

SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 2018:

AUGHAVAS: Readers: Sat. Evening—Helen Kenny; Sunday—Martina Williams.

Eucharistic Ministers: Sat. Evening—Nuala Bohan & Michelle Earley.
Sunday—Tom McLoughlin & Pauline McKiernan.

Counters: Pat Brennan & James Sweeney.

Altar Society: Caroline & Geraldine Beirne.

CLOONE: Reader: Damian Brennan.

Eucharistic Ministers: Eithne Tiernan & Patrick McNamara.

Counters: Seamus Tiernan, Aidan Donohoe & Eugene McNamara.

Altar Society: Gus Cooke & Teresa Conboy.

Pray for the happy repose of the souls of Al Graboski (brother-in-law of Jim McCabe, Corduff) who died recently and Sr. Mary Roddy, Sac. Heart Srs., Blackrock, Cork, formerly of Lavoreen, Aughavas (sister of Joan McGirl, Camber) whose funeral took place during the week and Tommy Keville, Trean, Mohill (brother-in-law of Paddy Gannon, Drimien) whose funeral took place recently.

Mass Rock—Drumlegga: Rosary and Prayers for Life and Faith took place at the Mass Rock in Drumlegga on Sunday 18th March at 2.30 pm with over forty people in attendance. Thanks to Michael McCabe and family for preparing the site and accommodating the gathering.

Holy Saturday: Meeting of Liturgy Committee to organise candles for Easter Vigil after 10.00 am Mass on this Monday 25th March.

Chrism Mass takes place in St. Mel's Cathedral, Longford on Holy Thursday 29th March at 11.00 am. We need a person from Aughavas Parish and Cloone Parish to carry the Parish Banners at the Chrism Mass. If you can do this, please contact Fr. P. Tiernan.

World Meeting of Families Icon: The official Icon is visiting different Churches throughout the country. It is a very impressive Icon and well worth seeing. It will be in St. Mary's Church, Carrick-on-Shannon at 12.00 noon on Wednesday 28th March and everyone is welcome to visit during the day. There will be a prayer service in St. Mary's Church on Wednesday at 7.30 pm.

Cloone Community Centre AGM will be held on this Monday 26th March at 9 pm. New members always welcome.

Cloone Show AGM will be held in Cloone Community Centre on Thursday 29th March 2018 at 10.00 pm. All members requested to attend and new members welcome.

Aughavas Men's Group Meeting takes place on Tuesday 27th March from 7pm to 9pm at the Parochial house. All interested in the group are asked to attend.

The Noel McManus Run and Cycle will take place this Good Friday 30th March. This year it will include a 40K cycle for all you cycling enthusiasts. The 5K and 10K run/walk will take place as usual starting and finishing at Lough Rynn Castle at 12 noon with the cycle starting at 11.30 am. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the beautiful Lough Rynn Castle. Online registration is available.



Summertime begins. Clocks forward 1 hour from tonight.

Offertory Collection: (Holy Day & Sun) **Aughavas € 1,065.00; Cloone € 895.00.**

Shrine: **Cloone € 290.00.**

Lenten Alms: **Cloone € 260.00; Aughavas € 355.00.**



PASSION (PALM) SUNDAY 2018



Palm Sunday commemorates the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover, the week before his death and resurrection. The gospels record the arrival of Jesus riding into the city on a donkey, while the crowds spread their cloaks and palm branches on the street and shouted "Hosanna to the Son of David."

Palm Sunday is often referred to as "Passion Sunday" marks the beginning of Holy Week which concludes on Easter Sunday.

Easter Triduum: The celebration of the Easter Triduum of the Passion and Resurrection of Christ is the climax of the whole Church Year. Mass of the Lord's Supper, the Good Friday celebration of the Lord's Passion reaches its climax on Saturday night with the celebration of the Easter Vigil.

Confessions for Easter:

Monday 26th March —Aughavas 7 pm;

Gortletteragh 8 pm.

Tuesday 27th March— Fenagh 7 pm;

Cloone 8 pm.

Wednesday 28th March—Annaduff 7 pm;

Mohill 8 pm.



Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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Holy Thursday—Mass of The Lord's Supper.
Aughavas 6.30 pm. Cloone 8.30 pm.

This evening we remember the farewell gift of the Eucharist that Jesus gave his Church, so that He could be with us for all time in the wine and in the bread that is blessed and broken and shared in his memory. Also the New Commandment of love Jesus gave his church and which is vividly expressed during the Mass this evening in the ceremony of washing of feet.

Good Friday—The Celebration of the Lord's Passion.
Cloone 3 pm. Rossan 3 pm. Aughavas 8 pm.



This Celebration consists of three parts: (1) The Liturgy of the Word, which includes the Solemn Reading of the Passion and the 10 Solemn Prayers of Intercession. (2) The Veneration of the Cross. (3) The service of Holy Communion. The Cross is a sign of hope, victory and resurrection for us as well as sign of pain, suffering and death. As we share in the suffering of the crucified Christ, we also share in the new life of hope of the Risen Lord.

Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence.

Holy Saturday Night —The Easter Vigil.
Aughavas 7.30 pm. Cloone 9.30 pm.



This night is the most important of all Vigils when the Church waits for the Resurrection of the Lord. To-night's ceremony is divided into four parts. (1) The service of light. (2) The liturgy of the word. (3) The blessing of the Easter Water and the renewal of our baptismal promises. (4) The Liturgy of the Eucharist. We begin with the blessing of the Easter fire and the lighting of the Easter Candle, symbol of the risen Christ who is the light of the world and it will be lit for all baptisms and at removals and funeral Mass for the next year

Masses

Aughavas: Sat. 24th Mar. 7.00 pm. Marcella, Edward & Katie Tiernan, Coroneary.

Cloone: Sun. 25th Mar. 10.00 am. **Palm Sunday.**

Michael, Eilish & John Solon, Rocullion & DM of the O'Kane family.
Mary Ellen McNamara, Kiltyfea.

Paddy Brady & DM of the Brady family, Drumhalla.

Aughavas: Sun. 25th Mar. 11.30 am. **Palm Sunday.**

The Colreavy family, Drumnamore.

Aughavas: Mon. 26th Mar. 10.00 am. Pat Frank Ryan, Rocullion.

Cloone: Tues. 27th Mar. 10.00 am.

Aughavas: Wed. 28th Mar. 10.00 am.

Cloone: Sun. 1st April 10.00 am. **Easter Sunday.**

Aughavas: Sun. 1st April 11.30 am. **Easter Sunday.**

SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK:

AUGHAVAS: HOLY THURSDAY: Reader: Gerry Gallogly.

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Shortt & Maureen McNamara.

GOOD FRIDAY: Reader: Diane Charles.

Readers of the Passion: (N) Pat Kilkenny. (O) Diane Charles.

Prayers of Intercession: Adrian Shortt & Celine Shortt.

Eucharistic Ministers: Eilish Cooke, Marie McKiernan.

Veneration of the Cross: Eilish Cooke & Marie McKiernan.

Office of Readings and Morning Prayer on Good Friday at 9.00 am in Aughavas.

HOLY SATURDAY: 1st Reading: Francis McLoughlin.

3rd Reading: Pat Kilkenny.

5th Reading: Helen Kenny.

Epistle: Mary O'Brien.

Prayers of the Faithful: Gráinne & Eadaoin Casey.

Eucharistic Ministers: Caroline Beirne & Kathleen Galligan.

Office of Readings and Morning Prayer on Holy Saturday at 9.00 am. in Aughavas.

CLOONE: HOLY THURSDAY: Reader: Deirdre Brennan.

Eucharistic Ministers: Teresa Slevin & Eileen O'Higgins.

GOOD FRIDAY: Reader: Michelle Dimmock.

Readers of the Passion: (N) Sheila Gallogly. (O) Peter McHugh.

Prayers of Intercession: James Murphy & Aine Nicholl

Eucharistic Ministers: Eithne Tiernan & Dolores Tiernan.

HOLY SATURDAY: 1st Reading: Michel Murphy.

3rd Reading: Damian Brennan.

5th Reading: Teresa Kearney.

Epistle: Eamon Cunningham.

Prayers of the Faithful: Peter McHugh & Maria Cunningham.

Eucharistic Ministers: Teresa Kearney, Michelle Dimmock & Monica McHugh.

EASTER SUNDAY: 1st April: CLOONE: 10.00 am.

Reader: Damian Brennan.

Prayers of the Faithful: Lisa Gill.

Eucharistic Ministers: Eithne Tiernan & Patrick McNamara.

AUGHAVAS: 1st April: 11.30 am.

Reader: Martina Williams.

Prayers of the Faithful: Katie & Edel McKiernan.

Eucharistic Ministers: Tom McLoughlin & Pauline McKiernan.

Evening Prayer of the Church at 6.00 pm in Aughavas.