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Sunday 22nd March – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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

Sun 22nd Mar:		FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT: St. Tierney's Church
	10.30am:	Mass: For the People of the Parish. Margaret & Peter Quigley, Bruscarnagh. Hugh-Pat Clerkin and deceased family members, Derryheanlish. John, Sarah & Peter Cadden, Edenaforan, Lisnaskea. Joan McMahon, Annashanco.
Tues 24th Mar:	9.30am:	Mass:
Thurs 26th Mar:	9.30am:	No Mass owing to Confirmation Retreat on Lough Derg
Fri 27th Mar:	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: Oliver McMahon, Corbane. John and Mary E McMahon & deceased family.
Sun 29th Mar:		PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION
	10.30am:	Mass: For the People of the Parish. Month's Mind: Josephine 'Josie' Tierney, Tattinbar. Michael & Bridget Rooney, Dernawilt East. Maureen & Jimmy Murray, their son-in-law Micheál, Leeds and Malin, Co. Donegal. Mary Lynam & the Cassidy Family, Lannaght.
		HOLY WEEK

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

Sat 21st Mar:		FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT:
	Vigil 6.00pm:	Mass for the People of the Parish.
Wed 25th Mar:	10.00am:	Mass:
	10.30am:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 10.30am to 12 noon.
	7pm – 8pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
Sat 28th Mar:		PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION
	Vigil 6.00pm:	Mass for the People of the Parish. Charles & Susan Treanor, Main Street, Smithboro.
		HOLY WEEK

Fifth Sunday of Lent: The scriptures of the 5th Sunday of Lent focus on resurrection. John's Gospel Chapter 11 recounts the death and resuscitation of Lazarus, the brother of Martha and Mary. His resuscitation prefigures the resurrection of Jesus. The Gospel is a call to a deeper faith in the Spirit living in us, giving life to our mortal bodies.

Holy Week Begins Next Sunday with Palm Sunday.

Contributions on 14th / 15th March 2026: Upkeep: £717.28 & €658, The Basket: £56.08 & €220.33, Priests: £95 & €59, Pope's Collection: €6, Diocesan Levies: £40 & €36.30, Trócaire: €5, Easter dues: €5, Contribution for Logs: €50, Thanks to everyone who contributed. Allianz Insurance payment towards the clean-up of the storm debris in St. Tierney's Graveyard: £34,623.44.

The Recent Work to St. Tierney's Church, Thanks: On behalf of the Parish Finance Team Fr. Chester wishes to offer thanks and appreciation for the work that was carried out on the church gallery; to architect Colin Doran of Colin Doran & Associates, Oakbeech Construction including two of their staff Martin and Feargal Rooney for their expertise and efficiency in laying the new floor, Aidan Courtney and his son Ciaran for laying the new carpet, Mark Sweeney for essential electrical jobs, Tom McAloon for the upgrade of the church toilet facilities, Fermanagh Flooring for laying the floor-vinyl, Fergal McAloon for the paintwork to the toilet areas and Noreen Callaghan for her guidance and advice throughout. Thanks to All!

Thanks and appreciation also to: Kevin McKenna and the Community Centre Committee for hosting Sunday and weekday Masses in the Community Centre, The Parish of Clones for the use of St. Macartan's Church, Aghadrumsee for hosting Friday Mass and to its sacristan Tom Killen, to St Tierney's Church sacristan Michael McKenna and his wife Sinéad and the Pope John Paul II Volunteers.

Storm Damage to Family Grave Plots at St. Tierney's Church: Those families who have not made contact with the Parish Office regarding damage to their family plot caused by Storm Amy, please contact the Parish Office.

Confirmation Retreat on Lough Derg: Best wishes to the 49 children of P7 and 6th Class of the parish's Primary / National Schools travelling this Thursday to Lough Derg, Co. Donegal for their Confirmation Retreat. That starts at 10.00am and continues to 200pm. May it be an enjoyable and memorable experience for each child and their teachers. They celebrated their Pe-Confirmation *Service of Light* last week.

Signed Mass Cards: Signed Mass Cards *Deepest Sympathy* and *A Bouquet for You* are available in Parish Office and after weekend Masses. The Stipend is £10 / €10 and the card £1 / €1. A Mass is offered for each Mass Card signed. That is the regulation.

Roslea Community Historical Society: Meeting on **Tuesday 24th March** in the Heritage Centre at 8.00pm. All welcome.

Clogher don Óige invites young people (15-17) to join them on pilgrimage to Taizé this summer. 8th-17th August, €670, limited places available. More details: www.clogherdonoise.org/taize2026

Ballybay Charismatic Prayer Group are hosting *The Life in the Spirit Seminars* in Cuan Mhuire Ballybay, A75RX68. They will begin 7.30pm sharp on Thursday April 9th till 21st May. Everyone welcome.

AISLING'S Shop opens Thursday 26th March with a fantastic array of new, preloved and vintage items to be picked up at very competitive prices. Opening hours Thursdays and Fridays 9.30am – 4pm and Saturday 10am – 2pm. Drop in and bag a bargain. We are also accepting donations of clothes, sheets, curtains, Bric-a-brac, small items of furniture etc. Donation can be left at Aisling Centre reception. All proceeds from the shop will be used to support the local community through the work of Aisling Centre, Darling Street, Enniskillen.

Diocese of Clogher Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2026, Fri 3rd July – Wed 8th July, 5 nights, €1,100 + €40 for Coach Transfer to and from airport, Contact Pilgrimage Secretary John Hueston, Clogher Pilgrimage Office, Tel 028 677 243 29, from RoI 048 677 243 29 or email treasurer.lourdes@clogherparishes.ie. Booking forms can be downloaded from www.lourdes2clogher.com.

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Low-Cost Counselling/Psychotherapy Service: A low-cost counselling/psychotherapy service for adults and young people from 13 to 18 years of age is now available at **Clones Family Resource Centre**. This confidential service is only a 'phone call away. All our counsellors are experienced and fully accredited by IACP or BACP. Prompt appointments offered. For further information or to make an appointment call Angela on **086 178 5710**. Supported by Tusla, Child and Family Agency.

Panic Buttons for Older People: If you are aged over 66 and are interested in applying for a Panic Button under the SAS Pobal Scheme, please contact Anne Davey, **Clones Family Resource Centre** on **047 52919** for more information or to make your application. **Areas covered in Clones, Smithboro, Newbliss, Drum and Scotshouse.** The panic Buttons can be used with either landlines or mobiles.

Radio Maria Ireland is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station who enjoy commercial free broadcasting – Prayer, Catechesis, Uplifting music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies. Visit www.radiomaria.ie for more information and how you can listen.

ACCORD Monaghan – Volunteers Needed: ACCORD, the Catholic Marriage Care Service, invites volunteers to train as Marriage Preparation Facilitators. We are looking for people with a positive outlook on marriage, a strong volunteer spirit, and a warm, welcoming manner. Full training is provided, with a Special Purpose Certificate from Saint Patrick's College, Maynooth awarded on completion of the course. For more information, please contact monaghan@accord.ie and one of the team will get back to you.

Cappagh Padre Pio Prayer Group Italy Pilgrimage 2026: Our pilgrimage to Pietrelcina, San Giovanni Rotondo and Saint Micheal's cave is arranged for the 7th -11th October. Cost: £885 pps, Spiritual Director: Fr Malachy Gallagher. For more information contact, Marie on 07799 112224 or Clare on 07778025587

Roslea Cross Community Playgroup applications are open on the online EA website for children who are 3 years on or before the 1st July. We also have part-time places available for children who are 2 years and 10 months old. Application forms for parttime places are available in the playgroup. Our hours will be extended from September from 9 am -1.30 pm, and a hot meal is available. For enquiries, please contact us on 02867751105 between 9 am -1.45 or contact us on Facebook or email rosleacrosscommunityplaygroup@gmail.com

Unmarked and Unclaimed Ground in St. Tierney's and St. Mary's Church Graveyards: Areas of unmarked ground in the graveyard are marked with a request for information as to any family or person with a claim to that ground granted by a previous parish priest to contact the parish office. Otherwise, the ground will be used.

Crocus Cancer Support Centre, Monaghan, warmly invites anyone who has lost a loved one to cancer to join our monthly support group — a safe space to share and grieve, to mourn and honour the heartbreak and experience the healing power of community. Please contact our office at 047 62565 to book your place. All Blood Donor Clinics are by appointment only.

If you want to drink that's your business. If you want to stop call alcoholics anonymous Belfast 028 90 351 222 OR Dublin 1 8420700.