

**PARISH MINISTRY DAY ON LOUGH DERG, SAT 18 MAY:** This unique day on the Island offers the opportunity for people in lay ministry across all parishes and dioceses to gather together and enjoy an enriching spiritual experience. The theme for the day is **'It is Christ we are serving'** and the guest speaker will be Mr. Jim Deeds. Boats are available from 9.15am. The day will begin at 10.30am and conclude with the Celebration of Eucharist at 3.00pm. Hospitality on the day includes tea/coffee & scones and a light lunch. Boats return from 4.15pm. Admission: €25/£22. For more information or to book contact the Parish Office.

**National Come and See (Maynooth)** weekend for men who are discerning whether they are being called by the Lord to Diocesan Priesthood. It will take place on the weekend following Vocations Sunday (Sat 18<sup>th</sup> and the morning of Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May) in the National Seminary (St. Patrick's College Maynooth) and accommodation will be in the seminary. This provides those considering a vocation with an opportunity to meet with seminarians and to join in the various liturgies, Eucharist, Divine Office and Adoration etc.

**St. Kevin's College, Lisnaskea.** Examination Mass in Holy Cross Church, Lisnaskea, on Tuesday 7th May at 11.00am; everyone welcome.

**Community Event Organised By Largy College Transition Year Students.**

'Flight To Freedom' 5k Walk open to the whole community on Sunday 5th May starting at the Peace Link, Clones. The purpose of this event is to give people an insight into the journey a refugee is forced to take. This event is family friendly and open to all ages. The journey begins at 12 noon and refreshments will be provided afterwards.

**DkIT is 'On The Road'** Dundalk Institute of Technology is organising a drop-in information session for Leaving Cert, Fifth Year and Transition Year students and their parents in The Garage Theatre, Monaghan Education Campus, Co. Monaghan this coming Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May from 4.00pm until 8.00pm. The event offers an opportunity to meet lecturers and support staff from DkIT, find out about programmes on offer and get your questions answered in advance of the CAO change of mind deadline.

**St. Joseph's Hall Bingo** every Friday at 9.00pm. Jackpots €12,700 & €8,100.

**Aghadrumsee GFC Lotto:** No winner (12, 20, 24, 32) Jackpot £8,000.

**Clones GAA Lotto:** No winner (3, 6, 7, 28) Jackpot €4,200.

**Currin GFC Lotto:** No winner (6, 8, 17, 27) Jackpot €3,200.

**Confirmation Pledge**

Lord God, for love of You,  
and through concern for my family,  
my friends and my future happiness,  
and out of my wish to serve Christ more generously  
I promise with your help to abstain from alcoholic drink  
until I am at least 18 years of age and  
to keep off illicit drugs for life.



**Parish of Clones**

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

**Parish Office: 9.30am—1.00pm and  
2.00pm—4.00pm (Monday—Friday)**

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**5th May  
2019**

**Third Week  
of  
Easter**

**Masses and Intentions for the Week**

		<b>Third Sunday of Easter</b>
(Vigil)	7.30pm	Peter Holland, Carraveetra; Gerry Meehan, Newtownbutler Road; Breda Sherry, Edenaforan; Jennifer Pugh, Legar Hill
Sun 5th	9.00am	Connolly Family, Drumsloe; Mc Phillips Family, Cloncallick
	10.00am	Margaret Bannon, Tattycam, Josef Weibel, Switzerland & Rosemary Mc Manus, Enniskillen
	11.30am	Kate McCabe, Clonkirk (Month's Memory); Jimmy Sheerin, Newtownbutler Road (1st Anniversary)
Mon 6th	10.00am	<b>No Mass</b>
Tue 7th	10.00am	Francis McCaul, Corduff
Wed 8th	10.00am	John Flanagan, O'Neill Park
Thurs 9th	10.00am	PJ Murray, Newtownbutler Road
Fri 10th	10.00am	Deceased workers of Denim Trading Company
	7.00pm	<b>No Mass</b>
Sat 11th	10.00am	Eileen & Joe Hughes & Mary McCaffrey, Beechgrove
		<b>Fourth Sunday of Easter</b>
		<i>Day of Prayer for Vocations</i>
(Vigil)	7.30pm	Nigel McGovern, O'Neill Pk & Ard Chluain; Margaret McMahan, Clonmore; Paddy McGorman, Legnakelly & dec'd Nicholl & O'Neill Families
Sun 12th	10.00am	Mulligan Family, Killyliffer; Margaret & John Collins, Kilrid
	11.30am	Pat McMahan, Clonedergole (First Anniversary); Mick Hannon, Carn Heights (First Anniversary)

**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**  
 (When there is a funeral in Clones, the Mass will be at **11.00am**)

**SACRAMENTS AND MINISTRIES**

**Wedding:** We wish God's blessing on Megan Newell & David Masterson

**Deaths:** We pray for Charlie Cunningham, Corraghy

**St. Macartan's:**  
**Reader 12th May** Siobhan Maguire  
**Minister of the Eucharist 12th May** Máire Cullinan  
**Gift Bearers 12th May** Mulligan & Collins Families

**Sacred Heart Church 11th & 12th May:**

**Readers:** Vigil Bartle Woods  
 11.30am Tom Treanor

**Ministers of the Eucharist**  
 Vigil Dympna Colgan, Mary Courtney, Deirdre Kelly  
 11.30am Clare Shiels, Patricia Slowey, Nora Treanor

**Altar Society** Marie Collins, Bridget Cassidy, Mary Wilson

**Mass of Healing and Anointing of the Sick**

The Sacrament of Anointing for the Elderly and the Sick will be celebrated at a Mass in Sacred Heart Church on Saturday 1st June at 12.00pm. Afterwards there will be a lunch for everyone in the Creighton Hotel.

**Trócaire**

This year's Trócaire Lenten Collection amounted to €10,150 and £2435.

Thank you for your generosity.

If you didn't have an opportunity to contribute, you can still do so by putting your donation in a separate envelope marked 'Trócaire' and placing it in the weekend collection basket.

**FOR YOUR DIARY**

**First Communion Dates:**

**Aghadrumsee** St. Macartan's Church on Sunday 26th May at 10:00am.  
**Connons** St. Alphonsus Church on Sunday 19th May at 11:00am.  
**Clones** Sacred Heart Church on Sunday 2nd June at 11.30am.  
**Gael Scoil Eois** Sacred Heart Church on Saturday 25th May at 1:00pm.

**The Sacrament of Confirmation** will be celebrated in Sacred Heart Church, Clones, on Saturday 18th May at 11:00am.

**Knocks Drama Group** present *'Hitting the Jackpot'*, a hilarious 3-act comedy by Jimmy Keary on Friday 3rd, Sunday 5th, Friday 10th and Sunday 12th May. Doors open at 7.30pm; curtain at 8.30pm; pay at the door.

**Comboni Missionaries Of the Heart of Jesus.** Comboni Priest Fr. Ruben Padilla will visit the Parish next weekend to speak about the work of the Comboni Missionaries, strengthen missionary awareness and ask for your support.

**Clones Faith & Light Pilgrimage to Knock** on Saturday 18th May. Anyone wishing to travel should phone Mary on 047 51745 or Patricia on 086 214 8243.

**Monaghan IFA Annual Get Walking, Get Talking Green Ribbon Forest Walk** on Sunday 12th May at 3.00pm in Rossmore Park, Monaghan. All farmers, farm families and members of the public are invited to join the walk; refreshments served afterwards.

**Féasta Sráide na Botha.** There will be an Irish language Street Feast in the centre of Scotstown village this Sunday 5th of May at 3.00pm organised by Muineachán le Gaeilge and the McCague family. On the day there will be a family BBQ, open-air concert, seisiún ceoil, family fun-day with bouncy castles, face-painting and plenty of other games (gach rud saor in aisce). Great day out for the whole family agus seans duit do chuid Gaeilge a úsáid - Bigí ann!

**Clogher Historical Society.** Annual outing to Museum of Orange Heritage and the Titanic Centre, Belfast, on Saturday 25th May. To book: visit [www.clogherhistory.ie](http://www.clogherhistory.ie) or phone 047 71984.

**Darkness into Light Walk, Lisnaskea,** on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May at 4:15am. Please come early as warm-up starts at 3.50am. Registration can still be completed online at [www.darknessintolight.ie](http://www.darknessintolight.ie) or call into Oak HLC, open Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm. All T-shirts will be posted directly to participants' homes. For anyone who is willing to steward or volunteer there will be a short meeting on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00pm in Oak HLC. For more info phone 677 23843 or check out Facebook, Darknessintolightlisnskea.