



WELCOME  
TO THE WEDDING MASS OF

AOIFE O'CONNOR

*and*

ORÁN QUINN

11 | 05 | 2023

St Patrick's and St Brigid's Church  
Glenariffe

**Lighting of Candle**  
**Penitential Rite**  
**The Gloria**  
**Opening Prayer**  
**The Liturgy of the Word**

**First Reading;** Julie-Ann Rainey

A Reading from the Book of Ruth (1:16-17)

Wherever you go, I will go. Wherever you live, I will live. Your people shall be my people and your God will be my God too. Wherever you die, I will die and there I will be buried beside you. We shall be together forever and our love will be the gift of God.

The word of the Lord. **All;** Thanks be to God

**Responsorial Psalm**

**Second Reading;** Stephen McCann

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Colossians (3:12-17)

You are God's chosen race, his saints; he loves you, and you should be clothed in sincere compassion, in kindness and humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with one another; forgive each other as soon as the quarrel begins. The Lord has forgiven you; now you must do the same. Over all these clothes, to keep them together and complete them. Put on love. And may the peace of Christ reign in your hearts, because it is for this that you were called together as parts of one body.

Always be thankful. Let the message of Christ, in all its richness, find a home with you. Teach each other, and advise each other, in all wisdom. With gratitude in your hearts, sing psalms, hymns, and inspired songs to God; and never say or do anything except in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

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**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia

**Gospel**

**Homily**

**The Rite of Marriage**

**Declaration of Consent**

**Fr White:** I invite you to declare before God and his Church your consent to become husband and wife.

**Fr White:** Orán, do you take Aoife, as your wife, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health all the days of your life.

**Orán:** I do.

**Fr White:** Aoife, do you take Orán, as your husband, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health all the days of your life.

**Aoife:** I do.

**Fr White:** What God joins together man must not separate. May the Lord confirm the consent that you have given and enrich you with his blessings.

**All:** Amen.

### **Blessing & Exchange of the Rings**

#### **Exchange of Rings**

#### **Lighting of the Marriage Candle**

Aoife and Orán light their marriage candle symbolising their unity in Marriage.

#### **Prayers of the Faithful**

**Caoimhe:** On this special day we ask that you bless Aoife and Orán on their journey through life. May they rejoice with one another in moments of strength, and be compassionate towards each other in moments of weakness. May they love and appreciate one another for who they are. Lord, hear us. **All:** Lord, graciously hear us.

**Caitlín:** By this marriage, two families have been united. May both families continue to be a source of love, support, and guidance through Aoife and Orán's life. Lord, hear us. **All:** Lord, graciously hear us.

**Niamh:** We remember the smiles and laughter of those who have gone before us, especially Oran's brother Niall, who would have loved to share in the joy and happiness of this day. We thank God for the happy memories they have left with us. May God one day unite us again. Lord, hear us. **All:** Lord, graciously hear us.

**Danielle:** We pray for the private intentions of all here present, that God may grant you and your loved ones your requests and guide you happily through life. Lord, hear us. **All:** Lord, graciously hear us.

**Catriona:** For the sick and those who are bereaved, while we are celebrating, that in their suffering and loneliness they may experience the strength of God's support. Lord, hear us. **All:** Lord, graciously hear us.

### **Offertory Procession**

#### **Liturgy of the Eucharist**

#### **Prayer over the Offerings**

**Eucharistic Prayer  
Communion Rite  
Nuptial Blessing  
Prayer after Communion  
Final Blessing**

**Wedding Party**

**Celebrant:** Fr David White

**Bride:** Aoife O'Connor

**Groom:** Orán Quinn

**Maid of Honour:** Orla Whelan | **Bridesmaids:** Katrina Quinn, Aleshia Quinn

**Best Man:** Paudie Elliot | **Groomsmen:** Darren Quinn, Cormac Gaston

**First Reading:** Julie-Ann Rainey

**Second Reading:** Stephen McCann

**Prayers of the Faithful:** Caoimhe Reid, Caitlín Quinn-McDermott, Niamh O'Connor, Danielle Quinn, Catriona Wheeler

**Music:** The Gribben Sisters

**Thank you**

We would like to thank you all for sharing our special day. We are honoured and blessed that you have travelled from near and far to celebrate with us. We hope you all have an enjoyable day, and we look forward to sharing the beginning of our next adventure with you. Please make your way to the Leighinmohr Hotel for dinner, drinks, and dancing.

With Love,

*The New Mr & Mrs Quinn*

**Drinks reception | 2.15pm | Leighinmohr House Hotel,  
Ballymena**