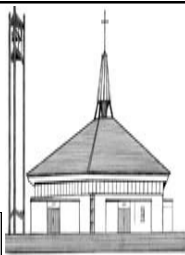




# Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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## 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Pray for** the happy repose of the soul of John (Seán) O'Rourke, Murmod, Virginia, Co. Cavan, formerly of Leganomer, Aughavas, whose funeral took place in Virginia on Monday 19th July. Daniel (Dannie) Mulligan, Cabinteely, Dublin, formerly of Carrick-avoher, Aughavas, whose funeral took place in Dublin on Tuesday 20th. Marian Reynolds, Knockhall, Rooskey (sister of Una Keegan, Corroneary) whose funeral took place in Rooskey on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>; Graham Jones, (father of Kerri Gooheen, teacher in St Joseph's N.S Aughavas), who died in Wales recently and Liz Lowry (nee McLoughlin), daughter of the late Peter & Mary Kate McLoughlin, Aughnaglace, who died on 4th July in England.

### Masses

**Cloone:** Sat. 24th July. 8.00 pm.  
**Cloone:** Sun. 25th July. 10.00 am. Pro. Populo.  
**Aughavas:** Sun. 25th July. 11.30 am.  
**Cloone:** Mon. 26th July. 8.00 pm. Peter Moran, Clooneen & D.M. of the Moran & Leddy Families, Gubbs.  
**Rossan:** Tues. 27th July. 8.00 pm.  
**Aughavas:** Wed. 28th July. 10.00 am. Pat Kilkenny, Meiltron. Vincent Cochrane, Meiltron.  
**Cloone:** Thurs. 29th July. 10.00 am.  
**Aughavas:** Fri. 30th July. 12.00 noon. Funeral Mass for Rose McDermott (nee Gallogly, Drumshanbo Nth.) who died in England.  
**Cloone:** Fri. 30th July. 8.00 pm. Rosemary Creegan, Drumkeeran. 1st Anniv. & Michael Creegan.  
**Cloone:** Sat. 31st July. 8.00 pm.  
**Cloone:** Sun. 1st Aug. 10.00 am.  
**Aughavas:** Sun. 1st Aug. 11.30 am.

### SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST 2021

**CLOONE: Reader:** Saturday Evening: Sheila Gallogly.  
Sunday: Lisa Gill.  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Saturday Evening: Dolores Tiernan & Caroline McHugh.  
Sunday: Maureen Higgins & Mary Monahan.  
**Counters:** Mary Monahan & Aidan Donohoe.  
**Altar Society:** Kathleen McNally & Anne O'Donnell.

**AUGHAVAS: Reader:** Caitlin McIntyre.  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Kathleen Galligan & Bernadette McDermott.  
**Counters:** To be arranged.  
**Altar Society:** Anne Gallogly & Francis McLoughlin.

### World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly 25th July

On 31st January 2021, Pope Francis announced, after the Sunday Angelus, that the First World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated on Sunday, 25th July, the Sunday nearest the memorial of Ss Joachim and Anne (26 July). The voice of the elderly 'is precious,' Pope Francis said, 'because it sings the praises of God and preserves the roots of the peoples.' The elderly, he continued, 'remind us that old age is a gift and that grandparents are the link between the different generation, to pass on to the young the experience of life.' The theme chosen by Pope Francis for this inaugural commemoration is 'I am with you always' (Mt 28:20). It expresses the closeness of the Lord and the Church to every older person, especially in these challenging times of the Covid-19 pandemic.

The theme, 'I am with you always' is also 'a promise of closeness and hope that young and old can mutually share', notes the press release. Not only are grandchildren and youths invited to be present in the lives of older people, but older people and grandparents also have a mission of evangelisation, proclamation and prayer and of encouraging young people in their faith.

### Prayer for Grandparents

*Written by Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI in 2008 for the Catholic Grandparents Association.*

Lord Jesus,  
you were born of the Virgin Mary,  
the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne  
Look with love on grandparents the world over.  
Protect them! They are a source of enrichment  
for families, for the Church and for all society.  
Support them! As they grow older,  
may they continue to be for their families  
strong pillars of Gospel faith, guardians of noble domestic ideals,  
living treasures of sound religious traditions.  
Make them teachers of wisdom and courage,  
that they may pass on to future generations the fruits  
of their mature human and spiritual experience.  
Lord Jesus,  
help families and society to value the presence and roles of grandparents.  
May they never be ignored or excluded,  
but always encounter respect and love.  
Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed  
in all years of life which you give them.  
Mary, Mother of all the living,  
keep grandparents constantly in your care,  
accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage,  
and by your prayers, grant that all families  
may one day be reunited in our heavenly homeland,  
where you await all humanity for the great  
embrace of life without end. Amen

**Offertory Collection:** (11th July) **Aughavas** € 435.00; (10th, 11th July) **Cloone** € 345.00.  
**Shrine:** **Aughavas** € 375.00; **Cloone** € 315.00.