

St. Augustine's Church, Clontuskert

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7th May 2017

4th Sunday of Easter

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Masses

11am Sunday 7th

May First Communion. Mass is being offered for them and their families & people of parish.

10am Monday 8th & Tuesday 9th May.

10am Wednesday 10th **May**

Michael, Mary Linda Ward, Jamie Ward & William Corcoran, William Ward & Martin Corcoran. Mary Ward, Noreen Ward & Brigid Ward.

9am Thursday 11th

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No Mass in Clontuskert Church on Friday 12th & Saturday 13th May.

10am Sunday 14th

May

Mary Naughton.

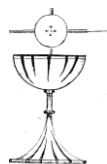
Matt & Mary Jennings.

Mass will be offered by Fr. Christy O'Byrne if well enough.

Please remember in your prayers Fr. Dan O'Donovan R.I.P.

Readers: Sunday 14th: Liam Howley.

Minister of the Eucharist: Sunday 14th: Seamus Callaghan.



Our six First Communicants are:

Ava & Lydia Whyte, Aoife McDonagh, Katelyn Culleton, Harry Campbell & Euan Kelly.

Heartiest congratulations and every best wish to each and every one.

Money that will be banked for last Sunday: Offertory €399; Easter €285; Holy Places €141; Trocaire €966.

May Devotions every day during the month in Clonfert. Please try to make one visit there each week of the month.

Over the past week there has been a collection of paintings on display in the Library in Ballinasloe. It will continue for another week. One of the Artists is John Turley who has seven works numbers 39 to 45 and John has given me what I think is the best one of the lot and they are all very good. It would be well worth your while to pay a visit to the library to see the whole display which goes on for all of next week.

Kiltormer GAA Lotto –Jackpot €8,600. Numbers Drawn 6,7,28,30. No Winner. Lucky Dips: Anne & Pascal Claffey, Frankie Hopkins, David Lyons, Gerry Gately, Stephen Cormican. House Prize: Brian McManus. Seller's Prize: Rose Muldoon. Jackpot next week €8,700. Venue: The Beautiful Bird.

Congratulations to Kate Kelly and her Ardscoil Mhuire team mates who won the Clonfert Diocese Public Speaking Competition with their topic “If we do not teach our children to follow Christ the world will teach them not to.” Also to Martina Spain who mentored the St Raphael's Loughrea team.

WMOF 2018: (World Meeting of Families 2018): Volunteers required!! Every parish will be involved in organising and participating in events at local and national level in preparation for WMOF2018. We want to make this a special event in our Diocese and use it as an opportunity to foster leadership of lay people in each parish. Training will be provided. No matter how small or limited your time please think about getting involved. We need your help. For more information contact your Priest or Diocesan Co-Ordinator @ 0838791745.

Learning for Life Series – Free Event: Information Day on free course available locally. Drop in to the Shearwater Hotel, Ballinasloe on Wednesday 17th May between 10am and 1pm. Anything from Cookery, Commerce, Craft, Construction, Computer Skills. Bring a friend. No booking needed. 091 844335.

Laurecetown Community Hall Classes Update: HIP HOP DANCING Class resumes on Monday 8th May for seven week block. Suitable for all pre-school and national school aged children. Phone 087 7646530.

Laurecetown Community Development hopes to revive the Parish Day Out Tour in mid-July. Please contact 087 7646530 before 12th May. All older adults and all tour suggestions are very welcome

Ballinasloe Flower & Garden Club: Flower Arranging Demonstration on Wednesday 10th May at 8pm in Gullane's Hotel.

Vacant Property – Have you a residential property that has been vacant for at least a year and requires repairs to bring it up to standard for renting? Further information is available from the Housing Unit, Galway County Council, Prospect Hill, Galway. Telephone 091 509003.