

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

21st January 2018

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat. 20th Jan. 7pm Anniv. Thomas Madden, Church Drive.
Sun. 21st Jan. 9am Anniv. Nora Corry, St. Flannan's Tce.
Sat. 27th Jan. 7pm Anniv. Catriona Barry, Knocknamana.
Sat. 27th Jan. 7pm Anniv. Mickey & Kitty Russell, Quay Road.
Sat. 27th Jan. 7pm Anniv. Patrick Lyons, Ballaghafadda & Noelle Lyons, Knocknamana
Sun. 28th Jan. 9am Anniv. Pat & Kitty Cahir, Buncraggy.
Sun. 28th Jan. 12noon Anniv. Pakie Tuohy, Clareabbey.
Sun. 28th Jan. 12noon **M.M.** Kitty Dooley, Clareabbey.

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sat. 20th Jan. 8pm Anniv. Nancy & Josie Mulvihill, Killerk.
Sun. 21st Jan. 10.30am Anniv. Michael Griffin, Tiermaclane & deceased family members.
Sun. 21st Jan. 10.30am Anniv. Gretta & Mickey Markham, Ballyea

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle: Coin: €651.05: Envelopes: €443.35 = **€1,094.40**

Clarecastle Basket Collectors for month of January – Group B

Bishops Conference Collection Many thanks for your contributions to this collection last weekend, this collection is still open if you still wish to contribute.

Mass Schedule: The new schedule of Masses will commence next weekend. Once again we thank all who have participated in the process that brought us to this decision. Next weekend we will have only one evening mass in our parish in Clarecastle at 7p.m. We thank the people of Ballyea for their understanding even in the midst of their disappointment, and we assure them that with their continued support we will enable Ballyea to thrive as a Christian community, and an example of gospel values in action. There will be further changes in time in our parish, when we don't know as of now, but we are aware that there will be change. There will be no morning mass on Saturdays in Clarecastle from next weekend. Masses already booked for Saturday mornings will be honoured. May Christ be with us as we attempt to live his message.

Killaloe Diocese pilgrimage to Lourdes Bishop Fintan Monahan will lead the 62nd Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes from Shannon Airport on **Tues. 26th June - Sunday 1st July**. Cost €695 full board for online booking at www.joewalshtours.ie or €705 for paper booking. Special section for sick or assisted pilgrims at a reduced price. Early booking advisable. Full details from Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director 061-364133.

Clarecastle National School ~ Now enrolling for September 2018/19. Further information & enrolment application forms, please phone 6828274 or email clarecastlena.ias@eircom.net. Closing date for applications is Friday, 2nd Feb. '18. *Before and after-school services are available at the school.*

Fern Celtic registration takes place at Ballyea Community Centre on Monday, 29th Jan. from 7pm – 9pm for both boys & girls u6 to u16 yrs. Phone Leonard on 086 378 9716.

Cancer Man 2 Man, men only meeting on Saturday 27th Jan. at 11am, at Sláinte an Chláir, Kilnamona. Guest speaker on the day Nutritionist/Dietician.

St. Flannan's Parents' Assoc. next meeting on Monday 22nd January in the Music Room beside Reception at 8.15pm sharp. All parents' are welcome to attend.

County Clare Hunt in association with Clare Crusaders are doing a race track run (5k) on 4th Feb. in Bellharbour starting at 10.30am. This is unique opportunity to run cross country over a horse race track. There will be horse racing and fun for all the family at the point to point later that day in the unique setting of Bellharbour.

Parkinson's Disease Support Group meeting Carrigoran Health & Wellness Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus at 10am; Friday 26th January. All welcome. Info: 087 415 8430.

Clarecastle/Ballyea Community Games are looking for U11 (over 8) boys and girls interested Tag Rugby. This will be a mixed boys and girls team. Contact Claire on 0872509923. Community Games rules apply.

Clare Local Development Company in partnership with SOLAS & the LCETB are offering a full time course (39 weeks commencing in Feb.) to people, currently not at work, who wish to gain employment, pursue further education or start their own horticulture business. Course will be delivered in Clarecastle GAA Clubhouse/Grounds. Prior knowledge of horticulture is not a requirement as significant learning support will be provided. Priority will be given to the 18 to 35 age group/social welfare recipients. Further details from Gerry in Clarecastle Post Office, Martin - Clarecastle GAA (087 278 8561) or Mike Foley Community Development (086 260 5806).

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 12th January '18

7, 15, 25, 28: No Jackpot Winner: No Match 3 Winners:

Next Week's Jackpot €3,200.00: Friday, 19th January '18

Ballyea-Clondragad G.A.A. Lotto: Winning Numbers for 15th January '18

1, 10, 13, 16: No Jackpot Winner: 4 Match 3 Winners of €50.00 ea :

Daire Fitzgibbon, Darragh, Anna Hehir, Drumquin: Seán Clohessy, Australia: Phillipa O'Shea, Ballynacally:

Next Week's Jackpot €2,600.00 in The Local Inn: Monday, 22nd January '18

Medjugorje Group Pilgrimage 2018 departs Shannon Airport 16th – 23rd May. Accompanied by Fr Gerard Fitzgerald as Spiritual Director. Cost €579 if deposit of €50 is paid by 1st Feb, thereafter cost is €629. Phone Kathleen at 086 103 1508 or Mary at 086 3629 808 with enquiries.

Annual 10k Burren Walk in aid of the Clare Branch of the Alzheimer Society on Sunday, 11th Feb. starting from O'Donoghue's Pub, Fanore. Sponsorship cards: Alzheimer Society, Cuan an Chláir, Cahercalla, Ennis. Phone 6868621.