

Congratulations to Fr. Dick and Fr. Peter on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of their ordination on Sunday 21st June 1970.



We thank Fr. Dick and Fr. Peter for their long serving ministry and wish them well for the future.
The picture shows Fr. Dick giving his first blessing to Fr. Peter.



Parish of Clones

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

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21st June
2020

Twelfth Week
in
Ordinary Time

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

Masses and Intentions for the Week

		Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sat 20th Vigil	7.30pm	Christina Hughes (Frist Anniversary) & James Hughes, Millbrook; Mickey Boyle & Ellie Mullarkey, Follum; John, Annie, Sean, Tony & Marie Coogan, Analore Street; Phyllis & Noel Greenan & McCallion & Greenan Families, Clonkeencole
Mon 22nd	10.00am	No Mass
Tue 23rd	10.00am	Jimmy, Bridget & Brendan Cassidy, Cornacrieve
Wed 24th	10.00am	The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
Thurs 25th	10.00am	
Fri 26th	10.00am	Jack & Catherine Lynch, Lammy
		Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sat 27th Vigil	7.30pm	James & Sarah McNaughton, Lisoarty & Connolly Hoey & McMahon Families, Carrickmacross; Gerry & Bridie Slowey, Church Hill; Patrick & Sean McAler & Jack & Josie Gerrard, Newtownbutler Road; Norman & Rosaleen Douglas, O'Neill Park

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 and Marriages - Please contact the Parish Office.

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.

Baptisms: We welcome into our Christian faith community
Sophia Aine Sherry
Seán James Quigley

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,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen

Opening of churches for public worship

We now have a confirmed date for the re-opening of churches for public worship. This will be a complex operation as we physically prepare (in the first place) Sacred Herat Church and organise Masses, whilst adhering to social distancing and maintaining appropriate standards of hygiene. The help of parishioners will be needed as ushers, stewards, cleaners etc. People have worked so well over this past three months, ministering in their own way to neighbours, friends and even strangers. You can help by volunteering to be part of a parish team which will ensure our churches are safe and welcoming places once again. Anyone willing to volunteer can phone the Parish Office on 047 51048.

A system of managing numbers attending Mass on any given day is being worked on; there will be more detailed information in next week's Bulletin and on our website clonesparish@eircom.net

Lough Derg Three Day Pilgrimage. From 27th until 29th June people can do the Three Day Pilgrimage from afar, along with Prior La Flynn and a small Lough Derg team. Services will be broadcast from St. Mary's Church in Pettigo; this is the nearest church with a webcam to allow a live link in support of those who choose to do the pilgrimage. The pilgrimage will follow the traditional format, with a few practical adjustments. Evening of Prayer of the Church will be recited instead of evening Mass on Saturday and Sunday evenings. Mass will be celebrated at 6.30am on Sunday morning only. For full details or to register for this historic event phone (0353) 71 9861518, go to www.loughderg.live or email info@loughderg.org

LOURDES2CLOGHER VIRTUAL PILGRIMAGE 2020: At this time of the Coronavirus pandemic, when we as a diocese cannot journey on pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady at Lourdes, we hope to bring something of the spirit of the pilgrimage to the diocese. "**Lourdes2Clogher: A Virtual Pilgrimage**" will take place from July 3rd until July 8th. The different Masses and devotions will be streamed via www.lourdes2clogher.com You can go to this website now and leave a prayer petition to be included in the Masses. You can also video record a Hail Mary or Our Father or Glory be... for the recorded Torchlight Procession. Visit www.lourdes2clogher.com for details.