

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

28th May 2017

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat.	27 th	May	7pm	Anniv.	Valerie & Catherine Healy.
Sun.	28 th	May	12noon	Anniv.	Liam Lynch, Lissane.
Fri.	2 nd	June	10am	Anniv.	Mary & Brian Jones, England
Fri.	2 nd	June	7pm	Anniv.	Maureen & John O'Meara, Killoo.
Sat.	3 rd	June	11am	M.M.	Marcella Reynolds, England (wife of Tony, Manus)
Sat.	3 rd	June	7pm	Anniv.	Nancy, Peter(Snr) & Peter (Jnr) Dillon, St. Michael's Tce.
Sun.	4 th	June	12noon	Anniv.	John & Mary Burke, Ballyvonnovaun.

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Sun.	28 th	May	10.30am	Anniv.	Brigid Meaney & Family
Sat.	3 rd	June	8pm	Anniv.	George Killoughery, Ballyea.



Pray for the happy repose of the souls of Jimmy Sheehan, Manus and J.J. O'Dea, Killimer, Kilrush, father of Karen Spriggs, Primrose Gardens who died during the week. We offer our condolences to their family and friends.

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle: Coin: €426.10: Envelopes €615.50 = €1,041.60

First Friday, 2nd June: Mass in Clarecastle at 10am & 7pm & Mass in Ballyea at 8pm.

Peter's Pence & Diocesan Needs Collection will be taken up next weekend Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th June. Your continued support is very much appreciated.

Mass at Claremount Grotto will be held on Monday 29th May at 8pm. All are welcome.

Mass at Manus Grotto will be held on Wednesday, 31st May at 8pm. All are welcome.

Diocesan Safeguarding We recognise all the good work with children and young people going on in our parish and thank all the volunteers that give their time and commitment in this work. We all have a responsibility to safeguard children through promoting their welfare, health and development in a safe and caring environment that supports their best interests and prevents abuse.

Taizé Prayer using the songs of Taizé, on Thursday, 1st June at the Church of Our Lady, Roslevan from 7.45pm – 8.30pm. All are welcome, bring a friend.

National Volunteer Week in Ireland for World Meeting of Families is now open. You can apply to volunteer at www.worldmeeting2018.ie/volunteer.

Mass for Exam Students will be celebrated in **Ballyea Church on Saturday 3rd June** at 8pm and the Mass for exam students in **Clarecastle Church has been changed to Saturday, 3rd June at 7pm.** Prayer cards and book to sign in student's names that are taking exams will be open from this weekend. **All are welcome.**

Parish Radio Link Belltron Electronics has been commissioned to replace the parish radio system. They are Dublin based and hope to be working in Clare in the first week of June and they will undertake the work then. Apologies for any inconvenience caused. We would appreciate if all parishioners who hear the Mass on the parish radio link to please contact the parish office as there may be some adjustments to be made in each home to receive the broadcast.

Croagh Patrick Climb in aid of Breast Cancer takes place on Sunday, 2nd July. Buses departing from Ennis, Clarecastle & Shannon. Phone 087-619 9007 for further details
Clarecastle Tidy Town Activities next meeting on Monday, 29th May in Old School at 8pm. A big thank you to all the extra volunteers that helped out during the last few weeks - really encouraging to see local residents groups carrying out work in their own areas and what a difference it makes to overall appearance of Clarecastle - we still have lots of work to do and special appeal for more volunteers for next few weeks in particular. The Tidy Towns Competition starts June weekend and the judging of Clarecastle could start from June 1st so we need to put in a huge effort over the next few weeks if we are to continue the fantastic progress over the last few years. If you can pledge just one hour a week for next few weeks please come along to Meeting on Monday evening - if you cannot make it please ensure that your own immediate area is litter & weed free. This year we are targeting zero litter on our streets and a big improvement on overall Tidiness. This is a community project and everybody can get involved.

Irish Summer Camp from 12th – 16th June for 1st & 2nd Year Secondary School Students, speaking Irish and having fun at Clarecastle GAA facilities. Limited spaces, for reservations phone Breda on 087 279 0172 or email collinsbreda@hotmail.com

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 19th May '17

2, 20, 25, 28: No Jackpot Winner & No Match 3 Winner

Next Week's Jackpot €5,200.00 – Friday, 26th May

Community Games: Clarecastle/Ballyea is taking part in the Community Games Pathway events this year. It is being held on Friday the 16th June at 6pm in Lees Road. These events are for County level only. It goes no further than county. Clarecastle/Ballyea will be competing with other areas within the county. The events are as follows: U12 Boys and Girls 200m and hurdles, U14 Boys and Girls 400m, U16 Boys and Girls 400m. u9 Boys Multi Event and u9 Girls Multi Event. **Multi event:** A team of 4 relay - 50m each. Each child on the team has to do one event for example, ball throw, long jump etc. All entries must be in before Friday, 2nd June. All competitors must be under the specified ages on 31st July 2017 and must live in Clarecastle/Ballyea. If you would like to enter your child, phone Noelette on 086-407 7098.