

St. Augustine's Church, Clontuskert

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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time 105.5FM Radio 13th September 2026

Masses and liturgical services live streamed. www.churchamlive.ie/clontuskert

Mass Bookings & notices for newsletter contact - 087 6305804

Masses

10am Sunday 13th September Intentions of all parishioners.

10am Sunday 20th " Kevin & Nora Kelly & all deceased members of the Kelly Family.

Please continue to pray for all the sick of the parish and for peace.

Readers for September: Sunday 6th: Mary Darcy; Sunday 13th: Liam Howley;

Sunday 20th: Jim Stephenson; Sunday 27th: Monica Cormican.

Ministers of the Eucharist for September: Sunday 6th: Maria Brennan;

Sunday 13th: Frances Turley; Sunday 20th: Padraic Colohan; Sunday 27th: Jim Stephenson.

Altar Society for September: Phil Lally & Mary Molloy.

Clontuskert Rounders Club End of Season Open Day – Come along to Clontuskert Pitch on Sunday 20th September, 11am–1pm for a fun morning of batting, blitz games, challenges and more! All ages welcome – children and adults, no experience necessary, come along and have a go. This is a great opportunity to try something new, get active and have some fun in the community!

We are thrilled to announce that Clontuskert Drama Group is reconvening on Wednesday, 16th September at 8:30pm, in the Community Hub, Clontuskert, H53D602. New and old members welcome. We'd love to see you there!

Grupa Bàn, Craft Group is back! We're recommencing on Wednesday 23rd September 8:00 - 9:30pm in the Community Hub, Eircode H53D602. Join us for a lovely evening of crochet, knitting, crafts, chats and a cuppa. Looking forward to seeing everyone again - and we'd love to welcome some new faces. No experience needed.

Ballinasloe Faith & Fun Club (3rd - 5th Class / 8 - 11 years) now enrolling for 2026/2027 school year. More information @ www.creideamh.ie/cfm. All children welcome. Places limited.

Ballinasloe & District Pioneer Youth Club Junior and Senior Divisions (10 - 17 years) now enrolling for 2026/2027 school year. More information @ www.creideamh.ie/youth-club. All welcome.

Coffee Day Wellbeing Meetup. On Wednesday, 16th September, (2- 4pm), Ballinasloe Family Centre H53 NX59. This can be a good opportunity for people to find out about REGARI Recovery College without committing to any session. For more information please contact: Amanda Hunt, Email: regarirecoverycollege@gmail.com, Tel: 087 968 4352. All voices welcome. 18+

Annual Mass Celebrating St Grellan our local patron. Thursday 17th September 2026 7pm at St Grellan's Holy Well, Tober Grellan Ballinasloe H53C854

Galway City Camino – 19 September Join a self-guided pilgrimage to seven holy places in Galway City, beginning at Galway Cathedral anytime from 12 noon and returning by 5.30pm. Further details: galwaycathedral.ie or phone 091 563577.

SAVE THE DATE - A Winter's Evening Concert of Music and Song takes place on Sunday 22nd November in Kiltormer GAA Complex at 3pm. More information and tickets will be available very soon.

ACCORD Ballinasloe are committed to providing a professional counselling service for individuals and couples who are experiencing difficulties in their marriage and relationships. This confidential service is available and affordable. Contact 090 9643573 for appointment or E-mail accordballinasloe@gmail.com

Accord CLG is seeking an Executive Director who will be the chief executive officer of Accord CLG and be responsible for providing strategic and operational leadership across the organisation. The deadline for applications is 12 noon on Monday, 28 September 2026. For more information, visit www.forvismazars.com/ie/en/executiverecruitment

Western Alzheimers urgently need Volunteer Befrienders in your area. Do you have one to two hours per week to spare? Contact Lucy at 094-9364900 or 087-3694477.

Marriage Encounter Ireland invites married couples to a residential Weekend from Friday 2nd to Sunday 4th October 2026 at the "Focolare Centre" "Curryhills", Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Step away from daily distractions to deepen your communication, renew your love, and rediscover the joy of your marriage. www.marriageencounter.ie

Bereavement Information Evening especially dedicated to supporting surviving siblings this autumn. This event is open to all parents whose child or children have died, regardless of the age of their child, circumstances of their death, or time since bereavement. We are also opening this Bereavement Information Evening to bereaved adult siblings over 18. This event will take place online on Tuesday 15 September at 7pm **Register here for Anam Cara Online Bereavement Information Evening.**

World Youth Day 2027 Seoul Ages 19-30 Expression of Interest Are you interested in joining our pilgrimage to Korea for World Youth Day 2027? If so, send an email with your name, age and parish to dlohan@clonfertgalway.ie Travel Dates will be 27th July - 12th August 2027 approx.

FINAL CALL: RCIA 2026/2027 – Thinking of Becoming Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is for adults who have never been baptised, belong to another Christian tradition, or are baptised Catholics who haven't received Confirmation or Eucharist. The journey begins this autumn. Closing date: Friday, 18 September. To find out more, contact the parish or email rcia@anghailil.ie.

Loughrea Family Resource Centre Memory Café A welcoming space for people living with memory loss and their carers. The third Wednesday in every month, next meeting 16th September 2.00 – 4.00pm. For further information, please contact Joanne Waters 087 270 5073

September is Gynaecological Cancer Awareness Month is an opportunity to learn more about the 5 gynaecological cancers –womb (endometrial), ovarian, cervical, vulval and vaginal cancer. Our new flipbook provides information on risk factors, signs and symptoms, and the importance of knowing what is normal for you. Taking a few minutes to learn the signs and symptoms could make a huge difference. If you notice any unusual or persistent changes for you, speak to your GP.

Kiltormer G.A.A. Club Weekly Lottery Results 6th September - Jackpot: €5,100. Numbers drawn: 16,18,28,31. No Jackpot Winner. Lucky Dips: James, Neveah, Finley, & Caiden Glynn, Clare Curley, Dermot Cox, Stephen Cormican, Aoiheann Smith. Sellers Prize: Padraig Glynn. Jackpot next week: €5,200. Venue: Sports Complex. Thank you for your continued support.

Have Your Say on the Future of Sport and Physical Activity in Galway! Galway County Council & Galway Sports Partnership is developing a new Local Sports Plan, and we want to hear from you. Your feedback will help shape opportunities for people of all ages and abilities to be active, healthy, and involved in sport across the county over the coming years. For more info contact galwayactive@galwaycoco.ie

CHURCH MUSIC AVAILABLE FOR WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS. For information, Contact Katie by ringing 0872590302

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