

Monaghan/Cavan EmploAbility Service is a **FREE** employment service to assist people with a disability or long term medical condition to secure and maintain a job in the open labour market. The service provides a range of supports to people who face barriers gaining employment and also advises employers on the employment incentives available to them from the Department of Employment Affairs and Social Protection. If you would like more information please contact Ethna McCabe or Anne McClatchey on 047 72424 or 087 3306461.

Introductory Training in Renewable Energy Technologies.

With the current global environmental issues, Ireland needs to progress to Renewable Energy Technologies. Monaghan Integrated Development is planning a training programme aimed at community groups, enterprises & individuals with an interest in developing their awareness and understanding of the different types of Renewable Energy Technologies that are available. As part of the course, participants will be given information to assess if these technologies would be economically and environmentally beneficial to their community and to develop a Renewable Energy Technology Plan which may be used to seek funding from LEADER or other funders. The course will be delivered over 9 weeks, commencing Wednesday 25th September. Application forms are available to download at www.midl.ie and the closing date is 20/09/2019. For further information phone Patricia on 042 9749500.

40 Days for Life. Precious Life have launched 40 days of prayer and fasting, from Sunday 8th September until Thursday 17th October 2019, to prevent abortion law being introduced in Northern Ireland. For more information phone 028 9027 8484.

St. Joseph's Hall Bingo on Friday 20th September at 9.00pm. Jackpots €5,000 & €10,000. (subject to no winner on Friday 13th September)

Aghadrumsee GFC Lotto: No winner (8, 11, 17, 31) Jackpot £8,950.

Clones GAA: No winner (6, 16, 20, 28) Jackpot €8,000.

Currin GAA: No winner (5, 25, 26, 30) Jackpot €5,100.

The Care of Creation

“And God saw that it was good” (Gen 1:25).

God’s gaze, at the beginning of the Bible, rests lovingly on his creation. From habitable land to life-giving waters, from fruit-bearing trees to animals that share our common home, everything is dear in the eyes of God, who offers creation to men and women as a precious gift to be preserved.

Let us take up opportunities to respond to the cry of the poor and of our earth! Each Christian man and woman, every member of the human family, can act as a thin yet unique and indispensable thread in weaving a *network of life* that embraces everyone. May we feel challenged to assume, with prayer and commitment, our responsibility for the care of creation. May God, “the lover of life” (Wis 11:26), grant us the courage to do good without waiting for someone else to begin, or until it is too late.

Pope Francis



Parish of Clones

Sacred Heart, Clones
St Alphonsus, Conons
St Macartan’s, Aghadrumsee

**Parish Office: 9.30am—1.00pm and
2.00pm—4.00pm (Monday—Friday)**

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**15th September
2019**

**Twenty-fourth
Week
in
Ordinary
Time**

Masses and Intentions for the Week

		Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Vigil	7.30pm	Jimmy & Emer McGuinness, Clones; Shane O’Neill, Abbey Street; Gertrude Short, Newtownbutler Road; Eddie & Eileen Graham, Oakview; Jimmy & Patricia O’Reilly, Carn
Sun 15th	9.00am	People of the Parish
	10.00am	Phil & Bella Scott & Keith Lambe, Toneydrumallard
	11.30am	_____
Mon 16th	10.00am	
Tue 17th	10.00am	
Wed 18th	10.00am	
Thurs 19th	10.00am	
Fri 20th	10.00am	Eileen & Hugh Tunney, Clones
	7.00pm	John, Mary & Jenny Maguire, Toneydrumallard
Sat 21st	10.00am	St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist Harry & Mary Lynch, Churchill

		Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Vigil	7.30pm	Geraldine Duffy & Aidan Murphy, Newbliss; Joe & Emily McPhillips, Millbrook; Lorcan Kelly, McCurtain Street & Harry, Bridie & Noel Cleary, Fairview
Sun 22nd	10.00am	
	11.30am	People of the Parish

**The priest on duty can be contacted through the Parish Office.
Parish Mobile (Emergency Number): 085 817 6203.**

Weekend Masses

Saturday 7.30pm Sacred Heart, Clones
Sunday 9.00am St. Alphonsus, Connon, 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays
(St. Mary's, Ture, on 2nd & 4th Sundays and Church Holidays)
10.00am St. Macartan's, Aghadrumsee
11.30am Sacred Heart, Clones

Masses during the Week: Monday—Saturday in Sacred Heart Church at 10.00am
(When there is a funeral in Clones, the Mass will be at **11.00am**)

Baptisms are celebrated in Sacred Heart Church on the second Saturday of each month at 4.00pm and in St. Macartan's Church on the third Sunday at 1.00pm.

Anointing of the Sick: Priests are available to celebrate the Sacrament with anyone who is seriously ill. Contact the Parish Office or ring the Emergency Mobile.

Confessions: Saturday, after 10.00am Mass.

Adoration: Wednesday, 10.30am - 10.00pm, in Sacred Heart Church.
Friday, 9.30am - 6.30pm, in St. Macartan's Church.

SACRAMENTS AND MINISTRIES

Christening: We welcome into our Christian faith community
Aria Connolly

Deaths: We pray for
Helen Cunningham, Legar Crescent
Noel Monaghan, London
Geraldine Cunningham, Carlingford
Jimmy McCabe, Donagh

St. Macartan's:
Reader 22nd September John Maguire
Minister of the Eucharist 22nd September Ella Crudden

Sacred Heart Church 21th September & 22nd September:

Readers: Vigil Mary Nicholl
11.30am Rachael McGuigan

Ministers of the Eucharist
Vigil Mary Courtney, Deirdre Kelly, Elaine Kelly
11.30am Teresa McMahon, Jenny McQuillan, Pauline Quigley

Altar Society Eileen Maguire, Elizabeth McDonald, Ann Farnan

Schools in Clones Parish

St Comgall's 55329 **St Tiarnach's** 51398 **St Macartan's** 677 51100
Gael Scoil Eois 52162 **Largy College** 51132

COMMUNITY NEWS, ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Bus to Knock - (Padro Pio Day) on Sunday 22nd September from the Diamond, Clones, at 8.30am. €20 per person. For further details please phone John Conlon on 086 8095662 or 047 51826.

Clones ICA have moved to the Community Centre, Roslea Road, Clones. Meeting on Monday 16th September at 8.00pm will include a talk on Anxiety and Stress Management by Martina Crudden. Please bring completed forms from last week. Supper will be served; new members welcome.

Mindfulness Sessions in Connon Hall for six weeks commencing Tuesday 24th September and running until Tuesday 29th October from 8.00pm until 9.00pm. Facilitator will be Geraldine Morgan.

Eucharistic Healing Mass celebrated by Fr. Eamon Kelly (Donegal) in Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cullies, Cavan, on Monday 23rd September at 7.30pm. Confessions at 6.30pm. Phone 087 2549960 for further details.

Clogher PTAA Diocesan Mass on Sunday 22nd September at 6.00pm in St. Joseph's Church, Park Street, Monaghan. Celebrant is Bishop Larry Duffy. Refreshments afterwards in St. Joseph's Pastoral Centre; everyone welcome.

The Irish Cancer Society is looking for volunteers to drive patients to and from their chemotherapy treatments in all public hospitals nationwide. Volunteers will need their own car but all expenses will be paid. If you have 2 free days a month (Monday – Friday) and an active email address they would love to hear from you. Phone Laura on 01 2310 594, email transport@irishcancer.ie or go to www.cancer.ie for more information.

Westcare Homecare Ltd. Recruitment Event on Thursday 19th September at their office in Unit 2, Castlemeadow Court, Tirkeenan, Monaghan. They are looking for part time carers from Monaghan/Clones to work in the local community. Phone Mary McMahon 047 63011 or 087 1897722 or email marymcmahon@westcarehomecare.ie for further information.

Pro-Life Healing Mass organised by Family & Life in St. Aidan's Church, Butlersbridge, Cavan, on Thursday 19th September at 7.30pm. Celebrant is Fr. Sean Maguire. Veneration of St. Pio's glove afterwards. All welcome.

Learn to use the internet. Beginners' six week course in EU House, Monaghan, commencing Tuesday 17th September from 7.00pm until 9.00pm. Phone Ceinwen on 047 71914 or 087 1967888 to book a place.