

Parish of Cloonclare-Killasnett (Manorhamilton-Glencar-Mullies)

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Sunday 17th March 2024 – Fifth Sunday of Lent. Feast Day of St. Patrick.

Blessing of Graves 2024

1. **July 6th after 6.00 pm Mass - Killenora, Diffreen & Killasnett.**
2. **July 7th after 10.00 am Mass - Mullies & Kilroosk.**
3. **July 28th after 11.30 am Mass - St. Clare's & Cloonclare.**

St. Clare's Church, Manorhamilton

1. Masses: Mass Mon. Tue. Wed. Thur.& Fri. 10.00 am Sat 6.00 pm Sun. 11.30 am.

2. Mass Intentions:

Sat. 16th March at 6.00 pm: John & Teresa McSharry, McDermott Tce.
Michael Clancy Snr. Larkfield Road.

Sun.17th at 11.30 am: Tommy Bradley, Brackerybeg.
Noel Rooney, Glenwood & Mary O'Shaughnessy.
Paddy & Katie O'Hara & sons Frank & Gerard, Castle Street.
Kevin, Maisie & Aidan Martin.

Tue. 19th at 10.00 am: Special Intention.

Sat. 23rd at 6.00 pm: People of the Parish.

Su. 24th at 11.30 am: Patrick & Margaret Fox, Deerpark.
Patrick Hugh & Kathleen Keaveney & grandchild Niall.
Seamus Kelly & his brother Peter, Church Lane.

3. Holy Hour: Tuesday 8.00 pm to 9.00 pm.

St. Osnat's Church Glencar

1. Masses: Sun. 10.15 am Fri. 7.00 pm

2. Mass Intentions:

Sun. 17th March at 10.15 am: Terry Joe Rooney, Drumahon.

Fri. 22nd at 7.00 pm: Special Intention.

Sun. 24th at 10.15 am: People of the Parish.

3. Holy Hour: Monday 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm

Church of The Annunciation Mullies

1. Masses: Sun. 9.00 am Tue. 7.00 pm

2. Mass Intentions:

Sun. 17th March at 9.00 am: Josie Rooney, Cornagilla.

Tue. 18th at 7.00 pm: Special Intention.

Sun. 24th at 9.00 am: Special Intention

3. Holy Hour: Thursday 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

4. Largy N.S. Parents Association are holding a cake sale on Easter Sunday after 9.00 am Mass. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Offertory Collections

St. Clare's Church Manorhamilton: 3rd & 10th March -€2784.66

St. Osnat's Church Glencar: 10th March - €317.60

Church of the Annunciation Mullies: 10th March - €226.95

Thought for the week

"May your neighbours respect you, troubles neglect you, the angels protect you and heaven accept you "

Parish Notices

All Masses are **streamed live** from St. Clare's Church on **Church tv.ie – Leitrim – Manorhamilton.**

Weekly Newsletter can be viewed on Churchtv.ie- Leitrim-Manorhamilton & on the Website.

Offertory Collectors for month of March in St. Clare's Church

Sat. 6.00 pm Mass: Gorretti & Gerard Keaney & George Hewitt.

Sun. 11.30 am: John O'Dell, Phil McGowan, Gerry Hickey, Seamus O'Donnell.

Sunday 17th March: St Patrick's Day:

Dóchas linn Naomh Pádraig:

Dóchas linn Naomh Pádraig, aspal mór na nÉireann

Ainm oirdhearc gléigeal, solas mór an tsaol é

D'fhill le soiscéal ghrá dúinn ainneoin blianta i ngeibheann

Grá mór Mhac na Páirte d'fhuascail cách ón daorbhroid.

Hail Glorious Saint Patrick

Hail, glorious St. Patrick, dear Saint of our Isle,

On us thy poor children bestow a sweet smile;

And now thou art high in thy mansions above,

On Erin's green valleys look down in thy love.

Sléibhte, gleannta, maighe's bailte mór na hÉireann:

Ghlan sé iad go deo dúinn, mile glóir nár naomh dhill.

Ever bless and defend the sweet land of our birth,

Where the shamrock still blooms as when thou

were on earth

And our hearts shall yet burn, wherever we roam,

For God and Saint Patrick and our native home.

Iarrimid ort, a Phádraig, guí orainn na Gaela,

Dia linn lá 'gus oíche 's Pádraig aspal Éireann.

St Patrick's Day Collection: *"Some give by going, others go by giving"* the collection taken up for St Patrick's Day goes towards the Missions. Your generosity to this collection will help: *St Paul's Missionary Society, a number of whom who here in the Kilmore diocese, *Support Irish Missionaries working in African Countries, *Provide support to the Irish Emigrant Chaplaincy abroad. (see noticeboard in Church). Thanking you as always for your generosity.

St Patrick's Day Parade: 2024 will take place on this Sunday 17th March: Assemble at the Fire Station at 5pm to proceed around the town.

Palm (Passion) Sunday: Next Sunday 24th March is Palm Sunday, which begins our celebration of Holy Week, the most solemn week in the Church's year – a week where people all over the world will be celebrating how Christ show his love for us, through his suffering, death and Resurrection. Palms will be blessed at all the Masses, reminding us how Jesus entered Jerusalem, as a humble King and a great Messiah and was greeted joyfully by his disciples. Please bring your own palms for blessing and some will also be provided on a table in front of the altar which can be collected after Mass.

Ceremonies for Holy Week 2024: Parish of Cloonclare/Killasnett:

- Mass on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in St Clare's at 10am
- **Tuesday 26th March: Confessions for Easter.** Penitential Service in St Clare's at 8pm.
- **Holy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper:** Parish celebration at 8pm in St Clare's
- **Good Friday: Celebration of the Lord's Passion** at 3pm in St Clare's, Glencar 5pm, Mullies 7pm.
- **Prayer around the Cross** with Taize Music at 9pm.
- **Holy Saturday:** Office of Readings and Morning Prayer at 10am, followed by the Rosary.
- **Easter Vigil Mass** at 9pm. Blessing of the fire outside at 8.45pm.
- **Easter Sunday Morning:** Mass in Mullies at 9am, Glencar at 10.15am, St Clare's at 11.30am.

Floral Demonstration: In aid of Manorhamilton Community Tennis Club Saturday 23rd March @ 8pm Bee Park Community Centre with the ever popular Timothy Elliott. Light Refreshments

Leitrim GAA Health and Well-being Committee are hosting a free half-day suicide prevention training, Saturday 23rd March, in the Bee Park Community Centre, 10 – 2pm. To register contact: Gerry Creamer 0863855090.

Let us all say: Enough.....Stop the war! As the Catholic Bishops of Ireland, we echo Pope Francis' heartfelt appeal for a complete ceasefire in Gaza – 'Enough, please! Let us all say it: enough...Stop!' Stop the War! In saying this, we join with many in our parishes, together with all people of goodwill, in demanding an immediate end to the daily horror of killing, wounding and destruction of property and infrastructure there.....

Fundraiser to support two local Irish dancers representing the North-West in the CLRG WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP in Scotland this March. Fundraiser will take place on the 16th March in the Bee Park Community Centre at 7:30pm. Tickets are €15. Booking is recommended call 0871179653

Volunteers needed Would you be willing to provide companionship, visit or make friendly calls to Older People once a week for an hour or two? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested please sign up here: <https://alone.ie/volunteers/Sinead.Flanagan@alone.ie> on 0861921505.

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