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## Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> August 2026 – 19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

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| <b>Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b>    |              | <b>19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|                                   | 10.30am:     | Mass: For the People of the Parish.<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ann: Jim Murphy, Drummons.                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b>  | 9.30am:      | Mass: Benny Beggan and the Beggan & Martin Families, Derryneece                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b> | 9.30am:      | Mass:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>Fri 14<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b>   | 10 – 1.00pm: | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – church                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|                                   | 4pm – 6pm:   | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – church                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|                                   | 6pm – 7pm:   | Exposition of the Blessed sacrament & Rosary                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|                                   | 7.00pm:      | Mass: <b>VIGIL MASS FOR THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION</b>                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b>   | 9.00am:      | Mass: <b>THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Sun 16<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b>   |              | <b>20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|                                   | 10.30am:     | Mass: For the People of the Parish.<br>Geraldine Cadden, Largy House, Clones.<br>Frank Mulligan, Tattenbar.<br>Marie McConaghie née Slowey, Main Street, Roslea.<br>Oliver and Damien Reilly, their grandparents Tom & Elizabeth Reilly, Bunmichael. |

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

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| <b>Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b>  |                  | <b>19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>                                                                                                                        |
|                                 | Vigil 6.00pm:    | Mass: For the People of the Parish.<br>Paddy & Annie Rooney, Gransha, Mollie Rooney, Magherarney, and Treasa Nic Cinne, Latlurcan, Monaghan.                          |
| <b>Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b> | 10.00am:         | Mass:                                                                                                                                                                 |
|                                 | 10.30 – 12 noon: | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.                                                                                                                                  |
|                                 | 7pm – 8pm:       | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Aug:</b> | 10.00am:         | <b>Mass: THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION</b>                                                                                                                              |
|                                 |                  | <b>20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>                                                                                                                        |
|                                 | Vigil 6.00pm:    | Mass: For the People of the Parish.<br>Patrick & Catherine Mullan, Kilcorn, and Francis Mullan, Alisabeagh.<br>Peter & Rita McCaffrey, their son Anthony, Stonebridge |

Fr. Polycarp Okolie from the Diocese of Awgu in southern Nigeria is assisting in the Parish of Roslea.

**Parish Office Hours for Summer Months: Mondays & Fridays 9.30am to 1.30pm. Tuesdays & Thursdays 2.00pm to 6.00pm.**

**Recently Married: Gráinne Smyth**, Cornacrieve, Roslea & **Conor Creighan**, Scotstown last Saturday at St. Tierney's Church, and **Caroline Mullaney**, Gransha & **Darren Smith**, Ballyhaise last Saturday at St. Mary's Church. Congratulations and best wishes to the happy couples.

**Recently Deceased: Marie McKenna née McMahon**, Knockavea, Drumshancorrick Road, Roslea and formerly Drumgoast, mother of Ian and Barry and Kevin (died 1972 aged 5yrs), sister of Patsy (Drumgoast) and Seamus (Spring Grove). **Sarah Howell née Murray**, London & formerly Tannaghoboy, sister of the late Patsy Murray, Tannaghoboy. **Vera O'Keefe née McKenna**, New Jersey and formerly Drummonds, Scotstown, sister of the late Michael McKenna, Drummonds. *May the angels lead them to paradise. Deepest sympathy to family members.*

**The 2027 Mass Intention Diary is now ready for Mass intentions.** See Secretary's hours for booking an intention.

**Contributions on 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2026:** Upkeep: £190 & €216, Basket: £181.71 & €520, Priests: £625.10 & €912.15, Education: €10, St. Tierney's Shrine, weekly: £48.61 & €32.88, St. Mary's Shrine, fortnightly: £6.94 & €168.75, The Irish Catholic: €30, Donation in lieu of flowers: £500, Standing Orders for July: £2,410 & €1,315. Thanks to all who contributed.

**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.

**Parish of Roslea Society of St Vincent de Paul** will hold their monthly collection this weekend after Masses on **8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> August**. Please be generous. Thank you.

**Child's Pink Disney Princess Bag left behind in St. Tierney's Church. Contact the Parish Office.**

**Sum of Money Found on Main Street, Roslea – contact 086 336 2113.**

**Monthly Social Dance** at the Roslea GAA Complex next Friday night **14<sup>th</sup> August**. Music by "Magic Moments", Dancing from 9.00pm – 11.30pm. Refreshments served. Everyone welcome.

**The 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of the Death of Bishop Liam S MacDaid (RIP)** will be held on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August @ 7.00pm**, St. Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan.

**Lough Derg 3 Day Pilgrimage** continues to 15<sup>th</sup> August, (last starting date is 13<sup>th</sup> August). Pre-booking is advised. For further information contact [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) or telephone 00 353 71 9861 518. Cost is €85.

**National Novena to Our Lady of Knock 13<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> August 2026: Highlights:** Family Day at Knock Shrine **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> August** from 11.00am – 3.00pm, Witness Walk: **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> August** at 6.45pm. Daily programme: Novena Ceremonies 3.00pm & 8.00pm in Knock Basilica. Workshops 12.45pm daily in Knock Prayer Centre. Visit [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie)

**Lough Derg One Day Retreats – Guided Days of Prayer and Reflection** - places available on August **18<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>**, September **5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>**. Admission €50. Group discounts available. Advance Booking Essential. **Includes Special Themed Retreats: 23<sup>rd</sup> August - St Peregrine, 5<sup>th</sup> September – Pioneer Pilgrimage, 6<sup>th</sup> September – St Carlos Acutis, 9<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> September – Vocations Monstrance, 19<sup>th</sup> September – Divine Mercy Pilgrimage**

**Lough Derg Heritage Day Tours – Explore one of Ireland's most enduring and authentic spiritual destinations. Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August.** 11.00am & 2:30pm. As part of National Heritage Week celebrations visitors will enjoy a guided boat trip on the lake, guided tour of Station Island and refreshments. Admission €15. Student & Child discounts available. Advance Booking Essential.

**Special Heritage Week Celebration at the Church of Ireland in Newbliss on 15<sup>th</sup> August** from 4.00pm to 8.00pm. It's going to be a wonderful afternoon filled with fun and activities for all ages, including: Guided tours of Newbliss and our historic church with Francie McCarron, President of the Storytellers of Ireland, A delicious BBQ for everyone to enjoy, Live music to lift your spirits, A fun walking treasure hunt around the village, Face painting, balloon sculpture, and magical surprises with a professional children's entertainer, A bouncy castle for the little ones, Displays of local artefacts and vintage treasures, And lots more! Everything is free, including the BBQ, though we would warmly welcome any donations towards church repairs.

**Save Blood, Save Lives:** Book now for your local community blood donation sessions! Venue: Castle Park Leisure Centre, Lisnaskea on **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> August**, 12.30 – 19.30. Northern Ireland needs 1200 blood donations per week. That's 7 every 8 minutes. Peak times are lunch times and evenings.

**Pro-Life Church Gate Collection at St. Mary's Church at the Vigil Mass on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2026.** Garda Permit secured.

**ONE DAY PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG: Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August.** Bus will depart at **7.30am** from the lower car park at the back of the Courthouse in Monaghan town. Cost €25 per person. To book a seat: contact Adrian (087-7859 582), Maura (087-0547 149) or Mary (086-8358 137).

**Lough Derg Lakeshore Pilgrim Path,** In the footsteps of pilgrims through the centuries, **Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> August.** 8km & 12km routes, fully guided. Outdoor Mass weather permitting. Admission €25. Advance Booking Essential.

**August Marriage Enrichment Weekend:** Marriage Encounter Ireland invites married couples to a residential Weekend from **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2026** at the "Focolare Centre" "Curryhills", Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Step away from daily distractions to deepen your communication, renew your love, and rediscover the joy of your marriage. [www.marriageencounter.ie](http://www.marriageencounter.ie)

**Catholic Mothers Ireland** hosting a special Mass to mark another year of fellowship, prayer and teaching at 2.00pm **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2026.** Venue: Termonbacca, Derry. Mass celebrated by Bishop Donal McKeown. All Mums and families are warmly invited to attend & join in prayer. Donation only on the day.

**[www.theway.ie](http://www.theway.ie)** – helping people to discover, live and pass on the Catholic faith.

**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](mailto:helpline@al-anonuk.org.uk) alternatively contact Belfast at 028 9068 2368.

**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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