

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

3rd September 2017

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat. 2nd Sept. 7pm Anniv. Mary & John Sullivan, St. Michael's Tce.

Sun. 3rd Sept. 12noon M.M. Anne Lyons, Knocknamana.

Sun. 3rd Sept. 12noon Anniv. Joe Considine, Church Drive.

Wed. 6th Sept. 10am Anniv. Ted & Deborah Maher.

Fri. 8th Sept. 7pm Anniv. Anne Ryan, Greenlawn.

Sat. 9th Sept. 7pm Anniv. John Mullahy, Church Drive.

Sun. 12th Sept. 12noon Anniv. Gerard McCarthy, Glenard.

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sat. 2nd Sept. 8pm M.M. Anthony (Tony) McInerney, Ballyea.

Sun. 3rd Sept. 10.30am Anniv. Thomas & William O'Connor, Tiermaclane.

Sat. 4th Sept. 8pm Anniv. John & Bridget Carrigg, Tiermaclane.

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle: Coin: €494.59: Envelopes €497.01 = €991.60

Special Trócaire Collection: Thank you to all who contributed so generously to the recent collection held in support of the hunger crisis in East Africa, Kenya, Sudan, Somalia and Ethiopia. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. The amount collected was **€5,115.00.**

Mother's Prayer resuming on Tuesday, 5th Sept at 3pm in the Meeting Room at back of Clarecastle Church. All Mothers & 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.

Taizé Prayer at Church of Our Lady Roslevan on Thursday, 7th Sept. from 7.45pm – 8.30pm. A gentle meditative, spirit filled time out promised.

Grandparents National Annual Pilgrimage at Knock Shrine 10th Sept. at 2.30p.m.

Everybody is welcome to honour & thank Grandparents alive & dead for all they have done for us down through the ages. Chief Celebrant Archbishop Eamon Martin - Ballina School Choir - Dana sings 'Our Lady of Knock'.

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.

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.

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.

PILATES commencing at Clarecastle N.S from Thursday, 7th Sept. @7.15pm, 6 week course €55. Men & Women welcome. Phone Eilish on 087 7416 724 for details.

Ennis Singers Club: Friday. 8th Sept. in the Grove Bar & Restaurant, Roslevan, Special Guest: Frances Kennedy, Listowel - Fresh from the Fleadh! Proceeds to Sláinte an Chláir Cancer Centre, Kilnamona. All are welcome.

Community Hedgecutting Grant available – €50 per km Application forms available online at www.clarecoco.ie or from Áras Contae an Chláir, New Road, Ennis. Closing date is **Monday, 30th October.**

Evelyn MacMahon School of Speech & Drama: Classes resuming for primary and secondary pupils. Enrolment at St. Columba's Church Hall, Bindon St. on Wed. 13th Sept. 4.30pm. Phone Evelyn MacMahon on 085 188 4158.

Clare Roots Society is preparing to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the tragedy at Carmody's Hotel, 15th January 1958 and is seeking your help. Do you have any connection with the former Carmody's Hotel? Are you related to the former owners, Carmody or the McKenna families? Did you work at the hotel? Any information or Old Photos of the hotel would be much appreciated; these will be returned safely to the owner. Please contact; secretary@clareroots.org or phone John Bradley 086 371 8822.

Colaiste Muire, Ennis – 50th Anniversary Reunion: Attention Colaiste Leaving Cert Class 1967. We are having a get together on **Saturday 7th October** at the Old Ground Hotel. If you are interested in attending, contact Mary Horan (Campbell) at marybhoran@yahoo.co.uk. Please let your fellow classmates.

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.**

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 25th August '17

9, 14, 23, 27: No Jackpot Winner: 1 Match 3 Winner of €150.

Mary Lynch, Islandmegrath:

Next Week's Jackpot €3,000.00: Friday, 1st September '17