### **Mass intentions for September**

Sunday 3 September Margaret Hynes

Friday 8 September Paddy and Bridie Egan

Sunday 10 September Paddy Dunning, Balli-

naculla

Sunday 17 September Elizabeth and Patrick Egan

Sunday 24 September Kathleen Cunningham

(first anniversary)

#### **Altar Servers for September**

Sunday 3 September Deirdre M., Fiona, Hazel

Sunday 10 September Wayne, Shane, Caolan

Sunday 17 September Deirdre, Aoife, Elaine

Sunday 24 September Louise, Edel, Ciara

Reader for September: Maura Shine

Altar Society: Bridget Henry, Maureen Dunning

We wish David Flynn, Captain and Donie Shine, also from Clann na nGael, and all the Roscommon Minor Football team the very best of luck in the All Ireland Final.

# **CLONOWN NEWSLETTER**

### SEPTEMBER 2006

Congratulations to David
Flynn who captained the
Roscommon Minor Footballteam to the
All Ireland Final

### **Community Centre**

You will be glad to know that the refurbishment of the Community centre will start very shortly. Because of the generosity of those who supported the draw and other projects and the grant from Leader, it will be possible to carry out phase one without going into debt. The builder has emphasised, for health and safety reasons, that no unauthorised person will be allowed in the community centre or the surrounding grounds while the building is going on.

### **Results of August Draw**

The following people won prizes in the Rathcairn draw, which was held on Friday, 25 August.

Winner of Car: B Murphy, Church Square, Dublin 3.

Cavan crystal: Delia Grogan

Framed mirrors: P.J. Shine, Brian O'Neill

Framed pictures: Sean Downey, Donal and Johnny, Ann Dunning, John and Betty Murray, Catherine Regan, Ray Reilly,

Padraig Cunniffe, Michael Harney, Paddy Kilduff.

Winners of the local prizes were:

€300: Jack Cunningham, Baylough.

€200: James and Marguerite Costello, Oldtown.

€100: Lohan &Co, Solicitors, Martina Madden, Kathleen and Philip O'Donohue, Michelle and Sean Macken, Bernie Dunning and family.

## **Damage to Church property**

We regret to say that a lot of damage, costing several hundred euro, has been done to the two organs and some of the seats in the church. It is evident that this was caused by local children who, not only have caused the damage, but also have used the names of innocent children. The committee has asked me to point out that if this happens again further action will have to be taken. Children are asked to use the church only for prayer and parents are asked to emphasise this to them.

### **Congratulations**

Congratulations to Eoin and Fiona Murphy, Togher, on the birth of their baby, Saoirse.

### Football success in Mosney

While David Flynn is making a name for himself in GAA circles, Amy Shine has been involved in the Community Games in Mosney. The Drum and Clonown Community Games soccer team won a bronze medal at the games. Congratulations to all involved.

### **Mass in Cemetery**

There was a very large attendance at the annual Mass for the souls of those who are buried in Clonown cemetery, on 15 August. Canon Devine paid special tribute to Pat Fallon who continues to keep the cemetery in excellent condition. He also thanked Willie Shine and Dermot Fogarty who prepared the altar etc.

### **Community BBQ**

The community BBQ was held on 13 August. Those who attended were treated to wonderful food prepared by the committee and other members of the community. Thanks to all those who helped out, particularly Michael Gavin who ensured that the park, where BBQ was held, was ready for the occasion.

## Mary Shine R.I.P.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the Shine family, Drumlosh on the death of Mary Shine (nee Flannery)

Go ndéana Dia trócaire ar a h-anam