Clarecastle – Ballyea Parish

Fr. Pat Malone 6823011/086-8572023: Fr. Harry Brady 086-2349798
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

15th *November 2026, Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	14th	Nov	7pm	Anniv	Paddy, Maureen, John & Alice Russell Snr
Sun	15th	Nov	9am	Anniv	Johanna Leyden Clareabbey
Sun	15th	Nov	12noon	Anniv	Barnie, Agnes & Margaret Higgins Church Drive
Sun	15th	Nov	12noon	Anniv	James & Noreen McMahon Clareabbey
Tues	17th	Nov	10am	Anniv	John Forde Kilchreest
Thurs	19th	Nov	10am	Anniv	Deceased Fishermen of Clarecastle
Sat	21st	Nov	7pm	Anniv	Packie & Jenny Guinnane Church Drive
Sun	22nd	Nov	9am	Anniv	Tom Fitzgerald Killoo
Sun	22nd	Nov	12noon	Anniv	Nancy, Diarmuid, Declan & Emer Meade
Sun	22nd	Nov	12noon	Anniv	Veronica Hanrahan Barntick
Sun	22nd	Nov	12noon	Anniv	Donal Carey Thommand Villas

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sat	14th	Nov	4pm	M.M	Tom Ryan Ballybeg
Sun	15th	Nov	10.30am	Anniv	Paddy, Teresa & Christy Malone Tiermaclane
Sun	15th	Nov	10.30am	Anniv	Michael Daly Killerk & Fred, Bridie & Vincent O'Connell Ballyea
Sun	22nd	Nov	10.30am	Anniv	Josie & Mary Casey Killerk, Darragh
Sun	22nd	Nov	10.30am	Anniv	Maureen & Paddy Sheedy Darragh



We remember in our prayers the repose of the souls **Christy Fitzgerald** Islandavanna. **Frank McMahon** Monaghan, brother of Heber, Knocknamana. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to their family and friends at this sad time.

Clerks Collection: The Autumn Collection for the Church sacristan will be taken up this weekend 14th & 15th November. Please use the orange envelope in your yearly pack or an envelope of your own to make a contribution.

Remembering The Dead: There will be an evening mass in **Ballyea Church** on the Wednesdays of November at **7.00pm**. Morning mass in **Clarecastle Church** each week day at **10.00am.**

Bereavement Mass: The annual commemoration masses in remembrance of all who died from November last year to the present will be organised by the Parish Bereavement Group will be as follows:

Wednesday 25th November	**Clarecastle Church**	**7.00pm**
Friday 27th November	**Ballyea Church**	**7.00pm**

Sacramental Preparation Masses: The Enrolment ceremony for those attending Ballyea Primary School who wish to receive the Sacraments of First Penance, Holy Communion and also those who wish to be confirmed in 2027 will be held on Sunday next 22nd November at the Sunday Mass in Ballyea at 10.30am. All students who intend receiving these sacraments with their parents/guardians/sponsors are expected to be present. The dates of masses for those preparing for these sacraments have been agreed and circulated to all they concern. Please put these dates in your diaries.

Triduum of Masses: Each year we have a Triduum of Masses in our Parish where people can purchase a card at the Parish Office to include their loved ones in three masses in our parish over the Christmas period. The dates of the masses are 28th, 29th & 30th December, the venue is Clarecastle Church and the time is 11am. To included people in these masses a person makes a donation of €5, which forms part of the proceeds of the Triduum that are given to the Clarecastle Conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul, and to local charity. Cards are now available at the Parish Office.

Clarecastle Christmas Market: Is on in the Abbey Hall on Sat Nov 21st from 4pm to 8.30pm and Sun Nov 22nd from 10am to 3pm. Showcasing 37 different stands. Remember supporting local businesses keeps jobs local!

Clare Library and the Clarecastle and Ballyea Heritage & Wildlife Group: Will host an event featuring a film screening entitled **"The Fergus Estuary and the Village of Clare: The Turning of the Tide"**. It will be held at Clare Museum on Thursday 19 November at 6 pm. It is a free event and all are welcome. This project is funded by Creative Ireland and features the cinematic skills of Magpie6 Media.

Gentle Movement – Chair Pilates: LCETB Community Education are running an 8 week course at Clarecastle Day Care beginning on 19th November from 11.30am – 1pm. All welcome see notice on church porch noticeboard about registering for the course.