

Mass Intentions for January

Sunday 1 January	Johnnie and Nora Halligan
Sunday 8 January	Tom Lennon, Oldtown
Sunday 15 January	Nancy Gaffey, Newtown
Sunday 29 January	The Shine Family, Curnaboll

Altar Servers for January

Sunday 8 January	Lucy, Íde, Anna, Kayla
Sunday 15 January	Lucy, Íde, Anna, Kayla
Sunday 22 January	Michael, Joseph, Eoghan, Cian
Sunday 29 January	Michael, Joseph, Eoghan, Cian
Sunday 5 February	Niamh, Anna, Kayla
Sunday 12 February	Niamh, Anna, Kayla

Eucharistic Ministers

1/6 January	Maureen Dunning
8/15 January	Margaret Crehan
22/29 January	Helen Cunningham
5/12 February	Peadar Molloy

Reader Michael Fallon

Altar Society Bernie Dunning
Teresa Lennon

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*We wish
Clonown people everywhere
A Happy and Prosperous
New Year*

Church Restoration Fund

Sunday 4 December	€259
Sunday 11 December	€272
Sunday 18 December	€249
Sunday 25 December	€215
Card Game	€270
Night in Walsh's	€283
Total	€1,548

Total to date **€63,053**

Anyone wishing to contribute towards the restoration of a seat or for furniture please contact a member of the pastoral group.

New Altar Servers

The training of the altar servers is continuing and before long we will see them taking over the various duties at Mass.

Nativity Play

Congratulations to the teachers and children in Clonown National School on their performance of the Nativity Play which took place in the church before Christmas.

Recent Functions for local funds

The Pastoral group and the Clonown Field Project committee wish to thank all those who organised the card game in Johnstown and the night in Walsh's. The committees also wish to thank those who attended the functions and those who contributed. €540 was raised from the card game and €566 from the night in Walsh's.

Archaeology Report

The committee of the Clonown Field Project is awaiting the final report from the archaeologists. The committee wishes to thank all those who helped with the fundraising throughout the year.

Christmas in Clonown

The community is grateful to those who helped prepare the church for Christmas, to Robbie and Pat who erected and decorated the Christmas trees, those who arranged the flowers, cleaned the church and to Willie our sacristan who quietly worked behind the scenes. We also wish to thank Fr Sean O'Dowd, Sean Crehan and Lucy who provided the music the soloists Ciara, Sibéal and Katy and the choir all of who made Christmas in Clonown a special occasion.

Anniversary Masses

If booking anniversary Masses please do so at the sacristy, before or after Mass in Clonown church.

Recent Deaths

Sr Kathleen Gavin RIP

Our deepest sympathy to Philomena Gavin, Grahia on the death of her sister, Sr Kathleen Gavin.

Irene Mulligan RIP

The sympathy of the community also goes to the Mulligan family, Taylorstown, on the recent death of Irene.

Mary Menton RIP

Our deepest sympathy also to the Menton family, Newtown East on the death of Mary Menton, Baylough.

Promoting local small businesses

Carpentry and Welding: Contact Sean Curley (086-3365336)

Graphic Artist: Memorial cards, business cards, thank you cards etc. Contact Kathy Hardiman (086-0783399)

Plumber: Contact Barry Earls (086-3166956)

Tiling: Contact Jackie Cunningham (086-3559003)

Anyone wishing to add their name to this list please contact Rosaleen (087-7600128)