

St. Augustine's Church, Clontuskert

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4th March 2018

Third Sunday of Lent

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Masses

10am Sunday 4th **March** Paddy & Kitty Quinn.
Lizzy Williams & her daughter Mary Foley.

10am Sunday 11th " Bernard Naughton.

Readers: Sunday 11th: Regina Byrnes/Sarah Lyons.

Minister of the Eucharist: Sunday 11th: Frances Turley.

Servers: Sunday 11th: Amy, Mariam & Kara.

Money banked this week: World Meeting of Families €168; Lent €98;
Christmas Day €24; Offertory €231

Money counters for the month of March: Pakie Callaghan, Adeline Finneran
and Mary Howley.

Christening of Adrian Reimann on Monday at 7pm. We welcome him into the
Christian Community.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with prayers from 10am to 10.30am every
Monday. All welcome.

"**As the list for readers of the Word at Sunday Mass**, is being revised, anyone
who would like to read at Mass please give your name to Mary Callaghan or
contact her on 0860724271. New voices will be most welcome."

Please be as generous as you possibly can be to the Trocaire Lenten Collection
to help relieve hunger in parts of the Third World.

Progressive 25 card game in Clontuskert National School on Thursday 8th
March at 8.45pm. All welcome!

Please look in at old people and the not so old especially those living alone
particularly during this cold spell. Do not answer your door unless you can
recognize whoever is there.

Progressive 25 in Ballinasloe Golf Club every Tuesday at 9pm. All welcome.
Kiltormer GAA Lotto –Jackpot €4,500. Numbers Drawn 6,10,18,28. No Winner.
Lucky Dips: Jimmy Donnellan, Pat Kenny, Alfie Kenny, Margaret Bugler, Michael
Stapleton. House Prize: Diarmuid Claffey. Seller's Prize: Pdraig Finnerty.
Jackpot next week €4,600. Venue: Pardy's.

People wishing to book Masses or Christenings or any celebration can do so in
the Sacristy after 10 am Mass each Sunday. The Parish Secretary will be
available. Phone 087 6305804 or you can email: clarecurley@eircom.net.

Spiritual Transformation - Operation Transformation for the Soul The
Operation Transformation programme on television is very successful in how it
inspires people of all ages to live healthy lives. Fr Seán Maguire, Kilmore
Diocese, has developed an Operation Transformation for the Soul, which caters
for the holistic well-being of the person. For more information, please log into
the website www.spiritualtransformation.ie.

Free course vacancies: The National Learning Network, Athlone provide a range
of specialized training programmes (vocational / rehabilitation) and support
services for people with an illness or disability, jobseekers, unemployed etc.
Your existing benefits are retained. Contact Liz 0906479293 / 0876051513
'MOTHERS PRAYERS' ANNUAL WEEKEND IN KNOCK For mothers who wish to
come together to pray for their children and grandchildren, bringing them to
Jesus who loves them so much and can change things that we cannot change.
W/E 9th to 11th March, 2018. For information please phone 087 6184110 Email:
ireland@gmail.com

There will be a Pro-Life March in Dublin on Saturday, 10 March. Begins at
Parnell Square at 2.00pm and continues down O'Connell Street, crossing the
Liffey and onto Merrion Square. The Life Institute is the main organiser but all
Pro-life groups are supporting it. If there is sufficient interest, we will organise
a bus to bring people to Dublin. Please contact the Presbytery in Loughrea (091
841 212) or Ballinasloe (090 964 3916) to book a place.

World Meeting of Families 2018 Dublin 21-26 August. For more information
visit www.worldmeeting2018.ie / info@worldmeeting2018.ie

Midland Warmer Homes are funded through the Sustainable Energy Authority
of Ireland (SEAI) and run the Warmer Homes Scheme (which is **FREE** to
individuals who meet the criteria. For more information or an application form,
contact us on 090-6488292 or info@midlandwarmerhomes.ie or complete the
online enquiry form on www.midlandwarmerhomes.ie.

Family Prayer

*We pray for our children wherever they may be asking Jesus, Mary and Joseph
to watch over and guard them throughout their lives and that the faith we have
passed on to them may sustain them through all that life will put before them.
Amen.*
A Prayer for Children from The Family Book of Prayers

