

Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

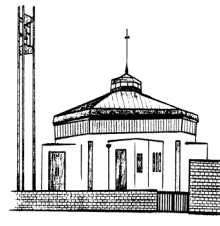
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FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Feast of the Immaculate Conception is on Saturday next 8/12/'12. It is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Advent is a time of waiting, conversion and hope.

Waiting: Recalling the first coming of our Saviour in human flesh.

Looking forward to his final coming at the end of time.

Conversion: The call in the words of John the Baptist, 'Repent for the Kingdom of heaven is at hand' (Mt 3:2)

Hope: Joyful hope that the salvation already accomplished by Christ will be ours through what is promised by faith ' **We shall become like him for we shall see him as he really is'** (Jn 3:2)

What we can do this Advent:

Listen vigilantly to the word of God at mass each weekend.

Try to live each day of Advent for Jesus.

Conduct ourselves in a way pleasing to God.

"Be on our guard so that our spirits do not become gloated with indulgences and drunkenness and worldly cares" (Lk 21:34).

Spend time in family prayer each day.

Masses:

Cloone: Sat. 1/12/'12 7.00 pm Tom & Maggie Joe Brady and Patsy Doherty A

Cloone: Sun. 2/12/'12 10.00 am Kathleen & Packie Maguire Gubbs A

Aughavas: Sun. 2/12/'12 11.30 am Katie, Patrick & Matthew Conefrey Drumnamore A

Cloone: Mon. 9.30 am

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Cloone: Wed. 9.30 am

Aughavas: Thur. 7.00 pm Ron Owen Carrick-on-Shannon MM

Cloone: Fri. 7.00 pm Vigil Mass

Cloone: Sat. 8/12/'12 10.00 am Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Aughavas: Sat. 8/12/'12 11.30 am Brigid Duignan Killafee A

Cloone: Sat. 8/12/'12 7.00 pm Pat Gallogly & dfm Tooma A

Jim Tiernan Annaghmacoway A

Cloone: Sun. 9/12/'12 10.00 am

Aughavas: Sun. 9/12/'12 11.30 am Mary, Kate & John Joe Donohoe Aughnaglace A

Annie & John Joe Cooney & dfm Clonsarn A

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Aughavas: Monday 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

Cloone: Tuesday 8.00 pm to 9.00 pm.

Meeting of Aughavas Parish Pastoral Council on Tuesday 4th Dec. '12 in the Parish House at 9.00 pm.

Meeting of Cloone Parish Pastoral council on Thursday 6th Dec. '12 in the Parochial House at 9.00 pm

Praise and Thanks to all who were participants in last Sunday's ceremonies of enrolment for confirmation and first holy communion.

Unite For Life pro-life Vigil outside Dáil: This Tuesday 4th December there will be a 'Unite for Life' Vigil outside the Dáil at 4.30 pm. Please make every effort to attend. This cannot be stressed enough. It will most likely be the only opportunity we get to send a united message to the Government not to introduce abortion. The vigil will have a positive, clear message about safeguarding the lives of mothers and babies in pregnancy. Posters will be provided on the day. For any queries about the event, please telephone 087 2668702.

Youth 2000 Prayer Group (for 16– 35 year olds) on Friday 7th December in the Convent Building, Convent Lane, Mohill at 8 pm. Eucharistic Adoration, Music, Rosary, Scripture Readings with a cup of tea afterwards. A great chance for faith and friendship. For more details contact 086 8775036.

Christmas Flower Demonstration by 4get me not florists on this Friday 7th December in the Canon Donohoe Hall at 8 pm. Refreshments served. Prizes on the night.

Aughavas ICA Meeting on Wednesday 5th December at 7 pm followed by a workshop on Christmas decorations at 8 pm. Everybody welcome. Full particulars from Josephine Kenny on 087 7357053.

Aughavas Community Centre Meeting on Tuesday 4th December at 8 pm.

Annual Church Gate Collection for St. Vincent De Paul in Aughavas next Sunday 9th December 2012.

Carrigallen Gun Club are hosting Seamus O'Rourke's play "For Club and County" in the Cornmill Theatre in Carrigallen on Wed 5th Dec at 8.30pm. Admission 15 euro with spot prizes. Booking essential. Tel 0494339612.

Christmas Craft Fair on Sunday 9th December, shop @ P.O., Carrigallen from 12—4 pm. The 'Carrigallen Quilt' designed and made by Crafty Ladies will be raffled off as fundraiser for NW Hospice and ISPCA. Local children will also display their sewing projects.

Christmas Party Nite for all at The Screen Room, Cornmill Theatre, Carrigallen on Tuesday 4th Dec. Doors open at 7.30 pm. Showing on big screen 'The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel' Appetizers, cheeseboard, mulled wine (non alc) tea/coffee afterwards at the Coffee Dock. Price for all €7 p.p. Booking 087 7550199 or 087 1252213 or Facebook The Screen Room.

Offertory Collection: Aughavas €710.00

Cloone €777.00