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PARISH MASS AND PRAYER SCHEDULE

ST MARY'S CHURCH, CLONMANY

- Monday—Thursday: 9:30am
- Friday: 7:30pm - Confessions from 7pm
- Saturday: Vigil 6:30pm—Confessions from 6pm
- Sunday: 11:30am Mass

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH, URRIS

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

ORATORY OF THE ASSUMPTION, BALLYLIFFIN

- Tuesday: *Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7:30—8:30pm*

ST MARY'S CHURCH, CLONMANY

- Wednesday: *Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament 2:30pm—3:30pm*

DERRY DIOCESAN SOCIETY

9:30am Mass in St Mary's Church on Wednesday 24th September will be offered for all deceased members of the Derry Diocesan Society. May they rest in peace.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

6:30pm Vigil Mass—Michael Toland, Annaugh.
11:30am Mass—Stephen McConalogue, Chapel Glen.

ANNIVERSARIES

Gerard Grant, Pollan Green; Patrick Diver, Mindoran and Bernard O'Brien, Leenan.

COLLECTION

Parish collection last weekend amounted to €2,325. Thank you for your generosity.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK

Tuesday: St Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio) & St Eunan.
Thursday: St Finbarr.
Friday: St Cosmas and Damian.
Saturday: St Vincent de Paul

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

We pray that our seminarians and the men discerning a vocation to the diocesan priesthood will be found worthy of the great things entrusted to them by the Lord.

NOWDOC 6pm Friday—8am Monday Call 0818400911.

PLEASE NOTE

Change of Venue and time for Adoration on Wednesday 2:30-3:30pm in the room at the back of the Altar in St Mary's.



Clonmany Parish Newsletter

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CURRENT VACANCY- Derry Diocesan Trust

Housekeeper - 15 hours per week in Clonmany Parish—(5 hours Mon. Tues & Wed) For application packs please contact: Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP, tel 028 7126 2302 or email: recruitment@derrydiocese.org. Completed applications must be returned to Personnel, Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP or via email to recruitment@derrydiocese.org no later than 12 noon on Monday 29 September 2025. Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer. We welcome applications from all men and women and from members of all communities.

CLOONTAGH NATIONAL SCHOOL

Cleaner required for Cloontagh N.S., 10 hours per week for a sick leave term. If interested, please email the school (cloontaghns@hotmail.com) or contact 087 954 6029 for more details

INISHOWEN MEDICAL

Will host vaccine clinics in Clonmany Community Centre on Wednesday 1st October from 9.30-1pm and in our clinic in Buncrana on Wednesday 15th October from 9.30-1pm. No appointment required. COVID-19, Influenza for both adults and children and pneumococcal vaccines for eligible patients will be available.

ORGAN DONATION WEEK – 22—29 September:

A time dedicated to remembering and giving thanks to people who have enabled the "Gift of Life" to others by donating organs to those in need of life changing transplants. This week is an opportunity to have a conversation with your family, share your thoughts and decisions. You Could Be A Life Saver—contact www.organdonationni.info

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

The Donegal Hospice Annual Remembrance Service will be held on Sunday 28th September at 3pm in Conwal & Leck Church of Ireland, Letterkenny. F92 AH28. A warm welcome is extended to all families who have suffered the loss of loved ones either in the care of the staff at Donegal Hospice, in Community Care Nursing Homes, at home in the care of the Palliative Care Home care team and for those who passed away in Letterkenny University Hospital.

COULD YOU HELP SHARE TRUE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS? Each year, volunteers in parishes across the north of Ireland set up a small stall after Masses to sell **Trócaire's Gifts of Change** — meaningful gifts that make a real difference to families living in poverty around the world. **We provide everything you need** including training and support. All we ask is a little time and a big heart. Last Christmas, 50 parishes took part — and we'd love to grow that number even more this year! If you would like to find out more about how you can help, please email Mark at mark.mcmahon@trocaire.org or call 028 9080 8030.

CLONMANY TUG OF WAR CLUB

AGM is on Friday 26th Sept in the clubhouse at 9pm.

Line Dancing with Ursula in the Market House every Tuesday from 7:30pm—8:30pm – so get those dancing shoes on! Clonmany Community Centre are hosting a 4-week daytime DIY course on Thursday afternoons, starting October 2nd, from 2pm to 3:30pm. It's tailored for beginners & participants will learn the basics of home maintenance, from using tools safely, to tackling everyday fixes around the house & much more. The course costs €50, with all tea & coffee provided & spaces can be booked at www.bookwhen.com/clonmanycentre

Clonmany Community Centre are hosting a 6-week 'Introduction to Woodturning' course on Thursday evenings, starting October 9th, from 7pm—9pm. It's beginner-friendly & participants will learn how to use the lathe, how to shape, turn & finish wood and create their own beautifully crafted pieces. The course costs €100, with all materials & tools provided & spaces can be booked at www.bookwhen.com/clonmanycentre

CLONMANY SHAMROCKS CLUB

Lotto Numbers 16/09/25 were 07,09,25,26—no jackpot winner Our next draw will be on 23/09/25 and the Jackpot will be €2200. €20 Prizes went to: Aaron Porter, Leenan; Conor Bradley, Crossconnell; Grace Kelly & Peanut, Mindoran. Tickets available for collection return in local shops https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Clonmany_Shamrocks_FC/lotto Results: Sunday 14th September: Premier Div: Cockhill Celtic 2 Clonmany Shamrocks 1 Div 2: Clonmany Res 6 Rashenny Res 1 Fixtures: Sunday 21st Div 2: Dunree Res v Clonmany Res @ 11am. Our September 200 Club Draw will take place on Monday 29th Sept. All promoters make their returns during the week please.

SLIABH SNEACHT CENTRE

Drumfries Walking Group will be meeting on Friday 26th September at Dunree beach car park at 10am—all welcome. Chair Yoga (New Block) starting Monday the 22nd September 11:15am – 12:15pm, to book contact Marie 0872962646. Healthy Cooking beginning Wednesday September 24th 7-9pm for 6 weeks at a cost of €60 to book contact 0749361742. Health & Wellbeing Beauty Course beginning September 25th 7-9pm for 8 weeks at a cost of €80—to book contact 0749361742 Christmas Craft Fair in our centre on Saturday the 22nd November from 2-5pm. Tables are €15 to book contact 0749361742.

BLOOD DONATION CLINIC

Carndonagh Community School—Wed 24th Sept 2.30-5pm & 7-9.30pm. Thurs 25th Sept 2.30pm-6.30pm. We welcome new donors aged 18+ Book an appointment on 1800 731 137

Season of Creation 2025

'Peace with Creation' is the theme of this year's Season of Creation which runs from the first of September to the fourth of October, the feast of St Francis of Assisi. It is inspired by the passage from Isaiah: 'My people will abide in a peaceful habitation, in secure dwellings, and in quiet resting places.' (Is. 32: 14 – 18) The season is a celebration of the joy of Creation as well as an effort to raise awareness of the connection between caring for Creation and fostering peace. 'We now know that caring for Creation, living in peace with Creation, greatly pleases God who made it all out of love.' (Season of Creation 2025; catholicbishop.ie)



FUND-RAISING

CLONMANY PARISH—Monthly Draw

Total Monthly Prizes—€2,350

1ST PRIZE	€1,000	6TH PRIZE	€150
2ND PRIZE	€150	7TH PRIZE	€100
3RD PRIZE	€150	8TH PRIZE	€100
4TH PRIZE	€150	9TH PRIZE	€100
5TH PRIZE	€150	10TH PRIZE	€100

Promoters Prizes 10 x €20.00

Our first draw of our new year will take place this Friday 26th Sept and we have increased our prizes. The draw and our parish envelopes are our main source of income for the running costs of the parish and we are very grateful for your support. Anyone who would like to join our draw or become a promoter please contact the parish office on 0749376114 or clonmanypaish1@outlook.com

If you are not already in the draw and would like to join please contact a promoter - the following is a list of our promoters:

Noreen McLaughlin & Danny McGonigle, Cloontagh
Frances Doherty, Gortfad; Breege McEleney, Minaduff
Caroline McDaid, Mindoran; Charlie McGroarty, Rashenny
Maureen & Madeline Grant, Tornabratley

Crea Harkin, Christine Kemmy & Ann Marie Doogan, Ballyliffin
Mary McGeoghegan, Isle of Doagh; Margaret McLaughlin, Clara
Michelle Robison, Beltra; Bredgeen Harkin, Magheranaul
Fearghal Harkin, Annaugh; Carmel Doherty, Cloughfin;
Mary Harkin, Boharna; Eileen Doherty, Ballyhallion
Helen Toland, Gaddyduff; Bridie McDaid, Glebe
Lucy McCarron & Sarah Doherty, Cleagh
Kathleen Doherty, Parish Office; Edward McLaughlin, Tullagh
Elizabeth Doherty & Liam Doherty, Rostown.
Nora Ivers, Kathleen Ivers, Alice McLaughlin & Bernard Friel,
Dunaff; Anthony Doherty, Claggin
Daniel Doherty, Urrismanagh; Marie Porter, Leenan