

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

31st July '16

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat.	30 nd	July	7pm	Anniv.	Joe & Delia Barry, Clarehill.
Sun.	31 st	July	9am	Anniv.	John & Theresa Slattery, St. Joseph's Tce.
Sun.	31 st	July	12noon	Anniv.	Liz Mungovan, Bunraggy.
Wed.	3 rd	Aug.	10am	Anniv.	Frank & Patrick Hogan, Bunraggy
Sat.	6 th	Aug.	7pm	Anniv.	Stephen Cullinan, Clarehill

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Fri.	5 th	Aug.	8p.m.	Anniv.	Theresa Purtill, Darragh
Sat.	6 th	Aug.	8p.m.	Anniv.	John Joe Cahir, Knockanira



Pray for the happy repose of the souls of Mary Griffey, Skehanagh, mother of Mary Lyons & Patrick, Skehanagh and Martin Dillon, U.S.A. brother of Tommy, Ballybeg and Paul, Lissane, who died during the week. We offer our condolences to their family and friends.

First Friday: 5th Aug. Mass in Clarecastle at 10am & 7pm / Mass in Ballyea at 8p.m.

Bank Holiday: 1st Aug. Morning Mass will be at the usual time at 10a.m.

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle Coin: €623.50 Envelopes: €457.00 = €1,080.50:

Killaloe Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes The autumn pilgrimage from the Killaloe Diocese will depart Shannon Airport on Sunday 2nd October returning on Friday 7th October. Fare €667 per person sharing with €10 discount for online bookings. Early booking is advisable. Contact www.joewalshstours.ie or phone (01) 2410810.

The Killaloe Diocese JPIC committee welcome the publication of the Government's Action Plan for Housing and Homelessness. The plan, entitled *Rebuilding Ireland* is the largest and most comprehensive attempt to address Ireland's housing needs that any Government has published for several decades. We encourage people to pray for the homeless of Ireland, to pray for the success of the plan and to use your voice to ensure that our elected representatives will now put this plan into action. Further details available through the JPIC committee c/o 6824043.

Taizé Prayer A welcome to join us for Taizé Prayer on Thurs. 4th August at 7.45pm in Church of Our Lady, Roslevan. Join us as we celebrate the anniversary of Bro. Roger. All are welcome.

Live the Word As you start and end each day be thankful for every little thing in your life. You will soon realise how blessed you are.



Welcome to our New Bishop We welcome the appointment of Fr. Fintan Monahan, a priest of the Archdiocese of Tuam as our new bishop. Fr. Monahan is a native of Tullamore, Co. Offaly whose family moved to Galway when he was eleven years old. He studied for the priesthood for the Archdiocese of Tuam and has held a number of appointments in the diocese over the years. He has worked as Diocesan Secretary for the Archdiocese of Tuam for the last eleven years. We look forward to meeting him in Clarecastle/Ballyea later in the year. Fr. Monahan will be ordained Bishop of Killaloe in October next.

R.T.E. Mass ~ Sunday, 7th August R.T.E. will televise Mass on R.T.E. 1 on Sunday next from our parish church in Clarecastle at 11a.m. This mass is a very special moment in the lives of those who are sick, housebound or in hospital and it is our privilege to engage with them on the day. It is also a great honour for our parish of Clarecastle/Ballyea to be chosen to broadcast this Mass. We thank all in the community of Clarecastle/Ballyea for the work they put into the preparations of this Mass. Thanks especially to our wonderful young people who form our choir and play our music. You have been a treasure to work with and have been inspirational in your attendance at practices. Thanks too to the leaders of the group for all your work and especially to Claire O'Dea the choir director and Marie Neenan for their dedication and commitment to this project.

There will be **NO 10a.m. Mass** on **Saturday, 6th August**

Mass times on **Sat 6th August – Clarecastle 7p.m. & Ballyea 8p.m.**

Sunday 7th August – Clarecastle 11a.m.

Please note there will be **NO 9a.m. Mass** and **NO 12noon mass in Clarecastle church** and **NO 10.30a.m. Mass in Ballyea church on Sunday, 7th August.**

All parishioners are invited and it is hoped will attend the 11a.m. Mass on Sunday. Please follow the instructions of the stewards and be in the church by 10.40a.m.

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 22nd July '16

9, 11, 16, 18: No Jackpot Winner: 5 Match 3 Winners of €30.00 ea:

Patricia Collins, c/o Bingo: Nancy Ryan, c/o Bingo: Paddy Dunne, Manusmore:

Sharon Mullally, c/o Gerry McMahon: Michael & Mary Kearney, Killoo:

Next Week's Jackpot €2,800: Friday, 29th July '16.

Clarecastle Show Society will hold its Inaugural Show in Clarecastle GAA Grounds on Sunday 7th August. An array of imaginative family events will be on offer and, if the weather is good, a fabulous day is assured. Please support this major undertaking by being present at the Show on 7th August. See you there.

St. Joseph's Hospital Ennis is celebrating its 50th Jubilee an event comprising of Mass at 1.30p.m in St. Joseph's Parish church followed by light refreshments is organised for Saturday, 6th August '16.

Burren Outdoor Retreat Would you like to come on a guided journey through the Burren with its limestone pavements, rare flora and ancient sacred sites on Fri. 23rd – Sun. 25th Sept.? Let the beauty of the amazing Burren landscape renew in body and soul. Commuters welcome. Phone Mary 087 970 1130 or Nóirín 087 945 9151.