

Parish Newsletter

02/08/2026

18th Sunday in Ordinary time

Anniversaries: With love we remember

Saturday 1st August Ballyconnell 7.30:

Months Mind mass for Mary Foley, Coolkenno.

Sunday 2nd August Kilquiggan 9.00:

Andy O' Toole, Ballyconnell.

Saturday 8th August Ballyconnell 7.30:

William Bowes, Killinure.

Sunday 9th August Kilquiggan 9.00

Patrick & Mary Rooney & Stasia Nolan, Rath.

We also pray for Rose Byrne, who was buried during the week.

Weekday Mass Schedule

No mass on Wednesday. Mass on Friday 7th August in Ballyconnell at 7.30 with the blessing of the graves in Kilquiggan old cemetery afterwards.

Weekend Masses for the 15th & 16th August

Saturday 15th August: Mass in the old Church in Clonmore at 7.30pm with the blessing of graves after mass.

Sunday 16th August: Mass in Kilquiggan at 9.00, Mass in Ballyconnell at 10.30.

Collections: 25th & 26th July:

Baskets: €490. Envelopes €365. Envelopes Returned 56. Bingo (2weeks) €1657: Next's weeks jackpot €675.

Coolkenno GAA: 7-14-17-31. No jackpot winner.

This week's jackpot. €15,500: Next Draw: 3rd August in The Crab Lane. Lucky Dip winners: Tommy Dolan, Roisin Cushe, Margaret Roberts & Alan O'Callaghan.

Parish/Diocesan Lotto: Wednesday 29nd July

Numbers 12-18-20-27. No jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot €13,000, 14 match 3 winners €72 each.

Attending the Sick & Housebound

Fr. O'Brien will visit the sick & housebound on Friday 7th August.

If you or someone known to you is housebound and would like to be visited monthly, please contact the Parish Office.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK.

When life feels difficult and everything seems to be going wrong, always remember

this: Even a tortoise can finish the race, as long as it never gives up.

Parish Office opening hours for the coming week:

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10.30 to 1.30.

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Parish Newsletter

Items for our Parish Newsletter should be sent to the following email address: Margaret.clonmoreparish@gmail.com before Thursday midday.

Dates for your diary:

Sunday 2nd August, Coffee Morning to be held in Clonmore Community Hall from 11 to 1 in aid of the upkeep of the Hall.

Sunday 2nd August, Bingo in Ballyconnell hall at 8pm. The jackpot will be €675 if you check in 43 numbers.

Sunday 2nd August, The Big Sing in St Michaels Church Aghold at 3.30pm.

Saturday 8th August, Littlewood Community Hall, Annual BBQ at 7pm Adults €20 & children under 12 €10, tickets available from any of the hall committee or Eric Driver on 087/2776282.

Volunteers Required.

Volunteers needed to help clean up the old cemetery in Clonmore and also the parish grounds to prepare for the annual mass on the 15th of August, meet every Monday morning at 10.30 at the cemetery. It would be much appreciated.

Giving Thanks for Summer

Father, Creator of all thank You for summer! Thank You for the warmth of the sun and the increased daylight. Thank You for the beauty I see all around me and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy Your creation. Thank You for the increased time I have to be with my friends and family, and for the more casual pace of the summer season, Draw me closer to You this summer. Teach me how I can pray no matter where I am or what I am doing. Warm my soul with the awareness of Your presence and light my path with Your Word and Counsel. As I enjoy Your creation, create in me a pure heart and a hunger and a thirst for You.

HAVE A WONDERFULL WEEK