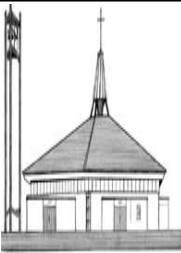


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21st April 2024

4th Sunday of Easter Vocations Sunday

Pray for the happy repose of the soul of Anne (Anna Mae) Murtagh (nee Keegan), Walkinstown, Dublin and formerly of Rossan whose funeral Mass took place in Greenhills, Dublin on Friday last followed with burial in Aughavas cemetery and Des Foy, brother of the late Jim Foy, Riverstown, Cloone who died in Kenton, Harrow, England on 15th April 2024.

Masses:

Aughavas: Sat. 20th April. 8.00 pm. John Blessing, Acres and his parents Patrick Joseph & Maud and Peter & Mary Kate Gilogley, Annamonan.

Cloone: Sun. 21st April. 10.00 am. James Eddie Glancy, Sonnaghmore.
Con Mahon and his parents Brigid & Con, Gortnaragh.
James & Jane McGill and their son James, Corduff, Cloone.

Aughavas: Sun. 21st April. 11.30 am. Owen McCaffrey, Coroneary.

Cloone: Mon. 22nd April. 10.00 am. Pro. Populo.

Rossan: Tues. 23rd April. 8.00 pm.

Aughavas: Wed. 24th April. 10.00 am.

Cloone: Thurs. 25th April. 10.00 am. Pat Frank Ryan, Rocullion.

Cloone: Fri. 26th April. 10.00 am.

Aughavas: Sat. 27th April. 8.00 pm. Jim McGovern, Camber. M. M.

Cloone: Sun. 28th April. 10.00 am. Michael Murphy, Annamacooleen. M. M.

Aughavas: Sun. 28th April. 11.30 am. Molly, Peter and Kevin McKiernan & D.F.M., Killafee.

Eucharistic Adoration: **Aughavas** - Monday's from 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm.
Cloone - Tuesday's from 8.00 pm to 10.00 pm.



Baptism: Alannah Sinéad McGovern, Coroneary, Aughavas was welcomed into the Christian Community in Aughavas on Saturday 13th April last.

The Youth 2000 Connaught retreat takes place in Calasancius College, Oranmore, Co. Galway on the weekend of May 10th to 12th, consisting of workshops, talks, testimonies, music, prayer and time to relax & meet with others. Come along for the weekend or pop in & say hello! Donation only, 16-35yrs. To book a place or for more information, visit www.youth2000.ie or email connaught@youth2000.ie.

RTE to broadcast Mass for World Day of Prayer for Vocations: Mass for Vocations Sunday to be broadcast at 11.00am on RTE One Television today Sunday 21st April from the RTE studios in Donnybrook, Dublin. The celebrant and homilist will be Bishop Alphonsus

Cullinan, Bishop of Waterford and Lismore and Chair of the Bishops' Council for Vocations. The Mass is being coordinated by Father Willie Purcell, National Coordinator for Diocesan Vocations with Musical Director, Sister Moira Bergin RSM. The Choir is from the National Centre for Liturgy with some friends.

March for Life: May 6th 2024 at 2 pm in Dublin. A massive turnout at the March for Life on May 6th will send a very strong message to voters about the importance of voting pro-life on Election Day. Tragically, all the indications suggest the soon to be published abortion figures for 2023 will exceed 10,000. Please make an extra special effort to attend this year's march which is timed perfectly to coincide with the upcoming elections. For more information about March for Life 2024 visit www.marchforlife.ie

Cloone Community Centre in Tesco Ireland Fund: Cloone Community Centre is included in the current round of Tesco Ireland Community Fund in the Carrick-On-Shannon store. There are about 7 weeks remaining in the campaign so if you're shopping in the Carrick store over the next few weeks please remember to take a couple of blue tokens and vote by placing them into the voting box at the checkouts.

Moyné Community School 50th Anniversary celebrations invitation to all past members of the school community to celebrate a special Mass in the school gym on Friday 3rd May at 7.30pm followed by refreshments'.

The Leitrim Further Education and Training Centre are hosting an Open Event on Tuesday, May 14th from 5pm to 7pm and Wednesday, May 15th from 10am to 1pm in the Market Yard, Carrick on Shannon. Come along to see our centre and our free, part-time courses. You will get to meet the tutors, see demonstrations and hear from students about their experience. An event not to be missed!

The Sweet Spirit Country Gospel Singers will perform some great songs in Aughwillan Church (N41CX27) on Friday evening 26th April at 8pm. A great night is assured with the performance of some favourites such as 'Hard times come again no more', 'O' Happy Day', 'Lean on me', 'I will follow him', 'Jerusalem', 'Higher & Higher', and many more well known pieces. Admission €10 for a great night's entertainment.

The Resurrection

Unless you recognise the presence of Mystery, night advances, confusion abounds and - when it touches your freedom - rebellion erupts, or disappointment is so overwhelming that you'll wait for nothing more and live desiring nothing more. From the mystery of Christ's resurrection a new light floods the world, fighting for territory, inch by inch, pushing back the night.

Vocations Sunday—from Pope Francis

To young people, and especially those who feel distant or uncertain about the Church, I want to say this: Let Jesus draw you to himself; bring him your important questions by reading the Gospels; let him challenge you by his presence, which always provokes in us a healthy crisis. More than anyone else, Jesus respects our freedom. He does not impose, but proposes. Make room for him and you will find the way to happiness by following him. And, should he ask it of you, by giving yourself completely to him.

Offertory Collection: (13th/14th April) **Aughavas** € 650.00; (14th April) **Cloone** € 415.00.