

CLONGUISH PARISH NEWSLETTER

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MASSES THIS WEEK

Mon. 7.00pm, Tues 9.00am, Thurs 9.00am, Fri 7.00pm.

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEKEND

Sat. 5.45pm: *Michilin O'Murchu.*

Vigil 7.00pm: *Michael & Frances Quinn / Peter Clarke (jnr).*

10.30am: *Michael Donegan / Gerard McGrath / Margaret, Frank, Frankie & Paul Devine. Mon 7.00pm: Gerard Ross.*

Fri 7.00pm: *Leah Sheridan.*

ANNIVERSARIES NEXT WEEKEND

Vigil 7.00pm: *Nicola Murphy. 10.30am: No special intention.*

Last weekend Collection: €1310 *Thank you.*

On Line contributions

IBAN: IE34 AIBK 9321 4026 9364 22 (BIC: AIBKIE2D). *The Parish of Clonguish A/C is with the A I B bank, Longford.*

Next Weekend

Readers – Vigil: *Anne Marie Williams* 10.30am: *Anne O'Brien*
E.Ms. – Vigil: *Carmel O'Shea* 10.30 am: *Bernie Reilly*

Feast Days

Sept.23rd St Pius Pietrelcina (1887-1968) Padre Pio
He had the Stigmata, (the wounds of Christ) on his hands, feet and side.

Sept. 26th Sts Cosmas & Damien (fourth century)

Sept. 27th St Vincent de Paul (1580-1660)

Vincent organised the rich women of Paris to collect funds for his missionary projects, founded several hospitals, collected relief funds for the victims of war and ransomed over twelve hundred galley slaves from North Africa. His charitable work continues to this day, all over the world.

True Greatness

“At the end of life, we will not be judged by how many diplomas we have received, how much money we have made or by how many great things we have done. We will be judged by ‘I was hungry, and you gave me something to eat, I was naked and you clothed me, I was homeless and you took me in’ (Mother Teresa).

For Jesus, the measure of greatness is determined by our service and love. The more we are willing to serve and love, the more humble we become. For service, love and humility go hand in hand. Aim to be great that is motivated by humble service and love.

Allan Abadines

Church Concert

Ronan Tynan (tenor) plus the Annaduff Church choir with special guest Bill Lewis are performing in St Mary's Church, Carrick-on-Shannon on Thursday Oct 3rd at 8.00pm. Tickets €25.

Relics of St Bernadette of Lourdes

The relics of St Bernadette will visit St Mel's Cathedral from Friday 27th to Saturday 28th of September. This special event will provide an opportunity for people to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes.

Bus to Knock

Bus leaves Army Barracks at 9.30am on Sunday Sept 29th. Book a seat at 087 9016062.

Alzheimer Society

The Longford branch is holding their monthly meeting on Wed. Sept. 25th at 7.00pm in Earl St. Speaker is Teresa Keegan, Dementia Adviser, Longford.

The Samaritans

Their free to call Confidential Line number is 116 123. This is a twenty four service.