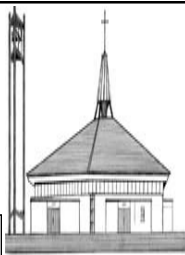




# Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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## **SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**Pray** for the happy repose of the soul of Jim Foy, Riverstown, Cloone whose funeral took place in Cloone on Wednesday last.

### **Masses**

**Cloone:** Sat. 8th Dec. 8.00 pm. Phil Fitzpatrick, Drumgowla.  
 Michaél Kellegher, Annaghmacoolen.  
 Thomas Creamer & D.F.M., Drumdarkin.

**Cloone:** Sun. 9th Dec. 10.00 am. John & Maggie McKeon, Halls.

**Aughavas:** Sun. 9th Dec. 11.30 am. Luke Kelleher, Drumbinnish. M.M.  
 Jim Reynolds, Manchester & Augharan.  
 Tom & Mary Ann McLoughlin, Carrickavoher  
 & Tom & Julia O'Reilly.

**Cloone:** Mon 10th Dec. 10.00 am. Pro Populo.

**Rossan:** Tues. 11th Dec. 7.00 pm.

**Aughavas:** Wed. 12th Dec. 10.00 am.

**Cloone:** Thurs. 13th Dec. 10.00 am.

**Cloone:** Fri. 14th Dec. 10.00 am.

**Cloone:** Sat. 15th Dec. 8.00 pm. Pat Gallogly & D.F.M., Tooma.

**Cloone:** Sun. 16th Dec. 10.00 am. **"Do This In Memory"**.  
 John McCabe, Drumbore.

**Aughavas:** Sun. 16th Dec. 11.30 am. Eddie & Mary Heslin (1st Anniv) & D.F.M.,  
 Druminbawn & Peter & Mary Moran & D.F.M. Augharan.

### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

**Aughavas: Monday 6pm—9pm; Cloone Tuesday 7pm—10pm.**

### **Penance Service and Confessions in Preparation for Christmas:**

Monday 17th December: Aughavas 7.00 pm; Gortletteragh 8.00 pm.

Tuesday 18th December: Fenagh 7.00 pm; Cloone 8.00 pm.

Wednesday 19th December: Drumsna 7.00 pm; Mohill 8.00 pm.

**Cloone Parish Pastoral Council Meeting** this Monday 10th December at 8.00 pm.

**Safeguarding Message for Advent 2018:** When he visited us Pope Francis spoke very movingly about the suffering and pain of those who were abused in our Church. "None of us can fail to be moved by the stories of young people who suffered abuse, were robbed of their innocence, were separated from their mothers, and were left scarred by painful memories. This open wound challenges us to be firm and decisive in the pursuit of truth and justice". He complimented the work of our Parish and Diocesan Safeguarding Representatives and our priests and religious who "with the help of the National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Church in Ireland, ... have set in place a stringent set of norms aimed at ensuring the safety of young persons". I thank all who keep these standards to the forefront of our Church activities. I thank you for your vigilance and your commitment to making our Church as safe as possible for children. I encourage anyone with concerns regarding the safety of children or anyone who suffered in the past to contact our Designated Liaison Person, Sean Leydon (087-7431649) or our Deputy Designated Liaison Person, Róisín O'Doherty (087-7057516).

**Eucharistic Adoration:** There is a register with the names of those who have volunteered to spend an hour at Adoration. If you volunteered for an hour and your name is not included already in the register, please let Fr. Peter Tiernan know and we can have your name included. Also, if you did not have the opportunity of filling a card and volunteering for an hour of Adoration, please let Fr. Peter Tiernan know if you wish to take an hour at Adoration.

**All Ireland Rosary Rally for Faith and Life** is taking place on 1st January 2019 (Solemnity of the Mother of God), at 12 noon at Dáil Éireann, Dublin. This is to ask God through Our Lady to increase the Faith in Ireland and to protect the unborn child. The Rosary is a most powerful weapon against evil. To book your place on a bus from Leitrim, call 086-8775036.

**Choir Practice for Christmas** in St. Joseph's Church, Aughavas each Tuesday night from 8pm—9pm.

**St. Josephs Ladies** will hold their annual bake sale on Sunday 16th December in Aughavas club rooms after Mass. All proceeds this year go to local cancer charities. Your support would be greatly appreciated for this worthy cause.

**St. Vincent De Paul:** Thanks to everyone who contributed to the collection in Aughavas on Sunday 2nd December. The amount collected was €465.00.

**Fatima N.S. Christmas Carol Service** will take place on Thursday 13th December in St. Mary's Church, Cloone at 7.30 pm with refreshments afterwards in the Community Centre. Everyone welcome. Your support will be appreciated.

**Aughavas Community Centre:** We are pleased to announce that our Community Centre committee have been successful in our application for grant aid under the Rural Development LEADER Programme, our roof restoration project has been approved. This is an outstanding achievement for the committee members. Thank you to everyone who have dedicated so much hard work/time and have helped out in anyway to our fundraising efforts.

**Sponsor a light on the North West Hospice Memorial Tree** in memory of your loved one this Christmas for just €5. Record a tribute in their memory in the Online Book of Treasured Memories. Visit [www.northwesthospice.ie](http://www.northwesthospice.ie) or call (071) 9170523 for more details.

**The Rosary: 'To pray the Rosary is to hand over our burdens to the merciful Hearts of Christ and His Mother.'**  
**St. Pope John Paul II.**

**Offertory Collection: Aughavas € 455.00; Cloone € 820.00.**