

# CLONGUISH PARISH NEWSLETTER

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### MASSES THIS WEEK

**Mon.** 9.00am. **Tues.** 9.00am. **Wed.** 9.00am **Thurs.** 7.00pm. **Fri.** 10.30am.

**Sat.** 10.30am. (*All Souls Day*)

**Vigil.:** *Pat & Maura Cooney / Margaret & James Byrne.*

**10.30am.** *Nichola Murphy (Months Memory). John, Lena & Teresa Nolan / William Murphy & deceased family members / Tom Corcoran.*

### ANNIVERSARIES NEXT WEEKEND

**Vigil:** *Christine Hughes / George & Jennie McAvey / Margaret & Matthew O'Hara.*

**Last weekend Collection: €1140. Thank you.**

### Next Weekend

<b>Readers—Vigil:</b> <i>Anne McCann</i>	<b>10.30am:</b> <i>Patricia O'Brien</i>
<b>E.Ms. Vigil:</b> <i>Anne Duke</i>	<b>10.30am:</b> <i>Patricia Donegan</i>

### **Feast Days**

**Oct 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Ss Simon & Jude**

*They are two of the lesser known of the twelve apostles.*

**Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>**

**St Coleman**

*St Coleman lived in the sixth century and is associated with West Cork.*

**Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>**

**All Saints Day**

*Masses for the feast of All Saints: Vigil, Thursday 7.00pm: Friday 10.30am*

**Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed**

*Mass for All Souls' Day is at 10.30am on Saturday.*

### **First Friday**

*Friday next is the **First Friday**. The usual house calls will be done at the usual times.*

## **Diocesan Assembly**

A diocesan assembly of the Diocese of Ardagh & Clonmacnois will be held next year, May 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. Some 250 delegates, representing the parishes of the diocese, will meet to plan a direction for the diocese for the coming years. The theme is **“Shaping the future with hope”**

After an initial meeting last September, the delegates (**Clonguish has 5**) are now engaged in a listening and consultation process in their local parishes and communities to identify what the priority issues for the Assembly should be. The results of this process will be summarized and presented at the next meeting in **November. (23/24<sup>th</sup>)** There a decision will be taken on what priority issues will be brought to the **Assembly in May 2020.**

Interested individuals and groups, part of the church or not are invited to forward submissions. This is an opportunity to have your views heard as to what are the most important issues facing the church and the diocese in the coming years.

**Submissions should be in writing, (short) and handed into the Parochial House before November 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

### **Parish Pastoral Council**

A meeting of the PPC will be held in Parochial House on Tuesday next at 8.00pm.

### **Alzheimer Society**

Longford **Alzheimer Café** will meet on Wednesday next at 7.00pm. Venue is a room at the back of the Longford Credit Union building. The guest speaker is **Jenevieve Butler**, Audiologist. Topic: “Untreated hearing loss and dementia”. 043 3347221 or 043 3348402.

### **Blood Transfusion Service**

The opportunity to give blood will arise at the **Longford Arms Hotel** on **Tues. Wed. & Thurs** this week from **4.30pm- 8.00pm.**

### **First Cardiac Responders**

Church gate collection **this** weekend. Please support.

### **Fr Patrick Payton**

Bus to the **Fr Patrick Payton Centre** on Mon. Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> will leave the cathedral car park at 9.00am. To book a seat call 086 0405621.

