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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: parish@clarecastleballyeaparish.ie

28th June 2020, Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Clarecastle Mass Intentions			
Sat	27 th June 7pm	Anniv	Jane McCormack
Sun	28 th June 9am	Anniv	Jack & Peggy Hayes, Puckane
Sun	28 th June 12 noon	Anniv	Denis Duffy, Dromadrehid
Sun	28 th June 12 noon	Anniv	Peg & Paddy Corry, Patrick St
Fri	3 rd July 7pm	Anniv	Sean Snr & Sean Jnr Slattery, Church Drive
Sat	4 th July 7pm	Anniv	Hegarty Family, Madden's Terrace
Sun	5 th July 12 noon	Anniv	Michael Byrnes, London/Clarecastle
		Anniv	Eileen Murphy, St Michael's Terrace
Ballyea Mass Intentions			
Ballyea Anniversary masses moved to Clarecastle Church for broadcasting during Covid-19			



Pray for the repose of the souls of **Paddy Casey**, Shancool, Darragh and **Michael Palmer**, St. Joseph's Terrace who died and were buried during the week.

Anniversary Masses: Anyone who wishes to have anniversary masses said for their relatives and friends during this time, and are happy to join the mass on the parish radio link or on webcam, can arrange same by contacting the parish office on 065-6823011

<u>Míle Buíochas:</u> We wish to acknowledge the contributions that we received from parishioners for church funds and priests collections. Thank you for your support. Contributions can be left into the parochial house, parish office or by post.

Clarecastle Tidy Towns: were delighted with the response for this year's delayed Clarecastle Spring Clean 2020 that took place on Thursday 18th June. The Litter Patrol teams were assisted from volunteers representing residents associations and community groups. A huge thanks to Clarecastle GAA Exec for co-hosting the event and providing the extra equipment. A special thanks to the camogie players for taking part in the event with their very appropriate Magpie Proud high viz.

<u>Clarecastle Covid-19 Support Network (CCSN)</u>: 085-8013112 A local helpline for those in need of assistance during Covid-19 restrictions.

Churches Reopening: Churches will be open for mass Monday-Friday this week at 10am. Those attending are asked to please sit in the designated seats, socially distant. The capacity for attendance presently is 50 people, set by government regulation. The door will be open at 9.45am. After mass the church will be restricted for private prayer and visitation to the side aisle as at present (Clarecastle open until 4pm, Ballyea until 5pm). Access to the other areas of the church will not available.

We would appreciate the assistance of any person who is willing to help in the cleaning down of the seat after mass or again after the church closes in the evening.

Weekend Masses will recommence July 4th. Masses will be at the usual times: Saturday: Clarecastle 7pm, Sunday: Clarecastle 9am & 12noon & Ballyea 10.30am,. The numbers are restricted in churches for masses according to government regulations. We ask all people who attend, to abide by the instructions of the stewards and to be seated where the seats are assigned. At the time of this newsletter going to print, the number who can attend mass and religious services is 50 people. This may change as time moves along and we will adapt to these regulations.

- 1. During this Covid-19 crisis, the obligation to attend Sunday mass has been dispensed. People are under no obligation to attend mass.
- 2. People can attend mass during the week rather than at the weekends.
- 3. Masses can be attended by listening on the parish radio or on the webcam from home.
- 4. Alternatively, people can park in the car park and listen on the parish radio link or view on the webcam. They can come forward for communion at the end of mass.
- 5. Each person has personal responsibility for their own welfare. Each of us need to sanitise personally, and ensure we observe all the guidelines for personal safety.

<u>Volunteers Needed:</u> Volunteers needed to <u>usher</u> during public worship and <u>clean</u> and sanitize the church each day. Contact parish council members or telephone the parish office 6823011 or email <u>parish@clarecastleballyeaparish.ie</u>