

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 please, or email: clarecastleballyea@eircom.net

15th May 2016 – Pentecost Sunday

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

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| Sat. | 14 th | May | 7pm | Anniv. | John & Agnes O'Connor, Patrick Street |
| Sun. | 15 th | May | 12noon | Anniv. | Kay, Joe & Anne Hewitt, Knocknamana |
| Mon. | 16 th | May | 10am | Anniv. | Pauline Maher. |
| Tues. | 17 th | May | 10am | Anniv. | Pappy McCready. |
| Sat. | 21 st | May | 7pm | Anniv. | Martin & Mary O'Grady, St. Michael's Tce. |
| Sun. | 22 nd | May | 12noon | M.M. | Kathy Roughan, Church View. |

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Pray for the happy repose of the souls of Phyllis O'Doherty, Doonbeg, mother of Michael, Newhall and John Doohan, Ennis, father of Siobhan O'Connell, Claremount, who died during the week. We offer our condolences to their family and friends.

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle Coin: €420.75 Envelopes: €559.25 = €980.00:

Killaloe Lourdes Invalid Fund this annual collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend 14th & 15th May. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

Trócaire 2016 Collection This collection is a very important one for people in impoverished areas served by Trócaire volunteers. Proceeds go to building up much needed infrastructure and education to help people better their lives. Last year €5,278.41 was collected from Clarecastle & Ballyea Parish. The collection will remain open until Sunday, 29th May for people who still may wish to contribute to this very worthy cause. Total collected to date for 2016 is €3,412.50.

Ballybeg /Rockmount Grotto Rosary recited during the month of May at 8pm.

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Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation (JPIC) 'Your Kingdom Come: A Spirituality of JPIC' talk which will be delivered by Fr. Gearóid Ó Conaire OFM. Tuesday 17th May, 8pm in the Pastoral Centre, Ennis.

Maranatha Prayer Ministry Healing Retreat on Pentecost Sunday, 15th May at 2.30pm; St. Paul's Church, Dooradoyle, Limerick. Afternoon includes Spirit filled Praise and Worship Music and Song, Talk, Confessions and Mass. Tea after in hall.

Bereavement Support Information: There will be a free talk on Bereavement at Milford Care Centre, Castletroy, Limerick on Tues. 24th May at 7pm. Please read the notice on the Church Notice Boards in Clarecastle and Ballyea for full information.

The Parkinsons' Association of Ireland are holding an Information Day in the Radisson Hotel, Ennis Rd, Limerick on Sunday, 29th May from 10.30am – 4pm.

Quiz Night fundraiser in aid of Clarecastle Scouts on Friday, 20th May in Powers pub at 8.30pm. A fun night with spot prizes to be won. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Clarecastle Tidy Towns The Tidy Towns judging competition commences on 1st June. A huge effort needs to be put in over the next few weeks to continue the fantastic progress we have made over the last few years. Volunteers are needed for planting, weeding as well as litter picking plus other odd jobs. Please contact your area rep. or phone Christy at 086 8357932.

Tidy Towns Sponsorship: Would you like to sponsor a self watering basket (€50) or planter half barrel (€100)? Please contact Gerry at Clarecastle P.O. for further details.

Exam Mass for students preparing to sit exams in June will be held on Sunday, 5th June at 12noon Mass. All students and their families are most welcome to attend.



Milford Hospice 5km Memorial Walk will take place on Sunday, 29th May at 12noon at University of Limerick Sports Arena. To register phone 061 485 859 or log on to www.eventmaster.ie or email fundraising@milfordcarecentre.ie.

Clare Burren Marathon Challenge on Sat. 28th May in the Burren. Walk - Jog - Run, both on & off road, across the beautiful Burren. For further details phone 087 777 9714 or <http://www.clareburrenmarathonchallenge.com>.

Ennis Flower and Garden Club present Samantha Foran, Galway, at Tracy's West County Hotel, on Tuesday, 17th May at 8.15pm. Doors open 7.30pm. All are welcome. Admission €10 (non members).

Eimear Lennon-Power is hosting a coffee morning to support the work of the Clare Crusaders in Ballyea Community Centre on Thursday, 26th May from 9am - 4.30 pm. All are welcome and your support is greatly appreciated.

Clare Roots Society next meeting Thurs. 19th May at 8pm in Old Ground Hotel, Genetic Genealogy Question & Answer Session. If you have any questions about your DNA results, or genetic genealogy in general, please bring them along to this meeting.

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 6th May '16

13, 14, 19 27: No Jackpot Winner: 4 Match 3 Winners of €38.00 ea:

Rainbow, c/o Bingo: John Brack, c/o Magpies: Michael Hall, c/o Bingo: Connie McMahon, Ennis:

Next Week's Jackpot €14,000: Friday, 13th May '16.

Ballyea Clondegad GAA Lotto: Winning Numbers for Mon. 9th May '16

2, 5, 11, 17: No Jackpot or Match 3 Winners: 5 Lucky Dips Winners of Co Board Draw Ticket:

Martin O'Donovan, Islandyanna: Gerry Longe, Ballyea: Margaret Clancy, Lissycasey:

Mikey Hehir, Cragbrien: Mikey Walle, Darragh:

Next Week's Jackpot: €12,000: Reserve Lotto: €12,000: on Mon. 16th May – Daly's Bar

SAFEGUARDING The Month of May has been dedicated to emphasising the importance of Safeguarding Children: A new Safeguarding Children Policy and Standards for the Catholic Church in Ireland was published in April 2016. This replaces the existing Killaloe Diocese Safeguarding Children Policy & Procedures. Over the next few months this will be communicated throughout the Diocese by information sessions. Dates can be found of the safeguarding page of the Diocese website.

