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## Parish of Clones

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

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19th April  
2020

Second Week  
of  
Easter

**All Masses in Sacred Heart Church are broadcast on the Parish website**

### Masses and Intentions for the Week Second Sunday of Easter

(Divine Mercy Sunday)

Sat 18th Vigil	7.30pm	John & Annie Kerr, Legar Crescent; Margaret McMahon, Clonmore; Barry Fox, Cornagague
Mon 20th		No Mass
Tue 21st		No Mass
Wed 22nd	10.00am	Eddie & Mary McEntee, Cara Street
Thurs 23rd	10.00am	Marie Orr, Scotland
Fri 24th	10.00am	Jim, Mai & Gerry Curran, Mullinamoy

### Third Sunday of Easter

Sat 25th Vigil	7.30pm	Tommy & Bridget Flanagan, Errisallagh; Francis, Noreen & Tom Cooke & Marie Keating, Cara Street; Josephine Mulhall, Fermanagh Street; Margaret Foy, Beechgrove & Rosie & Francie Burns, O'Neill Park; Bridget & Edward Charity, O'Neill Park;
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**Parish Mobile (in case of emergency): 085 817 6203.**

**Clones Parish Office is closed but you can communicate via email or phone from 10.00am until 5.00pm each weekday.**

**Anointing of the Sick:** There will be no house calls (including First Friday calls) at this time. Priests will phone and pray with the sick or housebound.

**Baptisms:** Baptisms and Marriages are not to be celebrated until further notice. Where parents are anxious about the health of a child, they are advised to bless the child with a crucifix or their own hand and the priest may pray with them over the phone or via Skype or some similar communications mode.

**Confessions:** Individual Confessions are not now possible. People are reminded of the longstanding pastoral practice, when penitent's access to the Sacrament of Reconciliation is restricted, that they can be assured that their sins are forgiven if they make an act of contrition with a firm resolve to approach the Sacrament of Reconciliation after the stay at home orders are lifted. Pope Francis has spoken on this in recent days and it is in line with the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

**Deaths:** We pray for

Mary Kelly, Newtownbutler Road  
Mary Slowey, Cherry Park  
Marie Orr, Scotland  
Peter Gormley, Ballyoisin  
Eamon McCluskey, London and formerly Stonebridge

### **An Act of Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from you.

**Amen**

The Second Sunday of Easter, the Church throughout the world marks Divine Mercy Sunday, in honour of the Divine Mercy that comes from the heart of Christ to all who seek his forgiveness. The 'hour of mercy' is held across the world at 3.00pm and in the Diocese of Clogher it will be celebrated this year via online means from the following churches:

St Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan

[www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-macartans-cathedral-monaghan](http://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-macartans-cathedral-monaghan)

St Michael's Church, Enniskillen

[mcnmedia.tv/cameras/st-michaels-parish-eniskillen](http://mcnmedia.tv/cameras/st-michaels-parish-eniskillen)

St Joseph's Church, Carrickmacross

[www.carrickmacrossparish.ie/our-parish/web-cam/](http://www.carrickmacrossparish.ie/our-parish/web-cam/)

The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Newtownbutler

[www.churchservices.tv/newtownbutler](http://www.churchservices.tv/newtownbutler)

St Tierney's Church, Roslea

[www.churchservices.tv/roslea](http://www.churchservices.tv/roslea)

The celebrations will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, the praying of the Rosary and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, followed by Benediction.

Bishop Larry, has asked that people tune in to one of these celebrations and he invites all to participate in them:

*'Divine Mercy is God's great and eternal gift to humanity; it invites us to place our trust in our loving God, the One who died for us and rose again so that we might enter eternal life. In these tough times as we all struggle with sickness, grief, loss and lockdown, let us remember that God is with us through his divine mercy and love. The fact that we end the Octave of Easter Sunday by having the celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday reminds us again that God's actions on the Cross were borne out of love for us. Let us never fail to love and to hope. Let us place our trust in Jesus.'*

This celebration of Divine Mercy flows from the apparitions of Jesus to St. Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun, and what her writings describe as 'God's loving mercy' towards everyone, especially sinners. St Faustina was canonised by Pope St John Paul II in the Great Jubilee Year 2000 and Divine Mercy Sunday was inaugurated by him for the whole Church in 2001.

*The Novena and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy are available on our website.*