Mass Intentions for August

Friday 2 August Kieran Dunning, Drumlosh, and his

granddaughter, Hannagh Rose Martin

Sunday 4 August Willie Shine, Drumlosh

Sunday 11 August **Mass in Cemetery at 3pm**

No morning Mass

Thursday 15 August, Ned and Mary Egan, Callowbeg

Church Holy Day

Mass at 8 pm.

Sunday 18 August Nancy and John Ward, Curnaboll

Sunday 25 August John, Bridget and Patrick Halligan,

Collogorriff

Sunday 1 September Pat and Margaret Hynes, Oldtown

Altar Servers for August

Sunday 4 August Kayla, Anna, Aileen

Sunday 11 August Michae, l Eoghan, Sean

Sunday 18 August Michael, Eoghan, Sean

Sunday 25 August Cian, Joseph

Sunday 1 September Cian, Joseph

Eucharistic Ministers

4 August Peadar Molloy

11/15 August Mary Naughton

18/25 August Ann Golden

1/8 September Helen Cunningham

Reader Michael Fallon

Altar Society Kathleen Shine, Ann Shanahan

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FAREWELL TO FR JOHN

Congratulations to Fr John McManus on his appointment as Parish Priest of Ballagh. The people of Clonown are saddened that he will be leaving us and will miss his kindness and friendliness. We wish him well in his new parish. Fr Larney Shine is curate in the same parish so he will still be in contact with Clonown!

CLONOWN GATHERING 11 AUGUST 3 PM

Don't forget to tell your family and people with Clonown connections about

The Gathering

It will be a great opportunity for Clonown people to get together.

(See full programme inside)

Cemetery Survey

The cemetery survey has now been completed. The organising group is grateful to all those who helped in identifying the unknown plots and other relevant information. A map is being produced and will be in place before Cemetery Sunday on 11 August. There may still be some errors or omissions and we hope that people present on that day will identify them. Please let a member of the group know so that the mistakes can be corrected. A permanent map will be erected before the end of August. If you have any relevant information please phone Teresa (6437143), Helen (6437261) or Michael (6437143) or email clonownheritage@gmail.com.

Cemetery Maintenance

There will be a collection for the maintenance of the cemetery at the graveyard on Cemetery Sunday. This money will go into a special cemetery account and will be used specifically for work carried out in the graveyard.

Talented Young Musicians

Congratulations to Lucy Nally and to Cian Gavin who have qualified for the All Ireland Fleadh Cheoil in Derry, Lucy will be competing in piano and Cian will be playing with a Céilidh Band. We wish them well in Derry.

Collection in aid of Pieta House

The organisers of the collection wish to thank the people of Drum and Clonown for their generous response to their recent church gate collection. Clonown people contributed €231.81 and Drum people, €422.57.

Recent Deaths

Our deepest sympathy to

Maureen Killian, Buggane on the death of her brother Peter Caslin, Strokestown

The Greene family, Cappamore, on the death of Laurence Greene, Cork The Kelly family, Curraghnaboll, on the death of Mary's mother, Kathleen Downey, Ballydangan.

The Flynn family, Carricknaughton, on the death of Paddy's brother, Billy Flynn, Athlone

The McCullagh family, Mt Florence, on the death of Arthur's father, George, Carlow.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a n-anamacha

New Baby Boy

Congratulations to Marie and Dermot Keenan on the birth of their son, Rory

Programme for Clonown Gathering 11 August Mass in the Cemetery 3 pm. Map showing all the plots

Community Centre

Display of old photographs from Clonown and neighbouring townlands

School Register dating back to 1870

The School Register records year of school entry, age of child on starting school, occupation of father and if transferred from another area the school from which the child was transferred. The boys' register dates from 1870 and the girls' from 1922.

Extracts from Roll Books

These extracts show the classes in the years 1900, 1922 (when the school moved to its present site) and the year 1940.

Also there is a list of all the men who attended night school in Clonown in 1908.

Griffith's Valuation Records

The names of the land holders in 1855, the size of their holdings and the valuation of the land and houses.

Tithe Applotment Lists

These lists include the names of those who paid tithes in the 1830s.

Burial Records

A list of people buried in the old cemetery between 1789 and 1880

Census Records

An information leaflet on how to trace your family history

Information on work being carried out on the Clonown Community Field Project

There is a limited number of copies of the Clonown book *A sense of Place* left and these will be on sale in the community centre.

Light refreshments will be served