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Sunday 24th May 2026 – FEAST OF PENTECOST

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

Sun 24th May:		FEAST OF PENTECOST
	10.30am:	Mass: For the People of the Parish. 8TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME.
Tues 26th May:	9.30am:	Mass: James P. & Mary Reilly, Greaghmagore. Cassie & Hughie Monaghan, Coonian. Pat & Sarah Lynch, Glasgow.
Thurs 28th May:	9.30am:	Mass:
Fri 29th May:	10 – 1.00pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – sacristy
	4pm – 6pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – sacristy
	6pm – 7pm:	Exposition of the Blessed sacrament & Rosary
	7.00pm:	Mass: Michael McKenna and deceased family members, Drummonds.
Sun 31st May:		FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
	10.30am:	Mass: For the People of the Parish. 9TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME.

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

Sat 23rd May:		FEAST OF PENTECOST
	Vigil 6.00pm:	Mass: For the People of the Parish. Michael & Bridget Cadden and the Cadden Family, Lismeagh. Martha McMahon and the McMahon Family, Knocknagross.
Wed 27th May:	10.00am:	Mass:
	10.30–12 noon:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
	7pm – 8pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
Sat 30th May:		FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
	Vigil 6.00pm:	Mass: For the People of the Parish. Evelyn O'Neill, Keenogue, Smithboro

Sunday 24th May 2026 is Day of Prayer for the Church in China.

Prayer for the Church in China: *Our Lady of Sheshan, sustain all those in China who, amid their daily trials, continue to believe, to hope, to love. May they never be afraid to speak of Jesus to the world, and of the world to Jesus. In the statue overlooking the Shrine you lift your Son on high, offering him to the world with open arms in a gesture of love. Help Catholics always to be credible witnesses to this love, ever clinging to the rock of Peter on which the Church is built. Mother of China and all Asia, pray for us, now and for ever. Amen!* (Pope Benedict XVI)

Recently Baptised: **Shona Marie Breslin** was baptised last Saturday in St. Tierney's Church. Congratulations and best wishes to her parents and family.

First Holy Communion: Congratulations to the boys and girls of 2nd Class of Scoil Mhuire, Gransha on celebrating First Holy Communion last Saturday at St. Mary's Church. It is the turn of the boys and girls of Scoil Mhuire, Magherarney on Saturday 23rd May at St. Mary's Church.

Recently Deceased: Maureen Hughes, Carrickmacross, mother of Fr. Ben Hughes, formerly Aghadrumsee. *May the angels lead her to paradise.*

Contributions on 16th & 17th May 2026: Upkeep: £644.43 & €784.50, Basket: £151.15 & €302.33, Priests: £50 & €47, St. Tierney's Shrine: £79.73 & €65.35. *Thanks to all who contributed.*

Short Prayer Before an Exam: 'Lord, as I take this exam, I ask for your peace and clarity of mind. Calm my nerves, help me focus, and guide my memory to recall what I have studied. Give me the wisdom to understand the questions and the ability to express my answers clearly. I trust in you. Amen.'

The April & May Sacred Heart Messenger: There are copies for free in both churches, take a copy.

The Sacred Heart Novena, 4th – 12th June: There are copies of the Novena in both churches, please take one.

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.

Ecumenical Service for Pentecost takes place at St. Macartan's Church (Forth Chapel), Augher, Co Tyrone: This year's annual ecumenical service on Pentecost Sunday will take place on Sunday, 24th May at 3.00pm and will be led by both Bishops of Clogher at St. Macartan's Church, known as the Forth Chapel on the outskirts of Clogher and in the Parish of Clogher. More recently, St. Macartan's, The Forth Chapel is well known having come out top from more than 180 nominations and claimed the top UK-wide prestigious title of Church of the Year 2022 at the inaugural National Church Awards in London. The church was completed in 1846, and several renovations and refurbishments have taken place over the years. The Church of Ireland Bishop of Clogher, the Right Revd Dr. Ian Ellis and the Roman Catholic Bishop of Clogher, the Most Revd Larry Duffy, will participate in the service which begins at 3.00pm. They will also be joined by local ministers from churches in the district.

👉 Join us at the **CMETB Employment & Training Expo** on **28th May**, 4.00pm–7.00pm in Monaghan Institute. Meet local employers, explore training options & discover new opportunities. 📄 Free tickets on Eventbrite. Employers: email employerservices@cmetb.ie to take part.

Walk in the footsteps of our Patron Saint on Saint Patrick's Way Pilgrim Walk in Downpatrick with guides Martina Purdy and Elaine Kelly on **Sat 6th June** and **8th August**, and Mairead Sweeney on **Sat 4th July**, begin at Saint Patrick's Centre with the fabulous 180° IMAX film of St Patrick, price includes entrance fees, internal bus transfers, pilgrimage lunch at the famous Saul Barn, plus a stamped Camino passport and a 6 mile pilgrimage walk finishing at Saint Patrick's grave. Come and Be Amazed! (Duration 9am-approx 3pm, all for just £55) To book ring 028 44 619 000 or go to website www.saintpatrickcentre.com

2026 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Booking for the pilgrimage will close on **Friday 6th June**. Booking forms from Pilgrims and Assisted pilgrims should be returned to the pilgrimage secretary - John Hueston at 028 677 24329 (from north) & 048 677 24329 (from south) **before 31st May**. Pilgrim fare - €1,100 per person (excludes €40 coach transfer to/from airport). Assisted pilgrim fare €1,100 (Includes travel insurance & coach transfer to/from airport). Visit www.lourdes2clogher.com.

The Padre Pio glove will be at Cuan Mhuire, Ballybay on Monday the 01st of June 2026 from 11.00am. Please contact Cuan Mhuire Ballybay for more details.

Celebration of the Golden Jubilee of Ordination to Priesthood of Bishop Larry Duffy will take place at 3.00pm on **Sunday 14th June** in St Macartan's Cathedral. All welcome.

Clogher Diocese Pilgrimage to Knock, led by Most Rev Larry Duffy, will take place on Wednesday 5th August 2026. A schedule for the day will be issued closer to the date.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje flying out from **Dublin July 15th to 22nd 2026**. €795. Group leader Marian Kane. Call 087 2713 260 for more information.

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.clogherdonoige.org/taize2026

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Children's Wellbeing Workshops begin in **Monaghan** and **Scotstown this July**, offering a calm and supportive space for ages 7–12 who may struggle with confidence, worries or big feelings. Sessions are designed to help children build confidence, resilience, and emotional wellbeing. To register or for more information contact Elaine at thewellbeingtreehouse@gmail.com or visit Instagram: [thewellbeingtreehouse](https://www.instagram.com/thewellbeingtreehouse)

Al-Anon – Struggling with Alcohol Addiction? For further information contact the confidential Al-Anon helpline on 0800 0086 811 or email helpline@al-anonuk.org.uk alternatively contact Belfast at 02890682368.

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.

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