

CLONGUISH PARISH NEWSLETTER

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MASSES THIS WEEK

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEKEND

ANNIVERSARIES NEXT WEEKEND

Last weekend Collection: € *Thank you.*

Next Weekend

Readers – Vigil:	10.30 am
E.Ms. - Vigil:	10.30 am

Feast Days

Nov.: 16th **St Margaret of Scotland** (1050-1093)

Margaret was not only queen but also mother. She and her husband Malcolm had six sons and two daughters. With her husband she still found the time to found several churches.

Nov.: 17th **St Elizabeth of Hungary** (1207-1231)

*After six years of marriage her husband died. Soon after she joined the **Secular Franciscan Order** spending the remainder of her life caring for the poor in a hospital she founded in honour of St Francis of Assisi.*

Nov.: 18th **Dedication of the churches of Peter & Paul**

Nov.: 21st **Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

*“Although it has no bases in history, it stresses an important truth about **Mary**: from the beginning of her life she was dedicated to God. She herself became a greater temple than any made by hands. God came to dwell in her in a marvelous manner and sanctified her for her unique role in God’s saving work. At the same time, the magnificence of **Mary** rebounds on us her children”*

November Prayer

Lord God,

Whose days are without end

And whose mercies beyond counting,

keep us mindful

That life is short and the moment of death unknown.

Let your spirit guide our days on earth

in the ways of holiness and justice,

That we may serve you

in union with the whole church,

sure in faith, strong in hope, perfect in love.

And when our earthly journey is ended,

lead us to rejoice into your kingdom,

where you live for ever and ever. **Amen**

Parish Calendar

The parish calendar for 2021 is on sale at the moment. **The price is €3.**

Please support.

St Vincent de Paul

Due to the Covid 19 restrictions St Vincent de Paul cannot hold collections in public. People can still donate by using the St Vincent de Paul envelope at the church doors. The funds raised will be spent in the community helping those who are in need of fuel and food over the Christmas period.

Confirmation 2021

The date has been set for the celebration of the sacrament of confirmation in **2021**, (all going well) **The date is Saturday May 1st.**

Remembrance Tree

The **Remembrance Tree** in the sanctuary contains the names of those who died in the parish during the last year. May they **Rest in Peace.**

Lists of the Dead

You are invited to place your **Lists of the Dead** in the box in the church sanctuary.

Covid 19 Support Line

ALONE is the name of a support line for older people who have concerns relating to the virus **Covid 19**. Professional staff are available to answer queries, and give advice and reassurance when necessary. This service is open 7 days a week, 8.00am to 8.00pm. Phone 0818222024.