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 7pm All items for Newsletter to Parish Office by 5pm on Wednesday or email:clarecastleballyea@eircom.net

1<sup>st</sup> April 2018 ~ Easter Sunday

| Clarecastle Mass Intentions |                 |      |                                |        |   |
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| Sun.                        | 1 <sup>s†</sup> | Apr. | 9am                            | Anniv. | James Cahir, Buncraggy.                 |
| Fri.                        | 6 <sup>th</sup> | Apr. | 7pm                            | Anniv. | Gerry & Mary Ryan, St. Joseph's Tce.    |
| Sun.                        | 8 <sup>th</sup> | Apr. | 12noon                         | Anniv. | P.J., Mary & Anthony Cleary, Clarehill. |
| Sun.                        | 8 <sup>th</sup> | Apr. | 9am<br>7pm<br>12noon<br>12noon | Anniv. | Patrick Talty, IslandMcGrath.           |
| Ballvea Mass Intentions     |                 |      |                                |        |   |
| Fri.                        | 6 <sup>th</sup> | Apr. | 8pm                            | Anniv. | Christina Carroll, Ballyea.             |
| Fri.                        | $6^{\text{th}}$ | Apr. | 8pm                            | Anniv. | Jack Killoughery, Ballyea.              |
| Fri.<br>Fri.<br>Sun.        | 8 <sup>th</sup> | Apr. | 10.30am                        | M.M.   | Jimmy O' Connor, Ballyveskill.          |

IN MENORY

Pray for the happy repose of the souls of John Madigan, Cork, brother of Theresa
Crowe, Ballybeg and Kathleen Browne, nee O'Neill, Tiermaclane & London, sister of
Bria, Marie, Michael, Gerard, Josephine Castle & Eileen Liddy. who died recently.
We offer our condolences to their family and friends.

<u>Offertory Collection – Clarecastle</u>: Coin:  $\notin$ 412.07: Envelopes:  $\notin$ 715.67 =  $\notin$ 1,127.74 <u>Ballyea Apostolic Work</u> are holding their annual display on Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> April in the Community Centre. New members welcome.

*First Friday: 6<sup>th</sup> April: Mass in Clarecastle at 10am & 7pm & in Ballyea at 8pm. Clarecastle GAA:* Mass for deceased members of Clarecastle GAA will be held on Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> April at 12noon.

**Divine Mercy Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April** Led by Bishop Fintan Monahan, at 2.30pm in Ennis Cathedral. Devotions, Confessions, Mass and Benediction. The Feast of Divine Mercy is a public feast day formally established by St John Paul 11 in May 2000. The Divine Mercy Devotion is inspired by the experiences and writings of a Polish nun, Sister Faustina, who died at 33 years of age in 1938 and was canonised in April 2000. Novena of Divine Mercy Starts Good Friday.

<u>**Relay for Life Ennis</u>** launch / registration night on Wed. 4<sup>th</sup> April at Temple Gate Hotel at 8pm. Fundraiser for Irish Cancer Society. Appealing for teams from across the county to sign up for this overnight event of community coming together to celebrate and remember our loved ones. All welcome. Phone 087 064 4760.</u>

Morning Mass on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> April will be at 11am

**Ballyea Tree Project** is coming to completion for the year. Potted native Irish trees can be purchased and planted now and will be for sale outside Ballyea church on Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> April after Mass. Rowan, Birch, Alder Scotts Pine €2 each. Whitethorn and blackthorn  $\notin 1.50$  each. Why not Plant a tree to mark a family occasion or as a legacy for future generations by purchasing and participating in The Ballyea Tree Project. Fern Celtic School Boys & Girls Annual EASTER MONDAY 2k & 5k Fun Run/Walk. Registration: 10.30 am sharp at Ballyea Community Centre. Start time: 11am. Entry fee: €10 per person/€20 per family. Complimentary refreshments afterwards in the hall. Prizes and Raffle on the day. All welcome. Legends of Sport Charity Event in aid of Cahercalla Community Hospital on Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> April at 8.30pm in West County Hotel. Tickets €20.00 from Carigg's Shop, Drumquin and Vincent O'Connor, Ballyveskill. Phone 087 629 0775. St Flannan's College Junior Branch of St Vincent de Paul are holding a Clothes' Collection to fund their work. It will run from Mon. 9<sup>th</sup> – Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> April. Collection point is the main entrance to the Old College, every day from 1.10pm to 2pm; Mon & Tue from 4pm to 4.30pm; Wed, Thu & Fri from 3.20pm to 4pm, Sat. from 9am - 11am. All Clothes, Shoes, Belts, Handbags, Towels, Uniforms accepted. Sláinte an Chláir, Clare Cancer Support Annual 48hr fast takes place on Thurs. 5<sup>th</sup> & Friday 6<sup>th</sup> April at O'Connell Square in Ennis, to raise funds for a new transport vehicle. Thank you for your support. Following a very successful visit to Ennis last year, Fr. Richard Mc Alear U.S.A. will return to celebrate a healing Mass at the Cathedral on Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm.

<u>We</u> are trying to put together a list of local Artists, Writers, Musicians, Singers, Dancers as well as Teachers of all the above who live in, close to or are from the local Clarecastle area(even if they now live away). Please text 087 619 9007 or email <u>CreativeClarecastle@gmail.com</u>

*Eucharistic Adoration:* There will be No Eucharistic Adoration in Clarecastle until Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> April. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

<u>Clarecastle Community Lotto</u>: Winning Numbers for 23<sup>rd</sup> March '18 7, 10, 11, 24: No Jackpot Winner: 5 Match 3 Winner of €30. 00 ea: Eileen Garland, c/o Magpies Bar: Geraldine O'Donovan, Clarehill: Brian Custy, c/o Bingo: Mary Murphy, St. Joseph's Tce: Mark Sheehan, Kildysart: Next Week's Jackpot €3,400.00: Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> March '18

