

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

27th March 2016 – Easter Sunday

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sun.	27 th	Mar	9am	Anniv.	Mary Mullins, Church Drive
Mon.	28 th	Mar	10am	Anniv.	Catherine & Michael Ryan
Tues.	29 th	Mar	10am	Anniv.	Dettie & Tom Kelleher, Clareabbey
Thurs	31 st	Mar	10am	M.M.	Angela Tully, Church Drive
Fri.	1 st	Apr	10am	Anniv.	Bridget Hickey
Fri.	1 st	Apr	7pm	Anniv.	Robert & Maura Cole, Quay Road
Sat.	2 nd	Apr	7pm	Anniv.	Michael Leyden, Clareabbey
Sun.	3 rd	Apr	9am	Anniv.	James Chair, Buncraggy
Sun.	3 rd	Apr	12noon	Anniv.	Pat Talty, IslandMcGrath

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Sat.	2 nd	Apr	8pm	Anniv.	The Kenny Family, Bansha
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First Friday: 1st April Mass in Clarecastle at 10am & 7pm / Mass in Ballyea at 8pm

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle Coin: €629.30 Envelopes: €480.70 = €1,110.00:

Priests Collection Sincere Thanks to everyone who contributed so very generously to the Priests collection last weekend. This collection is still open for anyone who wishes to contribute. *Thank you* for your continued support.

THANK YOU On behalf of everyone at Sláinte an Chláir, Clare Cancer Support, we want to *Thank You* very much for the very generous donation of €345.43 from the funeral and in memory of Noreen Moloney, Skehanagh, who died recently.

Killaloe Diocesan Youth Council (KDYC) Congratulations to the members of KDYC for the beautiful way they celebrated the liturgy of the Mass of the Lord's Supper on RTE 1 television on Holy Thursday. They brought the message of this day to so many people around the country, especially the sick and housebound, in a spiritual and moving way. We compliment all who work with and facilitate the work of the Council, especially the members of the Council and the adult volunteers from our own parish. We also Thank the members of KDYC for providing the music and singing at our masses in Clarecastle on St. Patrick's Day. We are grateful for their presence and they are welcome anytime.

Trócaire Thanks to all our Parishioners who have contributed to Trócaire's Lenten Appeal 2016. The Lenten appeal is Trócaire's main outreach appeal to the Irish people to aid their work each year. Trócaire provides training, education and assistance in so many of the undeveloped countries in the world. The fund in our parish will remain open for a few more weeks and we urge anyone who can make a contribution who has not yet done so and would like to contribute to make their contribution in the next few weeks.

Easter Thanks We wish all our Parishioners a very happy Easter and we pray that the joy of the Risen Christ will offer you hope and many of God's blessings. A very special word of thanks and appreciation the very many people who helped in the preparations of the Easter Ceremonies. The contributions of so many people have ensured that we had very fitting, moving and prayerful ceremonies this Easter. So to every single person from the youngest to the eldest who were part of our Easter Celebrations or their preparation we say Mile Buíochas. The contributions of all are welcome in our parish and if you would like to volunteer please do so, you will be welcome.



Lourdes Pilgrimage Any young person who would like to travel as a helper on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 26th June to 1st July should please apply to The Youth Committee, c/o Fr. Pat, Parochial House, Clarecastle by 6p.m. on Friday next the 1st April. Those who travel on the pilgrimage in this capacity will be working closely with the nursing staff in the hospital and attending to the needs of the sick. Any young person applying must be in Senior Cycle in school and be under the age of 18 years on 2nd July. The young person will need also to be open to the spiritual message of Lourdes. In past years many young people have travelled on the pilgrimage and they always have spoken of their experience in very positive terms.

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 18th March '16

2, 12, 26, 28: No Jackpot Winner: 1 Match 3 Winners of €150.00:

Kieran Farmer, Clarecastle:

Next Week's Jackpot €12,600: Friday, 25th March '16.

Ballyea Clondegad GAA Lotto: Winning Numbers for Mon. 21st March '16

3, 5, 19, 23: No Jackpot Winner: 5 Match 3 Winners:

Daniel Liddy, Darragh: Nora Considine, Dromadrehid: Stephen McGuane, Ballynacally:

Stephanie Hehir, Drumquin: Liam Daly, Lissycasey:

Next Week's Jackpot: €12,000: Reserve Lotto: €12,000: on Tues. 29th March in The Local Inn

PILATES commencing on Thursday, 31st March at Clarecastle N.S. @ 7.15pm. 6 week course. Men & Women welcome. Please contact Eilish on 087-7416724.

Fern Celtic Annual 5km Fun Run/2km Walk takes place at 11am Easter Monday. Registration from 10am in Ballyea Community Centre. €10 p/p or €15 per couple. Group concessions also apply. Lots of fun and prizes, with complimentary refreshments served afterwards in the hall.

Community Games Swimming Finals for Clarecastle/Ballyea area will be held on Wednesday, 6th April from 6-7 at Ennis Swimming Pool. Registration from 5.15pm to 5.45pm only. €2 per entry. Check Clare Community Games website for age categories.

Clarecastle GAA membership evening for all underage players hurling & camogie on Wed. evening from 6.30 to 7.30 in the clubhouse. Any queries to membership officers Paul Murphy 087 8396757, Ruairi Concannon 087 9465749 or Lorraine McNamara 086 2105588.

Castle Courtyard Market Open every Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Now stocking garden plants, hanging baskets and lots more. Please support.

