

St. Mary Magdalene Parish, Monaleen

'May Christ who transformed Mary Magdalene from sinner to saint make his presence felt in our lives'.



We are celebrating the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Luke is particularly sensitive to people’s weakness, and he presents them as interacting with a very compassionate Jesus. He portrays Jesus as someone who has a special concern for those who are sick, in trouble or on the margins of society.

His words our journey together by Pope Francis.

We are not islands, we are in the world to live in God’s image: open, in need of others and in need of helping others. In everyday life, am I a reflection of the Trinity? Is the sign of the cross I make every day, the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, a gesture for its own sake, or does it inspire my way of speaking, of encountering, of responding, of judging, of forgiving.

Saturday/Sunday 25/26 June Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	7:00pm – David Lysaght RIP (A); 10:00am – Lucy Murphy RIP (A); Mary Jackman RIP (Month’s Mind); Annette O’Gorman RIP (Birthday Remembrance) 11:30am – Marguerite Hanly RIP (A)
Tuesday, June 28 St Irenaeus	9:45am – Peggy O’Toole RIP (A);
Wednesday June 29 Ss Peter and Paul, Apostles	9:45am – May Fahy RIP (A)
Thursday, June 30 The First Martyrs of Rome	9:45am – Martin Crowe RIP
Friday July 1 St Oliver Plunket	9:45am – Brendan Hession RIP (A)
Saturday, July 2 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	7:00pm –
Sunday, July 3 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00am - 11:30am –

Parish Notices

Eucharistic Adoration: The schedule is as follows: Tuesday, 10.00a.m. to 10.00p.m. All other days of the week 6.00pm until 9.00p.m. A book is provided at the back of the church to sign in when you come to do your hour. It is imperative that the Blessed Sacrament exposed in the monstrance is never left unattended. In the unlikely event that the persons due to follow you do not attend there are names and phone numbers at the front of the sign in book of people to contact in that situation.

The Third Age charity's 'Failte Isteach' service is now available in most counties across the State in order to facilitate, in an informal setting, improved English language skills for refugees. This service is free and run by local volunteers. To locate the nearest English language class in your location, please see <https://www.thirdageireland.ie/failte-isteach/locations>.

World Meeting of Families - ROME: Please pray for the success of the World meeting of families which is taking place in Rome this weekend

Trócaire: Trócaire is the official overseas development agency of the Catholic Church in Ireland. Trócaire has an obligation to supporters and funders to make sure that donations are being spent wisely and that you know how your money is being used. Trócaire takes the trust you place in them very seriously and adheres to the highest standards of transparency and accountability. Finances are independently audited every year and accounts are published online for anybody to see. To access the most recent financial report please click [here](#)

Irish Catholic: The Irish Catholic newspaper is on sale at the back of the church

The Popes Intentions – June 2022 – For Families - We Pray for Christian Families around the World; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives

Community Noticeboard

Castletroy ICA: Meet on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at Monaleen GAA clubhouse.

An Appeal for Ukraine - From Fr Seamus Enright C.Ss.R:

The Redemptorists in Limerick continue their appeal for Ukraine and are grateful for the generous response. You may donate online at www.novena.ie or to make a credit card donation by phoning 061-315099. Cheques should be made payable to Redemptorists Limerick and sent to Fr Seamus Enright, Mount St Alphonsus, Limerick. People can also donate by calling into the Monastery. Every Euro will go directly to the Redemptorists in Ukraine.

NEWS from our Diocese

Godly Play Core Training Course being offered this summer! The course runs from 6-8 July 2022 (Wednesday to Friday) in Thurles. It takes place over three full days and there is a residential option. We return this

year to the beautiful MIC Thurles Campus where the 3 Day Core Training will be offered in partnership with the Irish Institute for Pastoral Studies. Cost includes lunches. Cost: EUR 330 and EUR 430 for the residential option (dinner, bed and breakfast on Thursday and Friday).

Booking is not yet open on the IIPS website, but if you email godlyplayireland@gmail.com, we will reserve your place and let you know as soon as the link goes up on the IIPS website.

[Lough Derg re-opens](#) Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer;

Three Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th August. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups.

One Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September. Booking essential. All booking information at www.loughderg.org, email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518. Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co Donegal, F94 N289.

Recently Deceased



Please pray for all our deceased, especially those recently deceased and those whose anniversaries occur at this time

Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them

The Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

I love You above all things,

and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if you were already there,
and I unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

(Saint Alphonsus Liguori)

At Your feet, O my Jesus,

I prostrate myself and I offer You
repentance of my contrite heart,
which is humbled in its nothingness

and in Your holy presence.
I adore You in the Sacrament of Your love,
the ineffable Eucharist.
I desire to receive You
into the poor dwelling that my heart offers You.
While waiting for the happiness of sacramental communion,
I wish to possess You in spirit.
Come to me, O my Jesus,
since I, for my part, am coming to You!
May Your love embrace my whole being in life and in death.
I believe in You,
I hope in You,
I love You. Amen.
(Cardinal Rafael Merry del Val)

World Meeting of Families – ROME – June 22-26, 2022



Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
in you we contemplate
the splendor of true love;
to you we turn with trust.

Holy Family of Nazareth,
grant that our families too
may be places of communion and prayer,
authentic schools of the Gospel
and small domestic churches.

Make us mindful
of the sacredness of the family,
and its beauty in God's plan.
Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
Graciously hear our prayer. Amen.