

CLONGUISH PARISH NEWSLETTER

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MASSES THIS WEEK

Wed. 9.00am Thurs. 9.00am Fri. 9.00am.

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEKEND

Vigil: *Maureen Moffitt. 10.30am May McGuinness / Patrick Donegan and deceased family members / Peter and Ellen Murphy.*

ANNIVERSARIES NEXT WEEKEND

Vigil: *Deceased members of the McGee family. 10.30am. Rudi De Vincenzo / Liz O'Brien.*

Last weekend Collection: €0.00. Thank you.

Next Weekend

Readers—Vigil: *Colleen McHale 10.30am. Patricia Keenan*
E.Ms. Vigil: *Anne Duke 10.30am. Liam Belton*

Feast Days

June 11th **St Barnabas (Apostle)**

A Jew, he was born in Cyprus. He is closely associated with St Paul.

June 13th **St Anthony of Padua.**

Although associated with Padua, Italy, he was born in Portugal in 1195. He entered the Franciscan order and because of illness he went to Italy and founded a small hermitage where he spent his time in prayer and reading the scriptures. Popular devotion has nominated him as finder of lost objects.

Cemetery Sunday

*A reminder that **Cemetery Sunday** will be celebrated on Sunday June 24th at 12.00 Noon. There **will** also be a **10.30am Mass** on that day.*

Readers Rota

The new Mass readers rota is now ready. Readers please call to the sacristy to collect their rota

A Divided Kingdom

A Kingdom that is divided within itself cannot stand.

I myself am a divided kingdom

I am divided within myself

The good that I want to do, I do not do;

The not so good that I want to avoid, I find myself doing.

I am like a field in which wheat and weed

are struggling for supremacy.

Who will save me from myself?

Who will keep my kingdom from falling down?

You, Lord, who overcame Satan,

Will heal the division within me,

And help me to take complete possession of my house. Then I shall be free, united and at peace.

Flor McCarthy, SDB

Parish Pastoral Council

The next meeting of the PPC will be on **Tuesday next June 12th** at 8.00pm.

World Meeting of Families- Wedding Anniversaries

Already a number of couples have indicated that 2018 is a significant wedding anniversary for them. A special celebration will take place at the **vigil Mass next Saturday June 16th at 7.00pm** If you intend to be present please text Fr McGovern at 086 3550875.

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The pilgrimage season is now open. The three-day pilgrimages start on **June 1st**. Advanced booking is important. **Call 071 9861518**

World Meeting of Families—Timetable

An opening ceremony will take place simultaneously across all 26 dioceses on the evening of Tuesday August 21st.

From August 22nd- 24th all events will be in the **R.D.S.** Tickets €38.

Sat. Aug. 25th Festival of Families- **Croke Park.**

Sunday 26th. Mass celebrated by Pope Francis in the **Phoenix Park.**

Anyone who registers for R.D.S. will automatically have admission to Croke Park and the Phoenix Park. (see **WMF website**)