



We have been called by God to be the Church,
 the Body of Christ in this world.
 We are not a building, but a people,
 gathered and grounded in
 the Word of God, the love of Christ,
 and the unity of the Holy Spirit.
 During Lent we have been preparing
 for the celebration of Easter
 by works of love and self-sacrifice.
 Today, in union with the whole Church
 we remember Christ's entry into Jerusalem
 to complete his saving work as our Messiah:
 to suffer, to die and to rise again.
 We, too, enter this week of holiness
 and welcome Christ as our Saviour.



PARISH OF CLONES

CLONES - CONNONS- AGHADRUMSEE

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29th March 2026

Holy Week of Lent

		Masses and Intentions for the Week
		Holy Week - Palm Sunday of The Lord's Passion
Sat 28th	7.30pm	Jimmy Reilly, Tiernahinch (Month's Memory); John & Helen Wilson, Belfast; Packie Quigley, Newtownbutler Road; Eamonn McQuillan, Legar Hill, Rosaleen McCabe, Clones & Scotstown and Eddie McGuirk, Fermanagh Street
Sun 29th	9.00am	John Connolly, Cloniston (First Anniversary); Austin, Angela & James Johnston, Kiltober
	10.00am	Tommy Beggan, Toneydrumallard; Jimmy Mohan, Clonmackin;
	11.30am	Bernard, Susanna & Phyllis Beggan, Follum Big P J Donohoe, Kilrooskey (Month's Memory) *****
Mon 30th		No Mass
Tues 31st	7.30am	Tuesday of Holy Week
Wed 1st April		No Mass
Thurs 2nd		Holy Thursday
	11.00am	Chrism Mass - (St Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan)
	7.30pm	Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, followed by Adoration in Sacred Heart, Clones
Fri 3rd		Good Friday (Day of Fast & Abstinence)
	3.00pm	Way of the Cross, led by JPPII Group, St Macartan's, A'd'see *****
Sat 4th	7.30pm	Easter Vigil Sacred Heart, Clones
Sun 5th	9.00am	Easter Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection Michael, Philomena & Vera Connolly, Coleman Island; Patrick, Susan & Raymond McAdam, Annaghmore; Bernie Woods, NTB & Tony & Maria McAdam, Enniskillen; Pat McBride & McBride Family, Gortnacarrow
	10.00am	Alice, Terry & Paul Grew, Carnmore & Patricia Carey & Gabrielle Bannon
	11.30am	Betty O'Neill, Tiernahinch (Month's Memory); John Lynch, Cavan & Church Hill (1st Anniversary); Sean Connolly, Fermanagh Street; Michael McDonnell, McCurtain Street; Raphael & Conor McKenna, Newtownbutler Road

Sacred Heart Church, Clones, Thursday 2nd April, Holy Thursday:

Reader 7.30pm Patricia O'Connor
Eucharistic Ministers Anthony Keogh, Bridget Bray

Sacred Heart Church, Clones, Saturday 4th April, Holy Saturday:

Readers 7.30pm 1st & Resp: Michael Killen
3rd & Resp: Ann O'Harte
7th & Resp: Mary Kirke
Epistle & Resp: Marie McPhillips
Eucharistic Ministers Vigil Dympna Colgan, Gerard Leonard

Sacred Heart Church, Clones, Sunday 5th April, Easter Sunday:

Readers: 11.30am 1st & Resp: Nuala McGonigle
2nd Reading: Joe Kirke
Eucharistic Ministers Amy O'Harte, Rita Cooke

Collectors April: Vigil Liam Smyth, Joe Kirke, Joanne Reihill, Jim Reilly
11.30am Leah Brogan, Lucy McDermott, Jim Flanagan, Joe Monaghan
Altar Society April: Eileen Maguire, Dympna Colgan, Niamh Behan, Suzie Green

St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee, Friday 3rd April, Good Friday:

Readers John Paul II Group - Way of the Cross
Eucharistic Ministers Liam Maxwell, Keri Crudden

St Macartan's, Aghadrumsee, Sunday 5th April, Easter Sunday:

Readers 1st & Resp: Majella McCabe 2nd Reading: Veronica Heaney
Eucharistic Minister Donna Kearns

Collectors April: Ciaran Carey, Patrick McCaffrey
Altar Society April: Anna Kearns, Ann Kearns, Sadhbh Nic Dhomnaill

St Alphonsus, Connors, Sunday 5th April, Easter Sunday:

Readers Leeanne Slowey
Eucharistic Minister Eileen Gavin

Collectors April: Tracey McCaffrey, Paul Connolly
Altar Society April: Linda Goggins, Kathleen Maguire

Deaths: We pray for Gerry Gavin, Clonagore
Kathleen Clarke, Belfast

Pope's Intention for April

For priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

Clones Parish Draw Launch

We are excited to launch our Parish Draw on Easter Sunday, 5th April, in each of our Churches. We ask you to support the draw to help us fund ongoing and upcoming projects in the Parish.

The draw will run from June 2026 until March 2027 and have €1400 in prizes each month for £10/€10. Monthly draw prizes are 1x €500, 2x €200, 4x €100. There will also be a promoters prize each month of €100 for those with 10 or more members.

Phase one of the work to upgrade St Joseph's Hall, is now complete!

After many months of hard work, we are delighted now to be able to host a coffee morning after Easter Sunday Mass in both St. Macartan's, Aghadrumsee and St. Joseph's Hall, Clones.

Members of the Pastoral Team and Finance Committee will be in both halls to welcome you and answer any questions you have!

Aghadrumsee GAC together with Pope John Paul II Award Group will hold an Easter Egg Hunt after Easter Sunday Mass in St Macartan's Church, Aghadrumsee.

Clones Parish Bingo There will be **no bingo** on Good Friday, 3rd April.

Lenten Discussions around Social Justice and Human Rights. Thanks to all who participated over the past 3 weeks in the discussions facilitated by Fr Gabriel. The easy atmosphere led to interesting and thought provoking conversations.

Thank you to the children and staff in St Tiarnach's PS for raising €400 for Fr Gabriel's School St Francis of Assisi, Mombasa, Kenya!

Clones ICA Meeting will take place on Monday afternoon at 2.30pm. Craft session will take place, making hearts in honour of loved ones passed. Tea will be served. New people welcome.

Trocaire Lenten Collection will be taken up at Mass on Holy Thursday. Children are invited to bring the family Trocaire envelope or box forward at the offertory.

Confession, the Sacrament of God's Mercy, will be celebrated on Sunday 29th March in St. Tierney's Church, Roslea, at 6.00pm & Sacred Heart Church, Clones, at 7.00pm

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