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:clarecastleballyea@eircom.net

4th March 2018 ~ Third Sunday of Lent

Clarecastle Mass Intentions								
Sat.	3^{rd}	Mar.	7pm	Anniv.	Harry & Kitty Ward, Quay Road.			
Sun.	4 th	Mar.	9am	Anniv.	Jimmy & Harry Cullen, Manus.			
Sun.	4 th	Mar.	12noon	Anniv.	Peter Farrelly, Abbeylawn.			
Wed.	7^{th}	Mar.	7pm 1 ^s	† Anniv.	Bridget Nugent, Church Drive			
Fri.	9^{th}	Mar.	10am	Anniv.	Denis Smith, Skehanagh.			
Sat.	10^{th}	Mar.	7pm	Anniv.	Denis & Mary Torpey, Patrick Street.			
Ballyea Mass Intentions								
Sun.	4 th	Mar.	10.30am	Anniv.	John Joe & Mary Meaney, Bansha.			
Sun.	4 th	Mar.	10.30am	Anniv.	Jonathan Kelly, Lismulbreeda.			
Sun.	4 th	Mar.	10.30am	Anniv.	Joan Daly.			
Sat. Sun. Sun. Wed. Fri. Sat. Sun. Sun. Sun. Sun. Sun. Sun.	9^{th}	Mar.	8pm	M.M.	Jimmy Hogan, Newhall.			
Sun.	11 th	Mar	10.30am	Anniv.	Power Family, Dromadrehid.			



Pray for the happy repose of the soul of Nancy Robinson, Buncraggy, who died during the week. We offer our condolences to her family and friends

<u>Offertory Collection – Clarecastle</u>: Coin: €683.87: Envelopes: €501.63 = €1,185.50 <u>Tróciare</u> 'Until Love Conquers Fear' Today we pray for the people of Eastern Ghouta in Syria. Hundreds of innocent civilians have been killed in the bombing of the past two weeks including many children. Trócaire's partners continue to work on the ground in horrendous conditions. We pray for those who can resolve this crisis to find the political will to do so. To find out more on Trócaire's work visit <u>www.trocaire.org</u> <u>Confirmation Preparation Mass</u> for Clarecastle N.S. children will take place on Saturday, 10th March at 7pm.

<u>Apostolic Work</u> Clarecastle Annual Display and sale this place this Sunday 4th March in the School hall from 2pm to 5pm. All welcome to come and see the work produced locally for the missions. Admission free.

<u>Lent</u> There will be an evening Mass in Clarecastle and Ballyea on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7pm during Lent. *Clarecastle at 7pm & Ballyea at 8pm*.

Confirmation Preparation Mass for *Ballyea N.S.* children will take place on Sunday, 11th March at 10.30am.

<u>Save the 8th Rally, Dublin, Sat., March 10th at 2pm.</u> Take a stand to support the equal right to life of mothers and their unborn babies in Ireland. If the 8th Amendment is repealed, all legal protections will be removed from unborn babies, and abortion legislation will be open to change by the government of the day. Buses from Ennis phone 086 190 8318 to book your seat.

Clarecastle District Daycare Centre will hold their annual church gate collection next weekend, Saturday 10th & Sunday, 11th March. Your support is very much appreciated. Ballyea Camogie Club Annual Registration for 2018 takes place Friday 9th March after School in the Community Centre from 3pm to 4.30pm and on Sunday 11th March in the Community Centre from 11 am to 12noon. All parents and players please make an effort to register on these dates. Annual membership in €40 and registration forms will be available.

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

<u>Confirmation Retreat:</u> We continue to pray for and remember our young people who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in our parish this year. These young people will attend their retreat on Tuesday, 13th March.

Clarecastle GAA Under Age ~ "Mini Road To Croagher Cycle Fundraiser" On Saturday 10th March, in conjunction with "Road to Croagh Patrick Cycle", a cycle for under age players and parents will take place from the Clubhouse to Latoon Bridge commencing at 11am. Sponsorship cards available for Club Secretary. This event is part of The Healthy Club project, for which Clarecastle GAA has been selected to participate in.

<u>Stations of the Cross:</u> Every Friday evening at 7.30p.m in Ballyea Church during Lent followed by Mass at 8pm.

<u>Clarecastle Community Lotto</u>: Winning Numbers for 23rd Feb. '18 2, 9, 12, 26: No Jackpot Winner: 1 Match 3 Winner: Toasty: c/o John Power, Clarecastle:

Next Week's Jackpot €2,800.00: Friday, 2nd March '18

Ballyea-Clondegad G.A.A. Lotto: Winning Numbers for 25th February '18 2, 10, 15, 26: No Jackpot Winner: 6 Match 3 Winners of €35.00 ea: Chloe Kilbane, Dromadrehid: Conor Horgan, Newhall, Gerry Breen, Reaghfa: Theresa Enright, Ballynacally: Maria Lynch, Lissycasey: Terry Murphy, Kildysart: Next Week's Jackpot €3,800.00 in The Local Inn: Monday, 5th March '18

Trócaire Envelopes are available in Church porch.

We ask all Readers, Eucharistic Ministers and those entering and exiting the Sanctuary from the church; to enter at the side aisle sides, using the brass handrails to assist them. This is a very important request in the interest of Health & Safety.

<u>Dementia Workshops</u> - Normal Ageing vs Not Normal Ageing; Understanding the difference. Workshop with Partners in Homecare at the Templegate Hotel on *Tuesday* 20th March at 7pm.