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PARISH MASS AND PRAYER SCHEDULE

ST MARY'S CHURCH, CLONMANY

- Today, Sunday—*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament* from 3-6pm
- Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri 9:30am (No Mass on Wed)
- Saturday—Vigil Mass 6:30pm
- Sunday: 11:30am Mass

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH, URRIS

- Today, Sunday, *Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament* 3-6pm. Also Friday 3-6pm
- Sunday: 10am Mass

ORATORY OF THE ASSUMPTION, BALLYLIFFIN

- Today Sunday—*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament* 3—6pm. Also Tuesday 7:30—8:30pm

ORATORY, ST COLUMBILLE VILLAGE, CLEAGH

- Today, Sunday—Holy Hour 4-5pm
- Wednesday: *Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament* 3pm-4pm

MASS INTENTION THIS WEEKEND

6:30pm Vigil Mass—Noel O'Callaghan, Bandon, Co Cork.
10am Mass—Kathleen Duffy, Glasgow—1st Anniversary
11:30am Mass—Jim Harte, Carndonagh—1st Anniversary

ANNIVERSARIES

Mary Haughey (Ne Doherty), Killybegs & Claggin.
Seamus Doherty (Tim), Tullagh & Daniel Friel, Dunaff.

SYMPATHY

We offer sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Patrick Michael Gallen, Main Street, Clonmany, who died recently. May he rest in peace.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK

Monday: St Louis of France & St Joseph Calasanz.
Wednesday: St Monica. Thursday: St Augustine.
Friday: The Passion of John the Baptist.
Saturday: St Fiacre.

BAPTISMS

We welcome into God's family through holy baptism Layla Rose McGowan, Urrismanagh; Annie McLaughlin, Beltra; Holly Bridget Porter Drumfries; Lily Lynch, Dublin; Roisin Hannah Barrett, Devon; Charlie Noone-O'Connor, Cloontagh and Cillian O'Connor, Cloontagh.

COLLECTION

Parish collection last weekend amounted to €3,345.
Thank you for your generosity.

PARISH DRAW

Promoters are asked to make returns this week for the draw on Friday evening.

NOWDOC 6pm Friday—8am Monday Call 0818400911.



Clonmany Parish Newsletter

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DAY OF PRAYER FOR GAZA SUNDAY 24TH AUGUST.

The Irish Bishops are inviting all dioceses in Ireland to join in a Day of Prayer and Reflection for Gaza on Sunday 24th August.



- *"Christ is not absent from Gaza. He is there, crucified in the wounded, buried under rubble and yet present in every act of mercy, every candle in the darkness, every hand extended to the suffering."*

Please join in 24 hours of prayer and reflection in your parishes and homes on Sunday, 24 August. Light a candle in your family home or local parish church; attend Mass, spend time before the Blessed Sacrament; pray the Rosary; make some small personal penance or sacrifice, and on that day let the light of hope radiate out from the island of Ireland for peace, for Gaza and for the future of its people."

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in St Mary's Church, St Michael's Church and the Oratory, Ballyliffin today, Sunday from 3-6pm. This is an opportunity for everyone to come and pray for Peace in Gaza. Please God our prayers will help the situation there.

HOLY HOUR

All are welcome to join us in prayer for Peace in Gaza in the Oratory, St Columbcille Village, Cleagh, today, Sunday from 4—5pm.

CLONMANY ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Annual SVP Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Sat 13th Sept. Return fare is €55 each for bus, breakfast at 9.30am and dinner at 7pm, both in the Central Hotel, Donegal Town. Anyone interested call 0862388689. As the new school year approaches if there are any families in need of financial support with books, uniforms, shoes etc. from primary school through to third level please contact 0862388789 or any member of St Vincent De Paul in the strictest of confidence.



BISHOP DONAL COMING TO CLONMANY PARISH

Fr John McDevitt will be inducted as Parish Priest of Clonmany at the 6:30 Mass on Saturday 30th August.

Bishop Donal McKeown will be the chief celebrant at that Mass.

There will be a cup of tea in the hall afterwards with Bishop Donal and Fr John. Everyone is welcome.

AFTER-MASS GATHERING

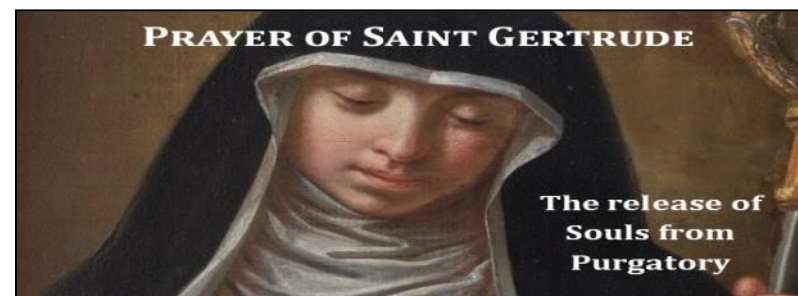
There is a cup of tea after 11.30am Mass today, Sunday in the hall. Everyone is welcome.

DOWN SYNDROME COLLECTION

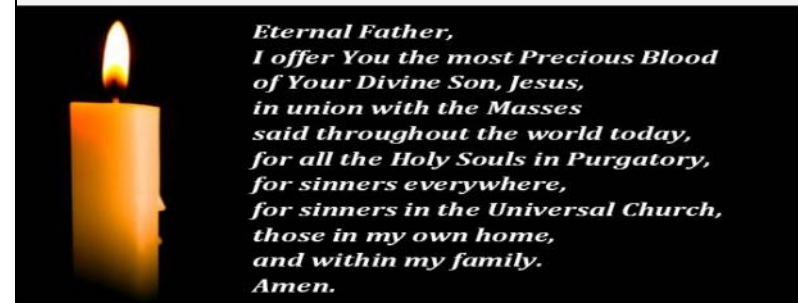
Will be taken up next weekend 30/31st August after all masses.

CLONMANY SHAMROCKS CLUB

Lotto Numbers 18/08/25 were 11,14,18,26—no jackpot winner
Our next draw—25/08/25 and the Jackpot will be €2100.
€20 Prizes went to: Rose Kelly, Dunaff; Nora Harkin, Glassmul-lan, Mary McDaid, Gaddyduff. Aug 200 Club Draw 25th Aug.
Results: 17th: I.W.L Cup Final: Clonmany Shamrocks 2 Cockhill Celtic 1. Congrats to Caoimhe & the girls on retaining the Cup
Fixtures: Sunday 24th August: Clubman Shirts Cup: Clonmany Shamrocks v Cockhill Celtic at 2pm.
Sunday 8th September: Clubman Shirts Cup: Buncrana Hearts v Clonmany Shamrocks at 2pm.
Doagh Famine Village car park at 10 am—all welcome.



The "Prayer for the Release of Souls from Purgatory", is attributed to Saint Gertrude (1256 - 1302). She testifies that this prayer, and its promise, was revealed to her during a mystical encounter with the Risen Christ — in which He promised the release souls from Purgatory every time it is reverently prayed.



This is Religion



If this is your experience of Christian Faith ... someone has sold you a pup!

RELIGION

- A thing to do
- A box-ticking exercise
- A DEAD end

Events like Baptism, Confirmation and first Holy Communion WITH NO FOLLOW-UP is Religion. It means nothing to believers.

This is FAITH



FAITH

- A life to live
- The risk of love
- A LIFE end

Saint John says it is falling in love with the ONE who Loves us first. It means everything to believers.