Clarecastle - Ballyea Parish www.clarecastleballyeaparish.ie 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:clarecastleballyea@eircom.net

12th August 2018

Clarecastle Mass Intentions				
Sat.	11 th Aug.	7pm	Anniv.	Patricia Nihill, St. Joseph's Tce.
Sun.	12 th Aug.	9am	Anniv.	Marie Coughlan, Portarlington.
Sun.	12 th Aug.	12noon	Anniv.	Dora Nestor, Main Street.
	17 th Aug.	7pm	Anniv. 1 st	Theresa (Daisy) Sheridan, Church Drive.
Sat.	18 th Aug. 19 th Aug. 19 th Aug.	7pm	Anniv.	Ann, Bridget & Jim Sheehan, Manus.
Sun.	19 th Aug.	12noon	Anniv.	Tom & Pat Moloney, Claremount.
Sun.	19 th Aug.	12noon	Anniv.	Paddy Burke, Derreen.
Ballyea Mass Intentions				
Sun.	12 th Aug.	10.30am	Anniv.	John Joe Cahir, Knockanira.
Sun.	12 th Aug.	10.30am	Anniv. B	etty, Paddy, Liam & Peadar Fitzgerald, IslandAvanna.
Sun.	19 th Aug.	10.30am		Jimmy Devitt, Dromadrehid.

<u>Offertory Collection – Clarecastle</u>: Coin: €632.95: Envelopes: €495.35 = €1,128.30 <u>Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</u>: Wednesday next is the 15th August, the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Mass for the holy day is as follows: Tuesday, 14th in Ballyea at 8pm & Wed. 15th in Clarecastle 10am & 7pm.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES: To mark the World Meeting of Families, we will have a celebration of families on Friday, 24th August. The liturgy of celebration will last one hour. It will begin at Clarecastle Church, gather at the grotto of Claremount/Hempfield and finish at Ballyea church. It will celebrate family from the various parts of parish, hence the three venues. We hope as many families as possible join us. We are still seeking photographs of families to use in a collage of photographs for this celebration. Please place photographs on the notice boards in the Churches. We ask you **not** to put names on these photos.

Liturgical Ceremony to commemorate the beginning of World Meeting of Families

Bishop Fintan will lead a Liturgy to mark the commencement in Dublin of the World Meeting of Families in St. Mary of the Rosary church, Nenagh, Tuesday, 21st Aug. at 7pm. This celebration is being hosted by Odhran Cluster and will be part of the nationwide celebrations honouring WMF18. This is a diocesan celebration, all are welcome. *Knock Shrine National Novena* takes place in Knock Basilica from Tuesday, 14th to Wednesday, 22nd August. There will be two sessions daily: at 3 p.m. and 8.30 p.m.

Good Luck to all students receiving their Leaving Certificate results on Wednesday next. "Your exam results do not define you as a person and / or predict your future!"

<u>Tickets for Papal Visit</u> The parish has received a limited number of tickets for people to attend the papal Visit to Croke Park. If you are interested in getting these tickets please leave your name into the Parish Office and we will raffle them. Those who receive those tickets will need to arrange their own transport to and from Dublin.

<u>Bereavement:</u> Congratulations to *Clarecastle/Ballyea Bereavement Support Group* on the production of their booklet "*What Do I Do Now*" – helpful information on dealing with funeral arrangements and affairs of our departed loved ones. Copies available at Church Doors this weekend. Please feel free to take one.

<u>Minogue School of Irish Dance</u> Reopens Wed. 5th Sept. in Ballyea hall, classes every Wednesday 2pm & 3pm. Currently accepting new students age 4+. Phone Laura 087 193 6288. <u>National Learning Network - Training Opportunities (Clare)</u> Finished school but don't know what to do next? Want a qualification, but not sure about College. If you struggled or needed extra supports in school then NLN could be for you. NLN offers a range of free flexible courses to help you get a job or go on to further education and training. To get more details on these Courses based in Francis Street, Ennis, contact Elaine or Geraldine on 6864560 or <u>www.nln.ie</u>. We may be able to help towards the cost of transport.

<u>Services for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People</u>: Our next clinic will be Wednesday 15^{th} Aug. from 10am to 1pm in the Parish Centre in the Cathedral Grounds, on Station Road. <u>This is a free service</u> where you can acquire information regarding hearing loss. HSE hearing aid tubing can be changed and batteries for all hearing aids can be purchased for $\pounds 2$ for a packet of 6.

<u>Clarecastle/Ballyea Parish Office</u>: Open Every Thurs. & Friday from 10am – 1pm and from 2pm – 4pm. We currently have on sale a selection of signed Mass cards which include sympathy, anniversary, thank-you, get well, retirement and special occasion.

Blood Donor Clinic at West County Hotel Mon. 13th & Tues. 14th August from 5pm – 8pm.

<u>Clarecastle Community Lotto</u>: Winning Numbers for 3rd August '18

9, 11, 17, 27: No Jackpot Winner: 4 Match 3 Winners of €38 each: Martha McEnery, c/o Lotto: Margaret Tierney, Shannon: Peter Daly, Killoo: Paddy Quinn, c/o Kate O'Reilly's Bar:

Next Week's Lotto Jackpot €3,000.00: Friday, 10th August '18

Ballyea-Clondegad G.A.A. Lotto: Winning Numbers for 7th August '18

4, *14*, *20*, *21*: *No Jackpot Winner: 5 Match 3 Winners of €40 each:*

David McMahon, Lismulbreeda: Eoin McMahon, Tiermaclane: Daniel Kelly, Lisheen: Griffin's Bar, Ballynacally: Richard & Margaret Murphy, Dangan:

Next Week's Jackpot €3,600.00 in The Five Arches : Monday, 13th Aug. '18