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Sunday 6th April 2025 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Masses & Intentions for the Coming Week in St. Tierney's Church:

Sun 6th April:		FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
	10.30am:	Mass: Mass for the People of the Parish. Edward & Bridget Beggan, Dernasell West.
Tues 8th April:	9.30am:	Mass: James P & Mary Reilly, Greaghmagore, Sarah Lynch, Glasgow, and Cassie & Hughie Monaghan, Coonian.
Thurs 10th April:	9.30am:	Mass: John & Margaret McCaughey and Deceased Members of the Armstrong Family, Roslea.
Fri 11th April:	10 – 1.00pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – sacristy
	4pm – 6pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – sacristy
	6pm – 7pm:	Exposition of the Blessed sacrament – church
	7.00pm:	Mass: Irene Hynds, Magherafelt & formerly Church Street. Bridget, Edward and Mickey Boyle, Main Street, Roslea. Mary O'Donoghue, Main Street, Roslea.
Sun 13th April:		PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION
	10.30am:	Mass: Mass for the People of the Parish. James Patrick & Mary Bridget McAloon and Deceased Members of the McAloon Family, Corragunt. Michael & Bridget Rooney, Dernawilt East.

Masses & Intentions for the Coming Week in St. Mary's Church

Sat 5th April:		FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
	Vigil 6.00pm:	Mass for the People of the Parish. 1 st Ann: Paddy McAree, Aughnacloy, Smithboro. James & Theresa McMahon, and their son Gerard, Magherarney. Canon Felix Connolly, Aughnacloy, Smithboro & Maesteg, Wales and Deceased Members of the Connolly Family, Aughnacloy, Smithboro.
Wed 9th April:	10.00am:	Mass:
	10.30–12noon:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
	8pm – 9pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
Sat 12th April:		PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION
	Vigil 6.00pm:	Mass for the People of the Parish. Month's Mind: Kathleen Hand Carnowen, Smithboro. Kieran Kelly, Mulladuff, Peter Kelly, Tydavnet and Deceased Family Members. Jimmy Leonard, Stranagarvey and his nephew Kevin O'Boyle, New Jersey.

Thought for the Day (from the April edition of Intercom): *Jesus never wants evil. He only wants what is good and life-giving. Therefore, in his great mercy, he instituted the sacrament of Reconciliation so that no one will be lost, so that we can all find the forgiveness we need, no matter how great our mistakes have been. As Pope Francis said: 'Let us not forget this: God never tires of forgiving us! The*

problem is that we ourselves get tired, we do not want to ask, we grow weary of asking for forgiveness. Let's never get tired! And let us to learn to be merciful to everyone.'

The Pope's Intention for April: *That the use of new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crisis of our times.*

Penance Services in Preparation for the Celebration of Easter: Palm Sunday 13th April at 6.00pm in St. Tierney's Church, Roslea and 7.00pm in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Clones, and 7.00pm on Tuesday 15th April in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Newtownbutler.

Recently Deceased: **John Connolly**, Connons, Clones, nephew of Susan Toye, Church Street, Roslea, son-in-law of Agnes Rooney and the late Jimmy Rooney, Mulladuff. *May the angels lead him to paradise.*

Contributions to the Parish on 28th / 30th March 2025: Upkeep: £704.20 & €927.50, Loose Plate: £82.28 & €285.50, Priests: £110 & €50, Diocesan Levy: £8 & €75, St. Tierney's Shrine weekly: £62.33 & €42.25, Standing Orders for March: £2,475 & €1,265, Stole Fees from Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals: £100 & €150. *Thanks to all who contributed.*

Clones Faith & Light next fiesta takes place on **Sunday the 6th of April** at 3.00pm in St. Tiarnach's Primary School, Clones, looking forward to seeing you all there.

Eucharistic Adoration National Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday 6th April 2025: Bus leaving from Roslea at 7.55am. To book a seat contact Glen at 00 353 86 8275 437. Price €40 or £35.

Parish of Roslea Society of St Vincent de Paul will hold their monthly collection next weekend after masses on 12th/13th April. Please be generous. Thank you!

The Monthly Social Dance takes place next Friday night 11th April in the GAA Complex Roslea. Music by "The Lakelanders". Dancing 9.00pm – 11.30pm. Refreshments served. Everybody welcome.

Roslea Comhaltas invite you to join them on **Saturday 12th April** in Roslea Community Centre at 8.00pm for their annual Seán McAloon Concert featuring the All-Ireland winners - The Pipers Cross Ceili Band and branch musicians with our Workshops available on Saturday morning 10.00am-1.00pm with a line-up of experienced tutors...booking available online.

Fundraising for Lourdes: Amy Murphy, Niamh Galligan & Sean Toal are preparing to travel with the Clogher don Óige to Lourdes in July and act as helpers. They will hold a Coffee Morning in Toal's, Magherarney House from **10.00am – 2.00pm on Saturday 24th May**. Please support.

Fashion Show 'Southwest Style' in the Southwest College Erne Campus: 'Foundation Degree in Travel and Tourism students at Southwest College Erne Campus will host *Southwest Style*, a fashion show celebrating the fashion of the region at the campus on Thursday 10th April. Tickets are priced at £10 and can be booked by emailing southweststyle25@gmail.com. All proceeds will be donated to Marie Curie. There will be a special prize draw on the night. Doors to the event will open at 6:30pm.'

Easter Monday Pilgrim Path Walk @ Lough Derg: Join Fr. La Flynn and the Team at Lough Derg for a guided walk along the ancient Pilgrim Path around Lough Derg on Monday 21st April @10.30am. 8km & 12km option available. Free event. Booking essential. More information www.loughderg.org

The Clogher Diocesan One Day Retreat to Lough Derg takes place on Sunday 4th May. **Clogher Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock**, Wednesday 6th August 2025.

Diocese of Clogher Lourdes Pilgrimage July 4th – 9th 2025. Total Price is €1,050 or Sterling equivalent excluding travel insurance. Price includes flights, Full Board accommodation / meals, Transfer from designated places throughout the Diocese to / from Belfast International Airport. To book pilgrim places; Contact John Heuston, Lisnaskea – 028 677 243 29 (From N.I.) & 048 677 243 29 (From RoI) or **download booking form from www.lourdes2clogher.com.**

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje direct from Dublin to Mostar, 30 minutes from Medjugorje on 11th-18th of June. Cost is €855. Spiritual leader is Rev. John Chester. Group leader Marian Kane 087 2713 260 for more information.

'Sing for Joy!' - A Day of Music and Ministry: *Are you involved, or keen to become involved in Church Music in your Parish, School, University etc.?* We invite you to join us for **'Sing for Joy!' - A Day of Music and Ministry**. Saturday 26th April 2025 at Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co. Donegal. Boat departs at 9:30am. In the prayerful setting of Lough Derg, this day will provide space for the power of music to nourish our spirit and allow us to give praise to God through the beauty of sound, song and silence. There will be various inputs as well as time to pray, connect with others and explore this Sacred place. The day will conclude with the Celebration of the Eucharist at 5pm (open to the public). This day is open to young people aged 18-35 and is free to attend (supported by the Knights of St Columbanus). Registration is essential via <https://bit.ly/SingforJoy> . For further information please contact info@knightsofstcolumbanusomagh.co.uk / +44 77 59 496 677.

Help us uncover the truth about Mother and Baby Institutions, Magdalene Laundries and Workhouses in Northern Ireland from 1922 - 1995, and their related pathways and practices, including the adoption and care system. The Truth Recovery Independent Panel has been appointed by the Executive Office to carry out an independent investigation. We wish to hear from **1.** Any person who has been directly impacted **2.** Relatives of those directly impacted **3.** Any person who has worked, volunteered in, or lived in close proximity to one of these institutions. Can you help? Please get in touch: Address: **Truth Recovery Independent Panel, 4th Floor, Equality House 7 - 9 Shaftesbury Square, Belfast, BT2 7DB. Phone: 028 9052 0263** (Open Monday – Friday 11am – 12.00pm and 3.00pm – 4.00pm or leave a voicemail on our secure answering service any time outside of these hours.) Email: testimony@independentpanel.org.uk Website: www.independentpanel.truthrecoveryni.co.uk

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