

**St. Colman's, Cloyne. St. Colmcille's, Churchtown South.
Immaculate Conception, Shanagarry. Star of the Sea, Ballycotton.**

1st August, 2021 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

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Opening Hours: Tuesday 2.30p.m. – 5.30p.m. Wednesday 1.00p.m. – 4.00p.m.

Thursday & Friday 11.00a.m. – 2.00p.m.

Notices for Newsletter can be emailed, posted or handed in to the Parish Office before 11am on Thurs.

St Colman's Cloyne: 6.00p.m. (Saturday Vigil), 11.30a.m. Sunday.
Star of the Sea, Ballycotton: 7.30p.m. (Saturday Vigil) alternate weekends.
9.00a.m. Sunday, alternate weekends.
St. Colmcille's, Churchtown South: 7.30p.m. (Saturday Vigil) alternate weekends.
9.00a.m. Sunday, alternate weekends.
Shanagarry: 10.15a.m. Sunday.

Sat. 31st July: Ballycotton 7.30p.m. **Sun. 1st August:** Churchtown South 9.00a.m.
Sat. 7th August: Churchtown South 7.30p.m. **Sun. 8th August:** Ballycotton 9.00a.m.
Sat. 14th August: Ballycotton (at Grotto) 7.30p.m. **Sun. 15th August:** Churchtown South 9.00a.m.

Weekday Masses **Cloyne:** Mon. Tue. Wed. and Fri. at 9.30a.m. and Thurs. 7.30p.m.
Ballycotton: Tuesday and Thursday 9.30a.m.
Shanagarry: Wednesday and Friday 11.00am

Note that there will be no 9.30am Mass on Wednesday and Friday this coming week. Mass will be at 11.00am both days instead.

Eucharistic Adoration: Shanagarry There will be no Eucharistic Adoration in Shanagarry Church during the month of August. It will resume again in September as usual after the 9.30am Mass on Wednesdays.

Cloyne: Thursday 6.15pm – 7.15pm

Confessions **Cloyne:** Saturday 11.30pm – 12 noon and 5.30pm before Vigil Mass
Ballycotton and Churchtown South: Saturday (before vigil Mass.)
Shanagarry: After Mass on First Friday mornings

Feast of the Assumption: The 7.30pm Vigil Mass will be celebrated at the Grotto in Ballycotton on Saturday 14th August (weather permitting)

BAPTISM: From Thursday 5th August, Baptisms may proceed. However, they must follow all protective measures and social gatherings afterwards should be avoided.

Church Collections: We wish to thank all who to contribute to the various Church Collections. The Administration of Cloyne Diocese Collection will be collected this weekend 31st July /1st August. The Annual Collection for the Sacristans in the Parish will be collected on weekend of 7th / 8th August

Collections for the Sacristan's in the Parish:

The Annual Collection for the Sacristans in the Parish will be taken up at all Masses next weekend or 7th / 8th August. We ask you to show your appreciation to each of them for the work they do in the Church and for being available for Masses, Baptisms, Communions, Confirmations and Weddings and Funerals throughout the year. We sincerely thank each you for your work and dedication.

Covid 19: We wish to remind people to observe Covid restrictions while attending Church services.

We ask that Holy Communion be received only in the hands at the moment. We ask that you wear a masks or face coverings, (NOT VISOR) if possible, to sanitise hands on entering and leaving the Church and to observe social distancing .

FUNERALS: Government guidance regarding funerals: There is an increased risk of transmission of the virus where families and communities come together following the death of a loved one. Numbers at funeral services is still capped at 50.

The Family Carer Support Projects

The Family Carer Support Project's aim is to enhance the wellbeing of Family Carers of older people in Cork and Kerry, by offering the opportunity to work with the **Carer Wellbeing Manager, Lynne Dennehy**. The project is in partnership with the HSE. Lynne will work with the Family Carer to find out what their needs are, and to develop an action plan to support the Family Carer to meet them. No question or problem is too big or too small. You can visit the projects website on <https://www.familycarers.ie/fcsp>. Project Mobile is 086 0759063.

Invitation to become a Deacon:

The Bishop of Cloyne invites men between the ages of 30 and 60 who are interested in serving as Deacons in the Church to make contact with a view to exploring the possibility of undertaking formation with a view to ordination as Deacon.

This ministry is open to men, either married or single, between the ages of 30 and 60. Leaving Certificate or its equivalent is required as well as a deep personal commitment to the Catholic faith. For further information please contact:

Rev. Joseph O'Mahony, Macroon 086-8867936 or 026-41029 (in July)
Rev William Bermingham, Youghal 083-8687196 or 024 91717 in August)

Prayer for Inner Peace:

Find a quiet place. Take some time to be quiet in yourself, close your eyes and pause to breath in and out, experiencing peace for a few minutes, and then breath in and out repeating the words:

Jesus in your love have mercy on me. Stay with me and give me peace.

In the presence of my God, I sit and listen. In the silence of my heart, I hear God's will.