

Annual Solemn Novena to St. Gerard Majella in The Holy Redeemer Church, Ard Eamuinn, Dundalk, from Sunday 8th until Monday 16th October.

Theme: *Let Jesus Renew your Family.* Wednesday 11th October Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation; Friday 13th October Healing Mass with the Anointing of the Sick and Elderly; Sunday 15th October 3:00pm The Blessing of Babies and Children.

Weekdays (10.00am & 7.30pm; Sunday 10.00am, 11.30am & 6.00pm) Votive Candles can be purchased in the Church foyer for €2 each and will be burned during the novena in the small chapel. St. Gerard's booklets can also be purchased for €1 each. Confessors available every day except Sunday. Free Parking available on Church grounds and in Car park.

ISPC Collection raised €190. Thanks to all who contributed.

Alliance of the Two Hearts family healing retreat, led by Fr. Edgardo Arellano Bing (Fr. Bing) will be held in Armagh City Hotel on Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th October. To book phone 048 375 18888 (Booking Ref: AL 1051017)

St Louis Secondary School Parents' Association are holding a talk on Monday 2nd October at 8 o'clock in Halla SanLughaidh, the speaker is Gerard Callan from Monaghan Integrated Development 'Don't Pour Your Dreams Away' Initiative 2017.

Garage Theatre: To Hell in a Handbag Saturday 30th September @ 8pm . Tickets €16/€14. By Helen Norton & Jonathan White. The secret lives of Canon Chasuble and Miss Prism. "A delight, beautifully written and acted with exquisite comic timing" by the Mail on Sunday.

Humpty Dumpty's Big Eggventure Sunday October 1st at 3.00pm & 5pm. A live theatrical production by Jolly Promotions. 3.00pm show now SOLD OUT. Get your 5.00pm tickets now before it's too late. Suitable for all ages. All tickets now €10

Welding and Fabrication/Dry Lining iSkill Training and CMETB are offering full time Welding and Fabrication/Dry Lining courses in Monaghan. City & Guilds Cert Awarded. Work placement included. Contact iSkill Training 01 424 2440 or Philip Nolan 086 140 8684 philip.nolan@iskill.ie

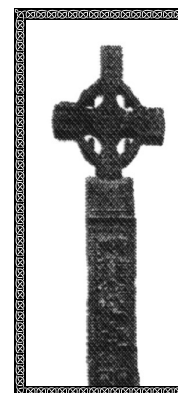
St. Joseph's Hall Bingo every Friday night at 9.00pm. Jackpots €12, 400 & €6,400 (subject to no winner 29/09/2017).

Currin Lotto: No Winner. (1, 5, 11, 12) Jackpot €4100.

Aghadrumsee GFC Lotto: No Winner. (13, 14, 16, 25) Jackpot £3850

Looking after your Mental Health

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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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**1st
 October
 2017**

**Week
 Twenty-six
 In
 Ordinary
 Time**

Masses and Intentions for the Week

		Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Vigil)	7.00pm	Rosaleen, Michael & John O'Brien, McCurtain Street Bridie, Thomas, Brendan & Geraldine McCabe, O'Neill Park Owen & Mary McCague, Largy & NTB Road Lorcan Kelly, McCurtain Street Eugene McDonald & Dec'd Relatives, The Diamond
Sun 1st Oct	9.00am	
	10.30am	Brendan & Elizabeth Maguire, Corloughaloon
	12.00pm	People of the Parish
Mon 2nd	10.00am	The Guardian Angels
Tue 3rd	10.00am	Blessed Columbia Marmion
Wed 4th	10.00am	St. Francis of Assisi
Thurs 5th	10.00am	
Fri 6th	10.00am	Maura & Sean Kierans & Dec'd McShane & Neeson Families Helen Slowey, The Diamond
	7.00pm	Scollan Family, Cromaghy
Sat 7th	10.00am	Our Lady of the Rosary Gus McCarra, Clonkeencole
		Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Vigil)	7.00pm	Joseph & Teresa Beggan & Dec'd Rel., Magheranure John & Josephine Rooney, Fairgreen and Mary & Pat McCabe, Aghabog Michael Hamill, Teehill
Sun 8th	9.00am	
	10.30am	People of the Parish
	12.00pm	

Priests of the Parish

Fr. Dick Mohan P.P. Fr Cathal Deery C.C.

To speak to the priest on duty, please phone 085 8176203

Weekend Masses

Sat	7.00pm	Sacred Heart, Clones
Sun	9.00am	St Alphonsus, Connons
	10.30am	St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee
	12.00pm	Sacred Heart, Clones

Masses during the Week: Monday—Saturday Sacred Heart Church 10.00am
(On days of Funerals, Mass will be at 11.00am)
Friday 7.00pm St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee

SACRAMENTS AND MINISTRIES

Baptisms are celebrated in Sacred Heart Church on the second Saturday of each month at 4.00pm & on the fourth Sunday at 1.00pm. In St. Macartan's Church, Baptisms are on the third Sunday at 1.30pm.
Anointing of the Sick: Priests are available to celebrate the sacrament with anyone who is seriously ill.
Confessions: Saturday after 10.00am Mass.

Christening: We welcome into our Christian Faith Community
Naoimi Beth McPhillips

Deaths: We pray for
Dermot Maguire, Sligo & Connons
Sean Fitzgibbon, Delgany & Clones

St. Alphonsus
Minister of the Eucharist 8th Oct: Eileen Gavin
Gift Bearers 8th Oct: Barry & Vera McCaffrey

St Macartan's
Ministers of the Eucharist 8th Oct: Maire Cullinan, Naosa Faux, Ann Flanagan
Reader 8th Oct: Siobhan Maguire

Sacred Heart Church
Ministers of the Eucharist 7th & 8th Oct:
7.00pm Deirdre Kelly, Dympna Colgan, Edward Tackney
12.00pm Danny Crudden, Elizabeth Kenny, Jane Mallen
Copies of the rota for weekdays is available from the sacristy

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

Sick & Housebound

The Sick & Housebound will have an opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation and receive Communion in their own homes on **Thursday 12th and Friday 13th October**

COMMUNITY NEWS, ACTIVITIES, EVENTS

Ministers of the Eucharist

A new group of Ministers of the Eucharist has been chosen and trained to serve at Masses in the parish for the next four years. We thank the previous group who have completed their term and acknowledge their contribution to liturgy and prayer in the parish since 2013. The new group will be commissioned at Masses this weekend and will begin their service at those Masses. Please keep them in your prayers as they begin this important ministry.

A safeTalk Suicide Awareness Training Course will be held on Wednesday 11th October in Clones Family Resource Centre from 6.30pm until 10.00pm. Contact Emer Mulligan, HSE Resource Officer for Suicide Prevention on 086 1717 563 for application form and further details.

Clones Faith & Light. October Fiesta will be held on 1st October in St. Tiarnach's Primary School at 3.00pm. There will be no Mass - Prayer Service only. All young people are asked to be at the school for 2.00pm.

Aghadrumsee Community Group are holding their AGM on the 19th October at 8pm, Corranny Bar. All welcome

Clones Men Shed Vintage Run held 9th September raised €705 which was donated to Solus and Crocus Monaghan. €352.50 each. Thank you to all who contributed.

Clones Family Resource New low cost counselling/psychotherapy service now available in Clones. Experienced & fully accredited counsellors (IACP & BACP). Service available for both adults & teenagers. General counselling (depression, anxiety, stress, abuse, self-esteem, anger management, post-traumatic stress disorder etc.) Counselling for children 12 to 18 years. Breavement counselling. Couples counselling.. Confidential service. For further information or to make an appointment phone Clones FRC. (52919) On Friday 13th October CFR invites you to "Peace of Mind" Positive Mental Health. Registration at 9.30am. Conference begins at 10am. Cost €10/£5 concessionary. All proceeds to local charity, Solas Drop in Centre. Hot lunch provided. Booking essential (52919) or email reception@clonesfrc.ie

Monaghan Integrated Development (MID) & Local Employment Services (LES) are holding an *Open Morning* in the office on McCurtin Street, Clones, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon on Tues 3rd Oct. and in the office on North Road, Monaghan from 10 a.m. to 12 noon on Wed 4th Oct.