

**Sacred Heart Church, Wednesday 24th & Thursday 25th December:**  
**Readers** Vigil Mary Kirke 11.30am Josephine O'Neill  
**Eucharistic Ministers** Vigil Pauline Strain, Gerard Leonard & Amy O'Harte  
11.30am Teresa McMahon & Danny Crudden  
**Sacred Heart Church, Saturday 27th December & Sunday 28th December:**  
**Readers** Vigil Marie McPhillips 11.30am Rachael McGuigan  
**Eucharistic Ministers** Vigil Pat Leahy & Rosemary McMahon  
11.30am Claire Sheils & Pauline Quigley

**St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee, Christmas Vigil & Christmas Day:**  
**Readers** 7.00pm Yvonne Crudden 10.00am John Maguire  
**Eucharistic Ministers** 7.00pm Mary Maguire & Patricia Bannon  
10.00am Samantha Boyle & Anna Grew  
**St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee, Sunday 28th December:**  
**Reader** Michael Grew **Eucharistic Minister** Máire Cullinan

**St Alphonsus, Connons, Thursday 25th December:**  
**Reader** Nuala McBride **Eucharistic Minister** Nuala Conlan  
**Baptism:** We welcome into our Christian faith community Julia Maria Reilly  
**Death:** We pray for Sarah Halpenny, Bengerstown, Navan & Australia

**Confession, the Sacrament of God's Mercy,**  
will be celebrated on Sunday 21st December 2025  
St. Tierney's Church, Roslea, at 6.00pm  
Sacred Heart Church, Clones, at 7.00pm

**Clones Parish Bingo** No Bingo on 26th December, back on Friday 2nd January 2026.  
**Pope John Paul II Award Group** thank everyone who donated presents for local children in need in their Christmas Gift Appeal for SVP. There was a great response to the invitation to contribute. As a parish we thank our JPPII group for their work on this and also for putting together ten fabulous hampers for local families in need.  
**Voices of Hope Choir Concert** recording is available to view on our Parish website.  
**Jubilee Year of Hope** – Bishop Larry Duffy will officially close the Jubilee Year of Hope in St Macartan's Cathedral on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> December 2025 at 12.30pm. All welcome.



We wish all who live in the Parish of Clones and our friends who live elsewhere, a very Happy Christmas. We thank you for your continued support and express our gratitude to all those who help with the running of the Parish through the various ministries and others who give freely of their time to help out.

**Fr Jim & Fr Gabriel**

**Fr Gabriel Dolan 048 677 51374**



# Parish of Clones

Sacred Heart, Clones  
St Alphonsus, Connons  
St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee

**Parish Office**  
9.30am—4.30pm, Monday—Thursday  
9.30am—1.00pm, Friday  
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21st  
December  
2025

Fourth Week  
of  
Advent

| Masses and Intentions for the Week |   |  |
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| Fourth Sunday of Advent            |   |  |
| Sat 20th                           | 7.30pm                                  | May Mulligan, O'Neill Park (1st Anniversary);<br>Liam Slowey, Carraveetra;<br>Phylliss, Barney & Mary MacNeill, Newtownbutler Road;<br>Charles Breen, Oakview & Hugh Reavey, Clones;<br>Simon, Eileen & Edward Rafferty, Clonmackin &<br>Maguire and Rafferty Families |
| Sun 21st                           | 11.00am<br>10.00am<br>11.30am<br>7.00pm | Mass in St Alphonsus, Connons, with Children's Nativity<br>St Macartan's GAC Deceased Members<br>People of the Parish<br>Penance Service in Sacred Heart Church  |
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| Mon 22nd                           |   | No Mass  |
| Tues 23rd                          | 10.00am                                 | Josie Morris, Beechgrove   |
| Wed 24th                           |   | Season of Christmas  |
|                                    |   | The Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ  |
|                                    | 7.00pm                                  | (St Macartan's, A'd'see) Mass of Midnight  |
|                                    | 8.00pm                                  | (Sacred Heart, Clones) Mass of Midnight  |
| Thurs 25th                         | 9.00am                                  | (St. Alphonsus, Connons) Mass of Dawn  |
|                                    | 10.00am                                 | (St. Macartan's, A'd'see) Mass of Dawn   |
|                                    | 11.30am                                 | (Sacred Heart, Clones) Mass during the Day   |
| Fri 26th                           |   | No Lay Led Liturgy   |
| *****                              |   |  |
|                                    |   | The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph  |
| Sat 27th                           | 7.30pm                                  | Bernard & Brigid O'Reilly, Tiernahinch;<br>Anna & Benny McDermott, Cherry Park;<br>Michael, Yvonne & Liam McKernan, Clones;<br>Michael, Mary & Patrick Rooney, O'Neill Park  |
| Sun 28th                           | 10.00am<br>11.30am                      | Sarah Halpenny, Bengerstown, Navan<br>People of the Parish   |

*We remember with them, their deceased relatives,  
ancestors and friends.*