

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK (Ss. Peter & Paul's Church)  
(Saturday, 5th November - Sunday, 13th November)**

<b>Saturday:</b>	6.30 p.m.	Vincent Enright (1st Anniversary)
<b>Sunday:</b>	9.00 a.m.	Mass for the People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Thomas & Phoebe Milton
	12 noon	Eamon Egan
<b>Monday:</b>	9.30 a.m.	Anne Shine
	7.30 p.m.	<b>"NOVENA"</b> Michael & Christine Galvin & Michael Jnr. Galvin
<b>Tuesday:</b>	9.30 a.m.	John, Margaret & Doris Kenny
<b>Wednesday:</b>	9.30 a.m.	Deceased members of Widow's Association
<b>Thursday:</b>	9.30 a.m.	Deceased members of Donoghue Family, Co. Clare
<b>Friday:</b>	9.30 a.m.	John & Elizabeth Roche & Mary Crehan
	7.30 p.m.	<b>"SHARED MASS"</b> Mary, John & Tommy Keogh, James & Margaret Kelly, Martin & Kitty Cunningham, Marie Shanahan, Maureen Dully & deceased of Durney & Dully families, Thomas & Claire Harrington, Mary Waters, Oliver Waters, Eric Waters and deceased family.
<b>Saturday:</b>	9.30 a.m.	Seán Dillon
	6.30 p.m.	Frank & Maureen Sherlock
<b>Sunday:</b>	9.00 a.m.	Mass for the People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Jackie & Nellie Gough
	12 noon	Michael McManus

**REST IN PEACE**

**LENA EGAN, R.I.P.,** Assumption Rd., (sister of Kitty Seery, Clonellan)  
**MARY CLARKE, R.I.P.,** London (niece of Mattie Ward, Drum Road, Summerhill))

May God grant them eternal rest and comfort and console their bereaved families relatives and friends.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION: Sunday, October 30th.....€1,830.00**

*Ss. Peter & Paul's Parish*  
**Athlone**  
*Drum & Clonown*  
**Parish Newsletter**

**THIRTY SECOND  
SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

**6th NOVEMBER 2016**

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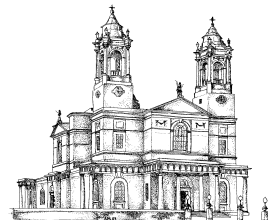
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**"T**hat the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage about the bush, when he called out 'Lord,' the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob; and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive." – Lk 20:37-38

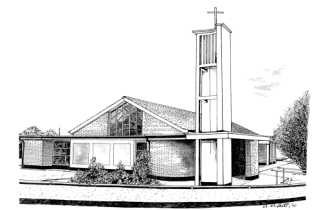
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**Ss. Peter & Paul's Church,  
Athlone**



**St. Brigid's Church,  
Drum**



**Church of Our Lady of the  
Wayside, Clonown**

## REFLECTION - IN TRANSIT



When you hear the words "in transit", you might think of those long or short waits at foreign or familiar airports; that space of time when, as a passenger (a passer-by), we are *in passing*. In fact, if we look closely at our lives, we might notice that much of our time is spent in transit.

When I look at the times that I have been in transit, I would define them as not really being anywhere at all - being somewhere in the middle, being in the state of waiting for something or someone. Something transitory is generally something fleeting; but for many travellers, being in transit can sometimes seem to take a very long time.

Jesus often reminds his disciples that we are always in transit. We are on a journey and our final destination is to be with him. His view of this journey is slightly different from the view that we have; and he invites us to share in it.

In today's gospel, when he gives the Sadducees a glimpse of his view, Jesus reminds us that the lifestyle we lead now, and the relationships we have now, will be lived very differently when we get there. Let us pray that while we are in transit, we will make the most of the journey and make him our companion, *(Kathryn Williams pddm)*

**WEEKLY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES.....**Will be distributed to households in the Parish during the coming weeks. If you are new to an area in the Parish or are not currently in receipt of envelopes and would like to contribute to the weekly Offertory Collection please Tel the Parish Office at 09064-92171 or email: [sspeterparish@eircom.net](mailto:sspeterparish@eircom.net) to arrange for a box of envelopes. **A word of thanks is due to all those who help each year with the distribution of envelopes. This in itself is a huge task and if you would like to help in delivering in your area that have no distributors your assistance would be greatly appreciated.**

**A Meeting of the NEW PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL** will be held in the Shamrock Lodge Hotel on next Tuesday night, 8th November at 8.00 p.m. All members are requested to attend.

**Cystic Fibrosis** would like to **THANK ALL** who contributed to their recent church gate collections held at Drum & Clonown Churches. Totals collected: Drum Church: €387.50 & Clonown: €198.95. Your support was very much appreciated.

**"SONGS OF THE SOUL":** Anam (St. Mary's Parish Choir) invites you to join them in a concert on Friday, 25th November at 8.30 p.m. in Coosan Church. Proceeds in aid of the Athlone Branch of Pieta House. Tickets available at the parish office (64-72088). Free admission - donations welcomed.

**MASS IN MONKSLAND COMMUNITY CENTRE (Remembering our Dead) on Thursday, 10th Nov. at 8 p.m. followed by tea, scones and chat. All welcome.**

**REMEMBRANCE MASS - Sat. 12th Nov. at 3 p.m. in St. Patrick's Church, Trim for the victims and survivors of the tragedy in Sousse, Tunisia on 26th June 2015. This Mass will remember all 38 victims of this tragedy including Lorna Carty RIP, Larry & Martina Hayes RIP, their beloved families and victims and survivors. We welcome all those who would like to attend.**

## DRUM MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 5th	8 p.m.	Thomas Murray, Gorrynagowna
Sun. 6th	10 a.m.	Maura Durney and deceased family Cornafulla North Rosary in the cemetery after the 10 a.m. Mass
Mon & Tues.		No Mass
Wed. 9th	7 p.m.	Lily, Brien & Gerard Devine, Ardkeenan
Thur. 10th		No Mass
Fri. 11th	7 p.m.	Dinny Owen McManus, Dugra
Sat. 12th	8 p.m.	John McManus, parents Mai and Pat, Nure
Sun. 13th	10 a.m.	Gemma Henry, Clonellan

**Servers:** Saturday 12th: Team 10; Sunday 13th Team 3.

Coffee Morning, Cake Sale, Sale of Work and Mission Display in Drum Parish hall on Sun. 6th Nov. at 11a.m. immediately after the rosary in the cemetery. Organised by Drum Apostolic Work. Your support would be much appreciated.

**DRUM I.F.A.....** A.G.M. on Monday, 7th November at 9 p.m. in Drum Parish Hall. All members welcome.

**MAYO-ROSCOMMON HOSPICE** recent Church gate collection in Drum was the sum of €514. Thank you for all your support.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE MAIN BELL CIRCLE WINNERS FOR 1st Nov.**  
€200: Mary Hogan, €50: Deirdre & Finbarr Moran & €30: Johnny Lennon.

Monthly Mass & Meeting of **SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER** on Wed 9th Nov. at 10 A.M. & 7.30 P.M. in Friary. 7.30 p.m. meeting in Friary Hall.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Please consider committing to a weekly hour of prayer in Chapel of Adoration Castle St. Athlone People needed for Mon. 9pm.Wed 9am,or 5pm, Thurs3pm or 5pm. Sat10am,3pm 4pm. Please contact Liturgical Centre at 0906492278

**RELAX KIDS CLASSES-** to help children cope with anxiety and to boost their self esteem - 8/10th Nov. for 6 weeks. €50 4-5p.m. Tues/Thurs for 6-8yrs or Tues 5-6pm for 9-12yrs in Dancing Soul Monkland. Tel. Niamh 0863623971

**CHRISTMAS CARD CLASSES** (hand made cards) starting 8th & 9th Nov. for adults & children. Contact Kay at 0872067897

## CLONOWN MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 6th November: Elizabeth (Lil) Ward, Curnaboll (1st anniversary)  
Sunday, 13th November: Frank & Tommy Ward, Curnaboll.

**Mayo-Roscommon Hospice** recent church gate collection in Clonown was the sum of €195.. Thank you for all your support