

## Mass Times

# ENNIS PARISH NEWSLETTER

Cathedral-[www.ennisparish.com/webcam](http://www.ennisparish.com/webcam)

Radio link:106.4fm

Monday to Friday 7.40am, 11am & 7.30pm

Saturday 11am & Vigil 6.30pm

Sunday 8am, 9.30am & 11.30am

St. Joseph's-[www.ennisparish.com/our-parish/st-josephs-church-webcam](http://www.ennisparish.com/our-parish/st-josephs-church-webcam)

Monday to Friday 10.30am

Saturday 10.30am & Vigil 7pm

Sunday 10am & 11.45am

Friary-[www.ennisparish.com/our-parish/franciscan-friary-webcam/](http://www.ennisparish.com/our-parish/franciscan-friary-webcam/)

Monday to Saturday 10am

Vigil Mass Saturday 7.30pm

Sunday 10.30am

Christ the King Oratory Cloughleigh

Monday to Friday 9.30am

Sunday 11am

Ennis Hospital Sunday 8.45am

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Cathedral & Friary

Cathedral: Monday to Friday 7pm to 7.25pm

Saturday after the Vigil Mass

Friary: Tuesday to Saturday 11-12 noon

Baptisms

Can be booked through the Parish Office.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place

Monday to Friday in the Cathedral from 5pm until 7pm

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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 3rd July, 2022

## Connection....A need to feel Connected.

There is a rota in place where we take turns to write the front page of the weekly Newsletter. It is usually a reflection on the story of the Gospel of that week.

Some weeks you can write a thousand words or more on the Gospel story and some weeks you struggle to put into words your own perception of the Gospel.

**Then we wonder what is it that we are looking for in order to write the front page????**

It is a connection. A connection between your own thoughts and the writing of the Gospel each week. This is so important, as it is vital to feel a connection between ourselves and God, between ourselves and our weekly Mass and most importantly between ourselves and other people.

We are connected to our families. This provides us with our roots and spreads out to include a huge amount of people in our immediate and distant families.

We are connected to other important aspect of everyday life..... internet connection, gas or electric connection, phone and social media connection. Connecting with others is more important than you might think. Social connection can lower anxiety and

depression, help us regulate our emotions, lead to higher self-esteem and empathy, and actually improve our immune systems. By neglecting our need to connect, we put our health at risk.

We sometimes neglect or are too busy to remember the most important connection. Our connection with God as He too is vital to our spiritual and emotional needs. So today as you leave Mass say "Thank You God and I am here and I will do my very best to make a connection with you each day.....if only to say "Hello".



The definition of Connection in the dictionary is:

***a relationship in which a person or thing is linked or associated with something else.***

Priest on Duty: Fr. Tom Ryan

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## Cathedral

### Remembered in Masses this Week:

**Sat: 6.30pm:** John Malone, Clare View, Ballybeg.  
Mary & Michael Doherty, Castlewood Park.  
Angela Ball (nee Derwin), Hermitage. **1st Anniv.**  
**Sun 3rd 8am:** John & Margaret Murphy, Tulla.  
**9.30am:** Paddy Singleton, Hermitage.  
**11.30am:** James Hegarty, Moorhaun House, Fountain.  
Martin Connolly, Victoria Court, Lahinch Rd. **1st Anniv.**  
Paddy Naughton, Clare Road.  
John & Bridie Murray, Mullagh.  
Rose O'Reilly, Avondale, Kilrush Rd.  
**Mon: 7.40am:** Foley & Brodie Families.  
Kitty Killeen, Miltown Malbay.  
**11am:** Patrick, Elizabeth, Michael & John O'Rourke,  
Whitegate.  
**7.30pm:** Baby Mollie Rose O'Connell, Kilnamona.  
**Matt Talbot Prayer Society.**  
**Tues: 7.40am** Book of Intentions.  
**11am:** No intention booked.  
**7.30pm:** Stephen (Broddy), Kathleen & deceased  
McCarthy & Fagan Families, Considine Tce.  
**Wed 7.40am:** No intention booked.  
**11am:** No intention booked.  
**7.30pm:** Martin & Kitty Killeen, Miltown Malbay.  
**Thurs 7.40am:** No intention booked.  
**11am:** Damien Higgins, Drumbiggle.  
**7.30pm:** Mary Henry & Eamon Smith, Cavan.  
Ellen, Peter & Flanagan Family, Tuam.  
Baby Dylan Fox Tierney, Clancy Park & Toonagh.  
**Fri 7.40am:** Mass for the People.  
**11am:** No intention booked.  
**12 noon:** Mass - Brothers of Charity.  
**7.30pm:** Donal **1st Anniv.** & Essie Kenny, Hermitage.  
Pat Sullivan, Waterpark Court, Drumbiggle MM.  
Angela Murray nee O'Loughlin, Dalcassian Park. MM  
**Sat: 11am:** Mary McInerney, Dalcassian Park.  
Michael Kelly, Dalcassian Park;  
George Dinan, Hermitage.  
**6.30pm:** Isolda Marshall, Redan House,  
Clonroadmore. **1st Anniv.**  
James Ruane, Considine Rd.  
Peggy Cox, Dalcassian Park.  
**Sun 10th 8am:** No intention booked.  
**9.30am:** Frank & Tess Glynn, Francis St.  
Tommy Mahony, Tobertaoscaín.  
**11.30am:** Michael & Mary Daly, Lifford, Gort Rd.  
George Gallery, Rockmount.  
Noreen Murphy, Kilrush Rd.

## Confession Times

For the months of July and August  
the Sacrament will be available in  
Ennis Parish.

### Cathedral

Monday-Friday 7pm-7.25pm  
Saturday after the Vigil Mass at  
6.30pm

### Friary

Tuesday to Saturday 11am-  
12noon

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



Monday to Friday 5pm to  
7pm in the Cathedral.

## Hand of Friendship



So many of us remember the  
building of the Berlin Wall that  
some few years ago divided  
that great city and caused  
dreadful hardship to so many.  
What a lot of misery and  
heartbreak could have been  
avoided if only a bridge of love  
has been built instead!

It's the same with all of us. We  
put up walls to separate us from  
others in all sorts of ways when  
we should be building bridges  
of understanding.

Let each of us resolve, with  
God's help, to extend such a  
bridge, a hand of friendship,  
towards friends, colleagues and  
strangers whenever we can.



## St. Joseph's



### Remembered in Masses this Week:

**Sat 7pm:** Frank O'Gorman, Marian Ave.  
**Sun 3rd 10am:** John, Nora & Eleanor O'Connor,  
Clarecastle.  
Marlene Hanrahan, Pine Grove.  
**11.45am:** Buddy Brown, Corrovorrin Crescent.  
Eileen & Kevin Kelly, McHugh Villas & U.K.  
**Mon 10.30am:** No intention booked.  
**Tues 10.30am:** No intention booked.  
**Wed 10.30am:** Agnes & Gerry O'Dwyer, Gort Rd.  
**Thu 10.30am:** No intention booked.  
**Fri 10.30am:** Mary & Patricia Quinn, Inagh.  
**Sat 10.30am:** No intention booked.  
**7pm:** Jim Lordan, St. Senan's Rd.  
Mary Cahill, Shannon Pk.  
**Sun 10th 10am:** No intention booked.  
**11.45am:** Martin Dormer, The Lane, Gort Rd. **1st  
Anniv**

A pair of sunglasses was found in the church  
after Mass on Sunday; the owner can claim them  
in the sacristy.

**Clare C.O.P.D Ireland Group** have moved to the  
Maria Assumpta Hall. Meetings on Wednesday at  
12.15pm. Exercise trainer James Ferns. All persons  
with respiratory problems welcome.

### Sick and Housebound

Fr. Tom will visit those in his care on Thursday &  
Friday of this week.

### Diocesan Priests' Retreat

Priests' from our Diocese will go on retreat this  
Sunday Evening in Esker Retreat House, Athenry.  
Please pray for our priests in these days of prayer and  
renewal.

This will be the last priests' retreat to be held in Esker  
before it closes in November.

### Talk to us walk with us

Samaritans Ennis and Clare Branch. Now that  
the pandemic restrictions have lifted, our  
volunteers will be walking 7 km around Ennis at  
7pm on 24th July to make sure people know that  
we are always available 24/7 and encourage our  
community to reach out for help..

It's been a challenging few years and we know  
that many people are still facing all kinds of  
pressure, however, we want to remind the public  
that they are not alone. It doesn't matter how  
great or small the problems feel, our volunteers  
are here at any time of day or night, whatever  
they are facing.

### Free English Classes

Practise English Conversation. All levels, small  
groups. Email: clarechat21@gmail.com  
Mondays 9.30am—11.30am

Thursdays 7pm—8.30pm

Fridays 10am—12pm

Please email to register for a class. Classes take  
place at Mná ag Gáire (women's shed).

## Cloughleigh

### Remembered in Masses this Week:

**Mon: 9.30am:** Gerard Crowe, Knockerra.  
**Tue 9.30am:** Book of Intentions.  
**Sun 10th 11am:** Frank Corey, Loughville, decd Corey  
& Flanagan families.

## Newly Baptised

*We welcome into the Christian Community  
through the Sacrament of Baptism:*

**Elodie Angela Moylan**

**Isabel Marie Moylan**



### God's daily rules

- Wake up!** Decide to have a good day. "Today is the day the Lord hath made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118
- Dress up!** The best way to dress up is to put on a smile. A smile is an inexpensive way to improve your looks. "People look at outward appearance ; but the Lord looks at the heart." 1 Samuel 16
- Shut up!** Learn to listen and always say nice things. "He who guards his lips guards his soul." Proverbs 13
- Stand up...**for what you believe in! stand for something or you will fall for anything. "... therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good." Galatians 6
- Look up...**to the Lord! "I can do everything through Christ who strengthens me." Phillipians 4
- Reach up...** towards something higher! "Trust in the Lord...acknowledge Him and He will direct your path." Proverbs 3
- Lift up...** your prayers!  
"Do not worry about anything; instead pray about it.  
Why is that when you transport something  
by car,  
its called shipment,  
but when you transport something  
by ship  
it's called cargo?"

### Junction Adult Community Cafe



Community Cafe has re-opened for adults from Tuesday to Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm. The Cafe space is open to all adults who are looking for a place to meet and chat. Coffee and Scone are available for €2.50  
Scrabble group meet from 10.30 on Tuesdays, sit and knit meet every Thursday from 10.30am  
Free wifi and also one hour free parking in car park beside the building. Cafe located on Cloughleigh Road. Contact Jean O' Keeffe on 086-1568650 / 6845356 for more information.

Ennis Parish  
Development Fund  
for Sunday 26th June 2022,  
Fund €3,992.00  
Online €208.00  
Peter's Pence €2,668.00

### Lough Derg



Our Parish and Diocesan Pilgrimage will take place from **Monday 1st to Wednesday 3rd August.**

The bus will leave from the Cathedral at 7am sharp. Total cost €130.

**Early booking is recommended to secure a place.**

### Lourdes



Our first Diocesan Pilgrimage returns home this Sunday Night after five beautiful and prayerful days at the Grotto of Lourdes. The next pilgrimage to Lourdes from Shannon Airport will be the Franciscan Pilgrimage from September 22nd to 27th and our Autumn Diocesan Pilgrimage from October 2nd to 7th. Details from Joe Walsh Tours, Friary or Parish Office

### Welcome to the Spiritual Fathers

This weekend we welcome the Holy Ghost Missionaries (Spiritans) to our Parish. Since 1859 Irish Holy Ghost Fathers have been engaged in Missionary Work in over 50 countries and although times have changed the Spiritans call of "walking with the poor" remains alive. The missionaries will speak about their own mission experience at each mass this weekend and of the work of the Holy Ghost Congregation around the world. There will be a retiring collection as you leave mass.

### Matt Talbot



The next Matt Talbot, Freedom from addiction Mass takes place on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 7:30pm in SS Peter and Paul Cathedral. We welcome you to join us at this Mass to pray for all those battling addiction, their families and all those affected by addiction. We pray specifically at this Mass for all those enrolled in the Matt Talbot Prayer Society. If you wish to enrol somebody in the Matt Talbot Prayer Society please call 028 71262894 or email [vita@matttalbotprayersociety.com](mailto:vita@matttalbotprayersociety.com)

### Sr. Eileen's Cúinne

#### Mí Iúil.

Is í mí Iúil a bhíonn Comóradh Fola Sárluachmhaire ár dTiarna, Íosa Críost. Mí Iúil, mí an fhéir thirim, mí na laethanta saoire, forchéim an tsamhraidh. I mí Iúil bí linn a Thiarna. Is é Intinn Uilíoch an Phápa do mhí Iúil: Guímis ar son daoine aosta a bhfuil ina n-ionadaí ar chuimhne agus eagna ar sinsear. Go gcuideí taithí agus gaois daoine aosta leis an mhuintir óga amharc I dtreo na todhchaí le dóchas agus le freagracht.

I rith an tSamhraidh, bíonn pobail ag teacht le chéile ag ceiliúradh imeachtaí éagsúla, diaga, cultúrtha, lúthchleasaíochta. Go raibh siad slán sábháilte de shíor.

*A Dhia cabhraigh linn a bheith páirteach i bpobal ar bhealach amháin nó ar bhealach eile. Cabhraigh linn freisin meas a bheith againn ar Dhia, orainn féin, ar dhaoine eile agus ar an imshaol agus gaolmhaireacht chóir, chothrom a chothú agus a chleachtadh pé áit ina mbeimid. Áiméan*

*July is the month devoted to the Precious Blood of Jesus. July, month of haymaking, month of holidaymaking, highlight of summer. In July be with us, O Lord. The Pope's intention for this month: We pray for the elderly who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility. During the Summer, communities assemble to celebrate various events, religious, cultural and athletic. May they be always safe.*

*God Our Father, help us to be part of a community. May we respect God, ourselves, others and the environment and set up just and fair relationships wherever we may be. Amen.*

### Rest In Peace

Mary Corry, New York & Clarecastle, sister of Lily Ryan, Hermitage.

Paddy Kearney, Kincora Park.

Gerry Fitzpatrick, Toonagh, Fountain;

Lal Taylor, An Phairc, Bruach na hAbhann, Quin Road, sister of Sr. Gabrielle, Poor Clare Monastery & Terese Murphy, Ros na Rí;

Mae Griffin, Kilnamona, mother of Marie Griffin, Loughville;

Gary Lehane Moroney, Cregg, Lahinch & Hermitage.

Maureen Hennessy, Shalee Drive, Cloughleigh & formerly of Ballyashea, Kilnamona.

# Today's Scripture Readings

## Entrance Antiphon

Your merciful love, O God,  
We have received in the midst of your temple.

Your praise, O God, like your name,  
Reaches the ends of the earth;  
Your right hand is filled with saving justice.

## PENITENTIAL RITE

P. Have mercy on us, O Lord  
C. **For we have sinned against you.**

P. Show us, O Lord, your mercy.  
C. **And grant us your salvation.**

P. May almighty God have mercy on us,  
forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

C. **Amen.**

## GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;

you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

## A reading from the prophet Isaiah.

Is 66:10-14

Rejoice, Jerusalem,  
be glad for her, all you who love her!  
Rejoice, rejoice for her,  
all you who mourned her!

That you may be suckled, filled,  
from her consoling breast,  
that you may savour with delight  
her glorious breasts.

For thus says the Lord:  
Now towards her I send flowing  
peace, like a river,  
and like a stream in spate  
the glory of the nations.

At her breast will her nurselings be carried  
and fondled in her lap.

Like a son comforted by his mother  
will I comfort you.

And by Jerusalem you will be comforted.

At the sight your heart will rejoice,  
and your bones flourish like the grass.

To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

## Responsorial Psalm

Response: *Cry out with joy to God all the earth.*

Cry out with joy to God all the earth  
O sing to the glory of his name  
O render him glorious praise.  
Say to God: how tremendous your deeds.

R.

"Before you all the earth shall bow;  
shall sing to you, sing to your name!"  
Come and see the works of God,  
tremendous his deeds among men.

R.

He turned the sea into dry land,  
they passed through the river dry shod.  
Let our joy then be in him;  
he rules forever by his might.

R.

Come and hear, all who fear God.  
I will tell what he did for my soul.  
Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer  
nor withhold his love from me.

R.

## A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians. Gal 6:14-18

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. **Amen.**

## The word of the Lord

## Gospel Acclamation

*Alleluia, Alleluia!*

*I call you friends, says the Lord,  
because I have made known to you  
everything I have learnt from my Father.*

*Alleluia!*

## A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke. Lk. 10:1-12.17-20

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no

sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house. Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you". But whenever you enter a town and they do not make you welcome, go into its streets and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near." I tell you, that on that day it will not go as hard with Sodom as with that town.' The seventy-two came back rejoicing. 'Lord', they said, 'even the devils submit to us when we use your name'. He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Yes, I have given you power to tread underfoot serpents and scorpions and the whole strength of the enemy; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you; rejoice rather that your names are written in heaven'.

## The Gospel of the Lord

## PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. **Amen.**