

Mass intentions for July

Sunday 1 July	Johney and May Harney, John and Nell Sammon
Friday 6 July	Willie and Tommy Ward, Curnaboll
Sunday 8 July	Laurence (Goss)Shine and deceased family members
Sunday 15 July	Johney, Cis and Tom Shine, Drumlosh.
Sunday 22 July	Pat Warde, late of Curnaboll and Letterkenny (first anniversary)
Sunday 29 July	Willie Shine, Drumlosh.

Altar Servers for July

Sunday 1 July	Elaine, Aoife
Sunday 8 July	Stephen, Martin, Katie
Sunday 15 July	Hazel, Sarah, Deirdre
Sunday 22 July	Ciara, Fiona
Sunday 29 July	Elaine, Aoife

Reader for June: Sean Crehan

Altar Society: Margaret Shine, Mary Shine.

Book of Local Interest

There are still some copies of the Clonown book available. People who are home on holidays, or people visiting relatives during the summer may be interested in buying a book. Anyone wanting a copy (€12) can ring 09064-37143.

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Raising of Green Flag

On Friday 22 June the green flag was raised in Clonown School by David Flynn who captained the Roscommon Minor Football team to All-Ireland victory. Present also at the ceremony were Canon Devine, staff and children of the school, parents and people in the locality. The green flag was awarded to the school because of work done by teachers and children in protecting the environment. Afterwards those present were treated to tea and cakes prepared by the children.

School Holidays

Now that the school holidays are here children have more time for meeting friends and for playing in the locality. Parents are asked to remind the children that the church should be respected at all times as a place of prayer. Children are asked not to play in the church or to be cycling in the church grounds. Last year some damage was done to church property during the holidays and it is hoped that this will not happen again.

Mass in the Cemetery

Wednesday 15 August at 8 pm has been fixed for the annual Mass in Clonown cemetery.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Dermot and Dympna Fogerty on the birth of their baby daughter, Sarah.

Heritage Walk

The Heritage Officer in Roscommon County Council hopes to arrange a walk in the Clonown area shortly. Walks have taken place in other parts of County Roscommon that are of special interest because of the wild life particular to these areas. As the plant and animal life in the Shannon Callows are of particular interest to many people, the Garavinch may be chosen for the walk. Further information will be available as soon as a date has been fixed.

Clonown Graveyard

Recently the County Council purchased land in order to extend the cemetery and work in preparing the extension is ongoing. The people of Clonown are grateful to Pat Hynes who agreed to sell the land adjoining the cemetery to Roscommon County Council.

Recent Deaths

Our sincerest sympathy goes to Kathleen Greene, the Dunning and Glynn families on the recent death of Pat Dunning, Ballinaculla.

Our deepest sympathy also to Geraldine Dunning, Oldtown, on the death of her father, Bill Shine..