

Quin Clooney Maghera Parish Notes

May 23rd/24th 2026 - Pentecost Sunday

Fr Tom Ryan, Co Parish Priest and Vicar Forane Abbey Cluster 087-2349816
 Priest on Duty for Abbey Pastoral Area 065-6869098
 Parish Secretary, 065-6825612 www.quinclooneymagheraparish.ie
 parishqcm@gmail.com Broadcasting on FM 107.9 m

Date	Mass	Anniversaries	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	Tellers
Sat. May 23rd	Clooney 7.00pm	Valentine Clune, Clooney	Frances Earls	Frances Earls	
Sun. May 24th	Maghera 9.30am	Special Intentions	Mary Whelan	Anne Daffy	
Sun. May 24th	Quin 11am	Special Intentions	Connie Corry & Kay O'Shaughnessy	Pauline Hogan	Kay O'Shaughnessy & Mary O'Halloran
Sat. May 30th	Clooney 7.00pm	Michael Collins, Corbally	Pauline Conheady	Nuala Daffy	
Sun. May 31st	Maghera 9.30am	Special Intentions	Marie Heffernan	Marie Heffernan	
Sun. May 31st	Quin 11am	Mary and John Joe Clune, Newline Rd., Liz Canny, Quin (3rd anniv.)	Deirdre Meaney & Jimmy Maher	Mary Liddy	Colette Colleran & Marion Reynolds

Daily Mass this week: Tuesday to Friday at 10am in St Mary's Church, Quin. Funeral mass on Monday at 11am.

RIP: Clare McDermott Ardee Co. Louth and late of Quin. Funeral Mass this Monday at 11am in St Mary's Church Quin, followed by cremation in Shannon Crematorium.

Weekly Contributions: Offertory collection €720. The Parish Finance Committee thank you for your weekly contributions for the upkeep of the Parish. Contributions can also be left in the parish office or alternatively you can use the Donate Button on the Killaloe Diocese website. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

Children's Liturgy / Play & Pray: Sunday, May 24th: Rosie O'Sullivan & Dawn Reynolds
 Sunday, May 31st: Hannah McInerney & Clare O'Halloran

Quin Summer Camp 2026: 2 camps to choose from - July 13th-17th and August 10th-14th. 10am to 3pm daily. Ages Preschool - 13yrs - Boys & Girls- Fun with Art, Crafts, Dance, Musical Theatre, Drama & Sports. Contact Theresa for info / bookings at quinsummercamp@gmail.com

Quin Clooney Maghera Citizens Social Summer Outing will take place on Wednesday, June 10th, bus leaving Quin Church Gate at 9.30am Sharp. Picking up at Clooney Church at 9.45am, returning to Quin at 6pm approx. Fee €20.00 per person. Please book your seat by calling or texting with your name(s) and your pick-up point to Fionnuala on 087 626 1681 or Kay on 087 219 6141 before Friday June 5th. Come along and catching up with our good friends & we welcome new guests from our community

Safeguarding: May is Safeguarding month in the Diocese of Killaloe. Safeguarding seeks to be proactive, ensuring safe environments for all our ministries and covers both children and vulnerable adults. Education and training are key in keeping safeguarding message clear and not allowing complacency. We hold regular information sessions for all parish volunteers and Priests ministering to children and adults. Visit www.killaloe-diocese.ie/safeguarding to find out more.

Pilgrimages:

Knock Shrine: Our Diocesan pilgrimage will be on Sunday 5th July.

Lough Derg: The 3 day pilgrimage season opens on Friday May 29th to 13th August.

Our Diocesan Pilgrimage will take place from Bank holiday Monday 3rd August to Wednesday 5th August. For both pilgrimages a bus will operate. More details later.

Lourdes: Our Diocesan Autumn Pilgrimage will take place from Monday 28th September to Saturday 3rd October. To reserve a seat contact joewalstours.ie

Congratulations to those Who Received Sacraments: A word of Congratulations to the students of second and sixth classes in our parish who received The Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation in recent days. They are very important moments in the lives of these young people who prepared for the sacraments and ceremonies very well. We thank them, their teachers in particular and their parents/guardians for the manner in which they prepared for the Sacramental Days and the liturgies they participated in. The Sacraments are sacred moments and are an invitation to continue joining in Sunday Mass and in the life of the Christian Community in our parish. A word of appreciation also to all involved in music and singing on these days of celebration and to our school staff and sacristans who make valuable contributions to these occasions.

Ordination to the Priesthood: On Sunday next at 3pm in the Friary Ennis Br Ian Cunningham OFM from Ennis, son of Caroline & Denis will be ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Fintan for service in the Franciscan Province of Ireland. Please keep Ian in your prayers this week as he makes final preparations for his Ordination and all who are discerning a call to Priesthood or Religious Life. All are welcome to the Ordination.

Congratulations to this week's **Split the Pot winner**, M.B. O'Halloran who wins €67. The next draw takes place on Tuesday, May 26th. Envelopes for the Split the Pot can be filled in at Gala, The Abbey Tavern, The Village Inn, Abbey Express Laundry, Quin Post Office, and A Taste of Quin. "Be in to win".

Thought for the week:

Arriving home in Heaven will make the sometimes difficult journey worth it all