

Clarecastle – Ballyea Parish

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Sunday Mass: Clarecastle 9am & 12noon & Ballyea 10.30am

Saturday Mass: Clarecastle 7pm **Weekday Mass:** Clarecastle 10am

All items for Newsletter to Parish Office by 5pm on Wednesday

Or email: parish@clarecastleballyeaparish.ie

20th July 2025, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	19 th	July	4pm	M.M.	Ena Higgins Lissane Road
Sat	19 th	July	7pm	1 st Anniv	Michael Daly Quay Road and
				Anniv	Haulie & Helen Daly Quay Road
Sun	20 th	July	9am	Anniv	Dec'd Members of Clarecastle Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann
Sun	20 th	July	12 noon	Anniv	Mona & Stephen Moloney Limerick Road
Tues	22 nd	July	10am	1 st Anniv	Cyril Geoghegan Ballybeg & New York
Thurs	24 th	July	7pm		Mass of Light & Peace in Gaza
Sat	26 th	July	7pm	Anniv	Michael Lynch IslandMcGrath
Sat	26 th	July	7pm	Anniv	Eugene Brennan Kildysart Road
Sat	26 th	July	7pm	Anniv	Reg Egan

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sun	20 th	July	10.30am	Anniv	Betty Purtill & Dec'd Purtill Family Ennis & Darragh
Sun	20 th	July	10.30am	Anniv	Susan O'Neill Tiermaclane
Sun	20 th	July	10.30am	Anniv	Matthew Haugh Darragh



We remember in our prayers the repose of the soul of **Pauline Borda** Hermitage & Malta sister of Fionnuala Reidy Ballyea. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to her family and friends at this time.

Clarecastle/Ballyea Bereavement Group: We are a parish based group whose aims are to help those who are bereaved and grieving. When a Family member dies within or outside of the Parish you may need a 'Listening Ear'. Members of the Parish Bereavement Group can be there for you to talk to. If you think we can help, please contact us at bereavementgroupclarecastle@gmail.com or the Parish Office on (065) 6823011. You are not alone; we are here to support you.

Clare Suicide Bereavement Support: We are a group of fully-trained volunteers providing confidential emotional support to individuals, families and communities who are Bereaved by Suicide whether recently or in the past. We befriend, listen, support and care – providing a service that is free of charge. Our contact details, Innovation House, Roslevan Centre, Tulla Rd, Ennis Co Clare. Telephone numbers 086 0565373/087 3698315.

Day Pilgrimage to "God's Cottage and Prayer Centre": Glendalough from Ennis on Sunday the 24th of August, 2025. Day includes bus departing beside Ennis Cathedral at 7.30am, (and also Applegreen Junction 27 off Motorway) Prayer, Praying the Psalms, Mass, Guided Walk and talk by Fr. Thady Doyle. Cost of Bus return €45. Booking, payment and further information- Frank (087) 9652864.

National Grandparents and Elderly Pilgrimage at Knock Shrine: On Sunday 27th July at 2.30pm. A day of grace, blessing, and prayers for families, our church, and our future. All are welcome to attend, bring your family, bring hope and joy.

Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Bishop Fintan will lead our Diocesan Autumn Jubilee Pilgrimage to Lourdes from Monday 29th September to Saturday 4th October, direct from Shannon Airport. The remaining seats can be booked with joewalshtours.ie or tel; 01 2410800.

Thanks: The parish contribution for 2025 in aid of the work of Trocaire has been forwarded to Trocaire. The collection raised €4,557.00 We express our gratitude to all who contributed to this very worthy cause, and we as a parish wish Trocaire every success and blessing in its pastoral outreach on behalf of the Irish Church to people in need in our world.

Priest's Collection: Fr. Harry and Fr. Pat wish to acknowledge and thank all who contributed to the recent Priest's Collection, your generosity is much appreciated.

Peace Mass For Gaza: A special mass for the people of Gaza and all who are suffering due to the war in that part of the world will take place in Clarecastle Church on Thursday 24th July at 7pm. The mass will be a prayerful space to remember those who are suffering because of the war, the courage and bravery of those who offer their professional and caring presence to help those who are suffering. It is a mass praying that the light of hope may shine on this conflict and that there may be a peaceful solution to the war. All are welcome to attend.