone Maureen on 087 6500 921 for further details.