

CLONGUISH PARISH NEWSLETTER

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MASSES THIS WEEK

No morning Mass this week

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Vigil 7.00pm.: *Mary O'Malley / Brigid McGee.*

10.30am: *Ned Stokes & Biddy Ward.*

ANNIVERSARIES NEXT WEEKEND

Vigil 7.00pm: *Packie Prunty (months memory)*

10.30am: *Frank Byrne / Mary Prunty / Liam Quinn.*

Rest in Peace

*Our prayers are requested for the happy repose of the soul of **Ellie Farrell**, Carabeg, whose funeral was on **Thursday**. May she **Rest in Peace**.*

Last weekend Collection: €1290 *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 McCann* **10.30 am:** *Patricia O'Brien*

E.Ms. – Vigil: *Cathy Murphy* **10.30 am:** *Michelle Feeney*

Feast Days

May 31st **The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

*Today's feast recalls 'Blessed Virgin Mary, carrying her son within her' and visiting her cousin **Elizabeth** to offer charitable assistance and to proclaim the mercy of God the saviour.*

Priests Retreat

*The priests retreat is on this week. The venue is **Knock**. Should a priest be required call **Longford 043 3346465**.*

Trinity

Jesus is God's son; God shared our life on earth. Jesus teaches us to call God 'Father'. When Jesus ascended to God the Father, he sent the Holy Spirit, who is also the presence of God.

As the first Christians thought about all this, they concluded that although there was only one God, God was known to them in three persons – **Father, Son and Holy Spirit**. We call this the **Trinity**: God is three and God is one. God is a community of persons, but still the one God.

St Paul greets the Corinthians in these words

' May the grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all'

Stephen Cottrell

Wedding Bells

Congratulations and best wishes to **Gerard Moore**, Clonteagh and **Jessica Reilly**, Virginia, who were married in **St Matthews** church, Maghera, **Co Cavan** on Friday. We wish the newly weds every blessing for the times ahead.

Baptism

We welcomed into the Christian family **John Conor Quinn**, Cartrons, on Sunday. We pray God's blessing on the newly baptized & his family.

Rosary Rally – Knock

The **all Ireland** rosary rally is in Knock on Saturday **June 1st**. For further information and to book a seat on the bus call Ursula at **087 9016062**.

May Gala Concert

Longford Co Choir, **St Mel's Cathedral**, this evening (**Sunday**) 8.00pm. **Tickets €15** at the door.

The Samaritans

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

