

## 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: [parish@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie](mailto:parish@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie)

9<sup>th</sup> August 2020, Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

### Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	8 <sup>th</sup>	Aug	7p.m.	Anniv	Bridie & Dan O'Sullivan, Scarriff
Sun	9 <sup>th</sup>	Aug	12noon	Anniv	Patricia & Peter Nihill, St. Joseph's Terrace
				Anniv	Dora Nestor, Main St.
Sat	15 <sup>th</sup>	Aug	7pm	Anniv	Tom Moloney, Claremount
Sun	16 <sup>th</sup>	Aug	12noon	M.M.	Mary Lal Quinn

### Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sun	9 <sup>th</sup>	Aug	10.30am	Anniv	Deceased Members of Power Family, Drumadrohid
				Anniv	Chris & Joe Meaney, Kilmore
Sun	16 <sup>th</sup>	Aug	10.30am	M.M.	Betty Purtill



**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

**Offertory Collection – Clarecastle:** Coin: €75.00 : Envelopes: €815.00 = **€890.00**

**Priests Collection:** The Priests of the Parish wish to thank all who contributed to their collection last weekend. The collection is still open to those who wish to contribute.

**Míle Buíochas:** 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.

I wish to thank all who made a voluntary contribution to the payment of the webcam which was installed in the church some months ago. Some of you who contributed I know who you are and I have thanked you for your generosity. A number of people have made their contributions anonymously so it is not possible to thank you personally. Please take this note as a statement of our appreciation for your generosity. Your gesture which was totally voluntary on your part and made completely on your initiative is very generous and indeed very touching, a great commitment to your parish community.

**Feast of the Assumption of our Lady:** Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> August is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven and a special feast day in the life of the church. Masses for the feast day are as follows:

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August: 8.00pm – Ballyea

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> August: 10.00am – Clarecastle

The normal weekend rota will operate as normal for Saturday & Sunday - 15<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> August.

Clarecastle Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> - 7.00pm

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> - 9.00am & 12noon

Ballyea Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> - 10.30am

**Thank you:** A word of thanks to all who give their time each day to come to the church and clean the church after church services. Your help and generosity is very much appreciated and without you offering your time the church would not be able to function. If anyone wishes to offer their services for church work they can do so by contacting Marie Claire Gorman or Tom Sweaney or the parish office. Thank you too, to our ushers, readers, music ministry personnel, grounds maintenance, sacristans and community workers for your great help. Remember this motto:

*“Many stones do form an arch, singly none”*

**Cash for Clobber:** Clarecastle National School Parents Association & Clarecastle GAA, Camogie & Ladies Football Club Clothes Recycling Event 2020 will take place on Monday August 17<sup>th</sup> to Friday August 21<sup>st</sup>. Dates and times to drop off clothes are as follows:

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> – 9am to 9.45am & 6.30pm to 8pm

Friday August 21<sup>st</sup> – Final Collection – 8am to 9am

*Items that can be included are:* All clothing/Towels/Hats/Scarves/Shoes (tied together)/Bags(including school & sport bags)/Belts/Sheets & Pillowcases

*Items not accepted:* Duvets/Pillows/Cushions & Blankets

All bags can be dropped off at Clarecastle GAA Clubhouse. Thank you.

**Button Accordion Lessons** available in Ballynacally from September. Cater for all ages and level from Beginner to advanced. Contact Ciara Tighe on 0857163899.

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

**Volunteers Needed:** Volunteers needed to **usher** during public worship and **clean** and sanitize the church each day. Contact parish council members or telephone the parish office 6823011 or email [parish@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie](mailto:parish@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie)

**Parish Office:** Open Monday – Wednesday from 10.00am – 1.00pm and Thursday & Friday from 10.00am – 1.00pm & 2.00pm – 4.00pm.