

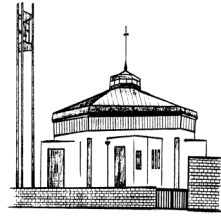
# Aughavas & Cloone Parishes

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## THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

**We welcome Fr. Seán Deegan** who will speak at all Masses this weekend about the Missionary work of St. Patrick's Missionary Society, better known as the Kiltegan Fathers. Today, there are 298 Kiltegan priests, as well as 46 young African and Brazilian men preparing for priesthood as members of St. Patrick's Missionary Society. The Mission Appeal which Fr. Seán will conduct will ask for your continued support for their various missionary works, through enrolling in Mission Circle and/or subscribing to "Africa" magazine.

### Masses:

**Aughavas:** Sat. 3/5/'14. 8.00 pm. John, Maggie & John Patrick Gallogly, Sonnaghbeg. A.

**Cloone:** Sun. 4/5/'14. 10.00 am. Norah & Charles O'Connor, Drumloughan & London. A.  
Teresa (Tess) Heeran, Adoon. A.

Sr. Marie Celine Keegan & DFM, Drumbore. A.

**Aughavas:** Sun. 4/5/'14. 11.30 am. Anne Delaney, Aughadruminchin. A.

Molly, Pee & Kevin McKiernan, Killafee. A.

**Cloone:** Tues. 6/5/'14. 10.00 am. Pat & Kate O'Donnell & DFM, Annaghbrenahan. A.

**Aughavas:** Thurs. 8/5/'14. 10.00 am.

**Aughavas:** Sat. 10/5/'14. 8.00 pm. Eamonn Brady, Coroneary. M.M.

**Cloone:** Sun. 11/5/'14. 10.00 am. James & Ellen Higgins, Drumadorn. A.

Rose & John Tiernan & DFM, Kiltyfea. A.

Harry McKeon & DFM, Cloone. A.

Pat, Peter & Katie McNamara, Corduff. A.

**Aughavas:** Sun. 11/5/'14. 11.30 am. **1st Holy Communion.**

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

**Aughavas:** Monday 7 pm to 8 pm.

**Cloone:** Tuesday 8pm to 9pm.

**First Holy Communion** will take place in Aughavas on next Sunday 11th May at 11.30 am and in Cloone on Sunday 18th May at 10.00 am.

**Longford County Choir** are visiting St. Mary's Church, Drumlish for a fundraiser concert - *Melodies of May* on this Sunday 4th May at 7 pm.

**The Irish Cancer Society** Annual Church Gate Collection will take place this week-end 3rd /4th May. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

**Cloone Agricultural Show** Annual Fundraising 25 Card Drive will be held in Fitzpatrick's "Ceili House" Mohill on Friday 9th May at 9 pm. Prizes are €100.00, €75.00 and €50.00. Spot prizes galore on the night. Tickets €2 or 3 for €5. Your support would be appreciated.

**Cloone Tidy Towns** are having a litter picking and clean up of the village and bog walk on next Friday 9th May at 7 pm. The Committee would appreciate volunteers for this, assembly point is the Community Centre.

**Aughavas ICA** Meeting in the Community Centre Aughavas on Wednesday 7th May at 7.30 pm followed by a demo' on creel & basket making by Niall Murphy. All welcome. Refreshments served.

**Cloone/Aughavas Community Playschool** are now taking bookings for September 2014 for children who are age 2 years and 10 months, on 1st September 2014. Places are provided under the **ECCE Scheme**. If your child is going to school in September 2015 and born between 2nd February 2010 and 30th June 2011, they are entitled to avail of the FREE Pre-school Year. For enquiries and/or bookings, contact Mary Moran (Playschool Leader) on 086 8382545. Cloone/Aughavas Community Playschool offers children the opportunity to learn through play in a safe, stimulating and educational environment.

**"Want to get players or family back home?"** Play your part—Get our people back home to Leitrim, Cavan, Roscommon and Longford. An event to create local employment to bring our people back home, at 8 pm, May 8th in the Longford Arms. Jobs on offer on the evening. See [www.leitrim.ie](http://www.leitrim.ie) or call 071 9650496.

## HOPE

**Hope** looks for the good in people instead of harping on the worst.

**Hope** opens doors where despair closes them.

**Hope** discovers what can be done instead of grumbling about what cannot.

**Hope** draws its power from a deep thrust in God and the basic goodness in humankind.

**Hope** lights a candle instead of "cursing the darkness".

**Hope** pushes ahead when it would be easy to quit.

**Hope** sets big goals and is not frustrated by repeated difficulties or setbacks.

**Hope** is a good loser because it has the divine assurance of final victory.

**Hope** puts up with modest gains, realising that the longest journey starts with the first step.

**Hope** regards problems, small and large, as opportunities.

**Hope** cherishes no illusions, nor does it yield to cynicism.

**Hope** accepts misunderstandings as a price for serving the greater good of others.

**Offertory Collection:** Aughavas € 605.00; Cloone € 570.00.