

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

24th November 2019

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat. 23 rd Nov.	7pm	Anniv.	John & Pauline Mullahy, Church Drive.
Sat. 23 rd Nov.	7pm	Anniv.	Alan Gilligan, Quay Road.
Sun. 24 th Nov.	9am	Anniv.	Veronica Hanrahan, Barntick.
Sat. 24 th Nov.	12noon	Anniv.	Maurice & Sheila Nolan, Knocknamana.
Sat. 30 th Nov.	7pm	Anniv.	Tom & Ellen McCarthy, Madden's Tce.
Sun. 1 st Dec.	9am	M.M.	Bridget Keane, Ennis & Quay Road.
Sun. 1 st Dec.	12noon	Anniv.	Matt & Eilish Morrissey, St. Flannan's Tce.

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sun. 24 th Nov.	10.30am	Anniv.	Joe Hogan, Dromadrehid.
Sun. 24 th Nov.	10.30am	Anniv.	Paddy & Maureen Sheedy, Darragh.



Pray for the happy repose of the souls of Mickey Keane, St. Michael's Tce.: Noreen McMahon, Clareabbey and Maeve Burke, Beechwood, who died during the week. We offer our condolences to their family and friends.

Offertory Collection – Clarecastle: Coin: €527.25: Envelopes: €605.90 = **€1,133.15**

Offertory Collection – Ballyea: Coin: €109.69: Envelopes: €669.75 = **€ 779.44**

Clerks Collection Sincere Thanks to all who contributed to this collection last weekend. Your continued support is very much appreciated.

Blessed Miraculous Medals available in the Legion Dispenser at the Back of the Church this weekend.

The Advent Home Prayer Groups will reconvene week of Monday, 25th November.

Clarecastle/Ballyea Bereavement Support Group: Each November, we remember those who have died, especially those in the past year. Masses for the dead will be held on **Wed. 27th Nov. at 7pm in Clarecastle and on Friday, 29th Nov. at 8pm in Ballyea.** If you are grieving the loss of someone close to you, this mass is especially for you.

Clarecastle / Ballyea Bereavement Support Group – bereavementgroup@eircom.net

Please note there will be NO evening Mass in Ballyea on Wed. evening and NO evening Mass in Clarecastle on Friday. Evening Mass will be Bereavement Mass.

Killaloe Diocese Youth Ministry will hold Solas – An overnight of Faith, Fun and Workshops in St. Flannan's College on **Friday 22nd Nov. at 7 pm - Saturday 23rd Nov. at 1pm** All T.Y to 6th Year students are welcome. Reunion for Helpers on Lourdes Pilgrimage, Summer 2019. For more info/bookings contact Joanne 085 874 9207 or Fr Jerry 086 250 8444.

New Rotas for Readers & Eucharistic Ministers now available from the Sacristy.

Triduum of Masses: As a gift this Christmas / New Year why not include your loved ones / friends in a Triduum of Masses to be offered in St. Peter & Paul's church, Clarecastle on January 1st, 2nd and 3rd at 11am each day. Special cards for the Triduum are available in the **Parish Office**, which can be put as an insert into your Christmas Cards, or used as a card on its own. **An offering of €4 for each card will be collected and the monies raised in this Triduum will be donated to the local branch of St. Vincent de Paul Society and local charity.** Names will be written into a special book which will be placed on the altar at each of these Masses.

Clarecastle NS will hold an **Open Night** on Thursday, 28th Nov. from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. This is an opportunity to see the entire school-building and to observe demonstrations of many of the school's curricular activities. The Parents Association and staff from the Community After School Group will also be in attendance.

Parents/Guardians of children who have yet to start school and of pupils who are presently attending Junior and Senior Infants in the school are most welcome to attend.

Vinyasa Yoga Flow & Mindfulness with Eva Griffin, on Thurs. 28th Nov. at 6.45pm in Ballyea Community Centre. 4 week course - All are welcome. Phone 083 3095805.

Clarecare wishes to thank all who contributed to the November Church gate collection which amounted to €768.61 for Clarecastle Church, and €342.10 for Ballyea Church, thank you for your continued support.

Clarecastle Daycare Centre- Annual Christmas Craft Fair Sunday, 1st Dec. Doors open at 1pm till 5pm. Home baking, arts n crafts, flower arrangements, spot prizes galore. Your support is greatly appreciated. The Centre will be open on Saturday 30th November from 5pm – 8pm to drop off any items. **Thank You.**

Switching-on Ennis Christmas Lights on Friday 29th Nov. in O'Connell Sq. Festivities commence at 5pm with "Switch-On" at 6pm. Join us for an afternoon of festival family fun at "Music in the Market" on Saturday 30th Nov. at the Ennis Market Building with performances from local musical groups from 2pm to 6pm. Follow Christmas In Ennis on Facebook, Twitter & Instagram or visit www.clarecoco.ie for more details.

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 15th November '19

5, 6, 13, 21: No Jackpot Winner: One Match 3 Winner of €150

Martin Reynolds, Church Drive.

Next Week's Jackpot €3,000.00: Friday, 22nd November '19

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.

Clarecastle/Ballyea Parish Office: Open Thurs. & Fri. from 10am – 1pm & 2pm – 4pm. We currently have on sale a selection of **Christmas Cards** & signed Mass cards which include Sympathy, Anniversary, Thank-You, Get Well and Special Occasion.