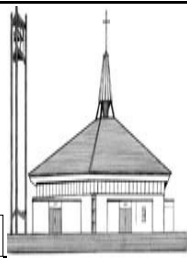


Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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28th June 2020

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pray for the happy repose of the soul of Michael O'Rourke, Dublin and formerly of Aughavas (brother of the late Charlie O'Rourke, Aughallowgh) who died in Dublin.

Masses

Cloone: Sat. 27th June.	8.00 pm.	Pro Populo.
Aughavas: Sun. 28th June.	11.30 am.	Pro Populo.
Cloone: Mon. 29th June.	10.00 am.	Feast of St's Peter and Paul.
Cloone: Tues. 30th June.	10.00 am.	
Cloone: Fri. 3rd July.	10.00 am.	Feast of St. Thomas Apostle.
Cloone: Sat. 4th July.	8.00 pm.	Pro Populo.
Cloone: Sun. 5th July.	10.00 am.	
Aughavas: Sun. 5th July.	11.30 am.	Pro Populo.

SCHEDULE FOR JULY 2020

CLOONE: Reader: Saturday Evening: *Teresa Kearney.*
Sunday: *Eamon Cunningham.*

Eucharistic Ministers: Saturday Evening: *Teresa Kearney & Michelle Dimmock.*
Sunday: *Olive Brennan & Dolores Tiernan.*

Counters: *Seamus Tiernan, Aidan Donohoe & Eugene McNamara.*
Altar Society: *Dympna & Lisa Creegan.*

AUGHAVAS: Reader: *Mary O'Brien.*

Eucharistic Ministers: *Marie McKiernan & Pauline McKiernan.*

Counters: *Anna McKiernan & Noel Shortt.*

Altar Society: *Kathleen Reynolds & Maureen Smyth.*

Preparing to resume Masses in St. Mary's Church, Cloone: Mass in Cloone will resume on Saturday 4th July at 8.00 pm and on Sunday 5th July at 10.00 am.

Please read carefully last week-end's Newsletter which had information about re-opening.

The Church will be marked out for social distancing and will accommodate fifty people only.

There will be three speakers outside the Church which will enable people to hear Mass in the Church yard, or in their cars.

Eucharistic Ministers will distribute Holy Communion in the seats. Holy Communion will be distributed outside if weather is clement and at the porch door in weather that is inclement.

The Church will be professionally sanitised immediately before the first week-end and will be sanitised before and after each Mass thereafter.

Return to Mass on July 5th 2020

- Please refer to last week's newsletter for the "Return to Mass Protocol for St. Joseph's church, Aughavas".
- We are appealing for more volunteers to assist with cleaning and stewarding at each Sunday Mass. We intend to setup a rota to limit the demands on those who volunteer.
- The government's current mass gathering limit of 50 persons attending Mass requires that those wishing to attend Mass will have to book a place in advance. Places are initially limited to one person per household in an effort to give as many people as possible the opportunity to attend Mass.
- There is no obligation to attend Sunday Mass for the time being. Mass from St. Joseph's church will be streamed live each Sunday at 11.30am on www.churchtv.ie/aughavas.
- To book a place at Mass on Sunday July 5th please contact Fr. Tiernan on Wednesday July 1st between 10am and 3pm on 071 9636016. Our reason for this booking system is to prevent people from turning up in the expectation of getting a seat and finding that all seats have been taken. (People who have to remain outside will be able to listen to Mass as we are installing new outdoor speakers.)
- The wearing of face coverings is a personal decision by those attending Mass. It is not compulsory at this time to do so.
- Those attending Mass are requested to stay seated for the duration of the Mass.
- Eucharistic ministers will distribute Holy Communion from the front porch to those who remain outside the church listening to Mass.
- There will be no funeral Masses on Sundays in St. Joseph's Church, Aughavas.

Missalettes: St. Paul's have not been producing Missalettes since Covid 19. They will start again on 20th July. We still issue a Newsletter each week.

Please Note: Offertory collections in both Parishes cannot be counted until Wednesday afternoon or after.

Support for Pope Francis COVID 19 Emergency Fund: Your help is urgently needed to help overseas missionaries and vulnerable communities to defend themselves against COVID 19. In Africa, Asia and Latin America, the church is often on the frontline. In remote inaccessible areas, it is missionaries who respond as best they can, to the medical and pastoral needs of suffering men, women and children. Missionaries already face too many challenges, working in over-crowded communities with no running water. In shantytowns and refugee camps where social distancing is simply impossible, and where self-isolation