

Clarecastle - Ballyea Parish

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Sunday Mass: Clarecastle 9am & 12noon Ballyea 10.30am

Saturday Mass: Clarecastle 7pm Ballyea 8pm

Weekday Mass: Clarecastle 10am

All items for Newsletter to Parish Office by 5pm on Wednesday or email: clarecastleballyea@eircom.net

10th September 2017

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat. 9th Sept. 7pm Anniv. John Mullahy, Church Drive.
Sun. 10th Sept. 9am Anniv. Tolly Guinnane & Deceased members of Guinnane Family
Sun. 10th Sept. 12noon Anniv. Gerard McCarthy, Glenard.
Fri. 15th Sept. 7pm Anniv. Gerard McArdle.
Sat. 16th Sept. 7pm Anniv. Paddy & Theresa O'Neill, Church Drive.
Sun. 17th Sept. 9am Anniv. Vaughan Walker, Ballybeg.
Sun. 17th Sept. 12noon Anniv. Bridie & Seán Kenny, Barnstick.

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sat. 9th Sept. 8pm Anniv. John & Bridget Carrigg, Tiermaclane.
Sat. 16th Sept. 8pm Anniv. Deceased members of McGuane & McDonnell Families.



Pray for the happy repose of the souls of George Gillan, Innismore, father of Tommy, Garden View, and Maura Kelleher, Newtownshandrum, sister of Frances Bergin, Manus, who died during the week. We offer our condolences to their family and friends.

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle: Coin: €599.65: Envelopes €511.50 = €1,111.15

Priests Collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend, 16th & 17th Sept.

Grotto: We draw your attention to the fact that the Statue of Our Lady in the Grotto will be taken away this week for repair, cleaning and repainting. It will be returned as soon as the work is completed.

Diocesan Youth Faith Festival takes place on Saturday, 30th Sept. in St. Flannan's College Ennis. It's open to those in Transition Year to Leaving Cert. Registration @ 9.30am with various workshops throughout the day. Lunch is provided & the entire event is free of charge. Info stands from 2.30 pm. For details contact Tracy on Facebook @ KillaloeDiocesanYouthFaithFest or phone Cora on 087 240 0135. All welcome.

Mother's Prayer every Tuesday afternoon from 3pm – 4pm in the Meeting Room at the back of Clarecastle Church. All Mothers and Grandmothers welcome.

The National Annual Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Sunday, 24th September with Bishop Fintan Monahan as Chief Celebrant & Homilist.

We ask all Readers, Eucharistic Ministers and those entering and exiting the Sanctuary from the church: to enter at the side aisle sides, using the brass handrails to assist them. This is a very important request in the interest of Health & Safety.

Pope Francis has designated the period between September 1st & October 4th as the Season of Creation. In these times we encourage you to have a new appreciation for the beautiful world around us. We also invite you to keep an eye out for the events being organised by Killaloe Diocese Justice, Peace and Care of Creation committee to mark this special time.

Clarecastle Show Society will present the second annual show, at Clarecastle GAA grounds on Sunday, 17th Sept. A programme to excite and delight has been prepared for all. Please participate in this major event. See you there.

Céilí in Abbey Hall, Clarecastle on Monday, 11th September at 9pm. All are welcome.

Social Media – Challenge for Parents by Dr. Maureen Griffin, forensic psychologist, on **Monday, 11th Sept. at 8pm** at the Temple Gate Hotel. **Adm: €5** covering social networking sites, social messaging, chatting apps, video streaming sites, mobile device safety, sexting and cyber-bullying and much more. Supported by Ennis Mental Health Association and MGMS Training Limited.

Speech & Drama: Classes resume in the Old School Bldg, Clarecastle on Thursdays after school for primary age children. Teenager classes resume in Friary Hall, Ennis on Monday evenings. Contact Eileen Fitzgerald AIBSD, LTCL on 086 818 7549.

Burren Outdoor Retreat - Friday 22nd - Sunday 24th Sept. Would you like to come on a guided journey through the Burren with its limestone pavements, rare flora and ancient sacred sites? Let the beauty of the amazing Burren landscape renew you in body and soul. Phone Mary 087 970 1130 or Nóirín 087 945 9151.

Piano Lessons - Edenvale, Ennis. L.L.C.M. qualified - experienced Teacher. Phone: Marie at 087 648 3498.

Ennis & Clare Branch of the Samaritans are holding Information Sessions at Sunville, Kilrush Rd., Ennis on Tue. 12th & Thurs. 14th Sept. from 7.30 pm - 9.30 pm. Anyone who is interested in joining Samaritans no formal qualifications or specialised experience is required. Anybody over 18 years can become a Volunteer. Training will be provided. To register your interest phone Colette at 089 2475946.

Clarecastle/Ballyea Youth Choir will resume rehearsals on Friday, 22nd Sept. at 8pm in Old School Bldg. in Clarecastle. Any youth aged 13yrs – 18yrs that wishes to join this inspirational team of young people for this term Sept. – 31st Dec. please contact Claire Connellan on 086 155 0442 ***before 22nd September.***

Parenting Programme For Separated Parents commencing Wed. 11th October for 6 weeks mornings from 10.30am to 12.30pm at Clarecare, Harmony Row. Phone Michelle on 6894246 for further details.

Live the Word: Try something new today, take a different route, change up your routine, be spontaneous, be present and be spur of the moment.