

Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

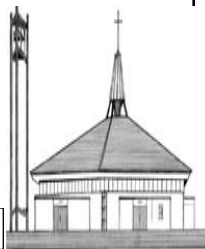
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27th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Masses:

Cloone: Sat 4th Oct 8.00pm

Cloone: Sun 5th Oct 10.00am Pro. Populo.

Aughavas: Sun 5th Oct 11.30am

Cloone: Mon 6th Oct 10.00am John Quinn, Corduff, Cloone.

Rossan: Tues 7th Oct 8.00pm Our Lady of the Rosary. Mary Theresa Mc Cabe and her grandson Michael Mc Cabe, Packie Higgins, and Vincent Mc Cabe, 1st Anniversary. Sonny Reilly, Drumcauskeen.

Aughavas: Wed 8th Oct 10.00am

Cloone: Thurs 9th Oct 10.00am

Cloone: Fri 10th Oct 10.00am

Cloone: Sat 11th Oct 8.00pm

Cloone: Sun 12th Oct 10.00am Noeleen Mc Elroy, Whitehall, Tarmonbarry.

Aughavas: Sun 12th Oct 11.30am Pro. Populo.

Rossan Rosary every Sunday morning at 9.15am.

Eucharistic Adoration: **Aughavas** - Monday's from 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

Cloone - Tuesday's from 7.00 pm to 9.00 pm.

Eucharistic Adoration takes place in St Mary's church Cloone from 7pm to 9 pm every Tuesday. The prayer intention for the month of October is **"For those suffering with Mental Health issues and for all those affected by suicide."** We would like to invite and encourage you to come along and spend a short time in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament for this or any other special intention you may have, at this time. More volunteers are also very welcome to join our rota for weekly Eucharistic Adoration in our parish.

Aughavas Pastoral Council meeting on Thursday 9th October at 8.30pm

Aughavas ICA Coffee Morning in aid of the *North West Hospice* on Sunday 12th October in St. Joseph's National School Aughavas after 11.30 Mass. Please support.

Aughavas ICA, At our next meeting Thurs 9th Oct 8pm in the centre our guest speaker will be Celine Kilcoyne from Manorhamilton. Celine will speak regarding steps on how to reach Peace of Mind in our lives. And how to have a Contented Heart. How to live a calm and peaceful life with practical, simple, effective and measurable steps. This meeting is open to everyone in the parish.

Coffee Morning in Aid of North West Hospice in Cloone Community Centre on Saturday evening the 11th October, after 8pm Mass, and Sunday morning 12th October after 10.00am Mass.

Active Age: "Meet-up" at Cloone Community Centre on Wed 8th Oct @ 7pm to finalise the details and full payments for our trip to Waterford/Wexford. The Coach will pick up from O'Carolan Monument Mohill @ 11.45am, Cloone Church @ 12 noon and Drumlish Church @ 12.20pm on Sunday 19th October.

Chair Yoga with Kate Murren takes place in Cloone Community Centre every Wednesday from 12:15 - 13:15. For further information or to book, please contact (087) 2562348. Cost - €12

1852 Leitrim Election An interesting talk will take place in Ballinamore Library on Wednesday October 8th at 7.30pm titled '1852 Leitrim Election' by Liam McNiffe. Free event, all welcome.

Abide in His Love Women's Conference Nov 21-23. A few tickets remaining. The Great Northern Hotel, Bundoran Co. Donegal. A beautiful event for women exploring the beauty & gift of their feminine identity in Christ. Guest Speakers include Sr. Mary Madeline Todd OP (USA), Megan Madden from 'A Mother's Lace' (USA/UK), Fr. Barry Braum, Fr. Mark Wharton (UK), Fr. Francesco Mary Gavazzi, CFR, the Nashville Dominican sisters, & Mass with Archbishop Eamon Martin. Check Eventbrite for tickets & more information.

Prayer for strength Saint Pope John XXIII—Feast 11 October

Every day I need you, Lord, but today especially,
I need some extra strength to face whatever is to come.

This day, more than any other day,

I need to feel you near me to strengthen my
Courage and to overcome any fear.

By myself I cannot meet the challenge of the hour.

We are frail human creatures and we need a Higher Power to sustain us in all that my life may bring.

And so, dear Lord, hold my trembling hand.

Be with me, Lord, this day and stretch out your powerful arm to help me.

May your love be upon me as I place all my hope in you. Amen.

Why Sunday Matters: an invitation to Participate

The journey of faith often comes with its own set of challenges. Many, particularly the younger generation, feel disconnected from the Church due to past abuses and how these were addressed. Alongside this, the pressures of modern life, the increasing levels of anxiety and mental health difficulties—especially among young people— together with the lingering effects of the pandemic, have contributed to a sense of distance from the Church. However, Sunday Eucharist continues to be a source of hope, life, and profound meaning. It invites us to **participate** in the celebration of Christ's death and resurrection, the Paschal Mystery. In this sacred celebration, we have the opportunity to be transformed, to receive God's grace, and to become the best version of ourselves. As we navigate life, and all its joys and struggles, the Eucharist offers us the community and support we need to flourish and grow in faith.

Mass is not just a personal act of devotion; it is a communal act of worship. We go to God together. The Sunday Mass is where the Church is most visibly alive, and where every member of the community plays an essential role. Each person's participation is needed for the Church to truly live. It is important to gather physically for Mass and although technology is helpful, it can never replace the tangible experience of being with the community as we listen to God's word and receive the Body of Christ. We invite you to consider how your presence at Mass can contribute to making the Church visible and alive.

We are deeply thankful to priests and all those who gather to celebrate Mass. Special gratitude goes to those involved in liturgical ministers, such as Ministers of the Word, of Holy Communion, Music Ministers, Sacristans, and Altar Servers. Encouraging the return of young people as Altar Servers is especially important and should be actively supported by their families and parish. The involvement of young people brings vitality to the liturgy and contributes hugely to their own faith formation.

Offertory Collection: (28th Oct) **Aughavas €425.00** (27th/28th Oct) **Cloone €475.00**