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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

8th November 2020, Thirty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Clarecastle Mass Intentions					
Sat	7^{th}	Nov	7pm	Anniv	Maureen & Paddy Russell, St. Michael's Tce
				Anniv	Michael (Haulie) Keane, Barntick
Sun	8^{th}	Nov	9am	Anniv	Breda Nolan, Barntick
			12noon	Anniv	Pat Boohan, Kildysart Rd.
				Anniv	John Houlihan, Ennis
				M.M.	Martin McCarthy, Labasheeda
Mon	9^{th}	Nov	10am	Anniv	Deceased Clarecastle Fishermen
Tue	10^{th}	Nov	10am	Anniv	Jim O'Neill, St. Joseph's Terrace
Sat	14^{th}	Nov	7pm	Anniv	Tommy & Ellen McCarthy, Maddens Tce.
				Anniv	Barney, Agnes & Margaret Higgins, Church Drive
Sun	15^{th}	Nov	12noon	Anniv	Nancy, Diarmuid, Declan & Emer Meade,
					Kildysart Rd.
				Anniv	Bernard, Peggy, Dr. Patrick & Mary Power, Main St.

^{*} Ballyea Anniversary Masses are moved to Clarecastle Church at 12.00 noon for broadcasting during Covid-19.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of David O'Connor, Silvergrove who died and was buried during the week. We offer our condolences to his family and friends. May his soul rest in peace.

<u>Anniversary Masses:</u> 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.

<u>Clerk's – Sacristan Collection:</u> The Autumn Collection for the church sacristan will be held on Saturday/Sunday next 14th /15th November. Please use the envelope in your yearly pack or an envelope of your own to make your contribution.

<u>November Masses:</u> November is the month in which we remember our dead and pray that they are resting peacefully in the presence of God. We pray too that at the end of our earthly lives we will join them in the heavenly Kingdom of God. Fr. Harry & Fr. Pat will offer masses during the month of November for all those named on the lists of the dead you return to the churches in November. We invite you to submit the names of those you would like to be remembered in those masses during November. Envelopes are available in your yearly pack of envelopes and in all the churches, and can be returned to the parish office/parochial house.

Clarecastle/Ballyea Parish: As we cannot gather in the parish cemeteries this year to pray for the dead, the following arrangement is in place for remembering our dead this year. On this Sunday 8th November at 3pm. on the parish radio link and parish webcam from Clarecastle Church, we will have the service of remembrance prayers which normally take place in the cemeteries at this time. Fr. Pat will visit each of the parish graveyards over the month of November and bless the graves of all who rest there. In addition people are encouraged to visit the graves of their loved ones if they wish privately during the month. Please abide by social distancing on these visits if other people are present. In addition to your own prayers the following prayer of John O'Donohue may be used if you wish on your visit.

Visiting a Graveyard

May perpetual light shine upon the faces of all who rest here.

May the lives they lived unfold further in spirit.

May all their past travail find ease in the kindness of clay.

May the remembering earth mind every memory they brought.

May the rains from the heavens fall gently upon them.

May the wildflowers and grasses whisper their wishes into light.

May we reverence the village of presence in the stillness of this silent-field.

John O'Donohue

Evening Mass – Weekday

To facilitate those who would like to join masses online to remember the dead in November, there will be an evening mass on the Wednesday evenings at 7pm. during the month of November.

Annual Bereavement Mass: Each year the Bereavement Support Group of the Parish organise a mass to remember the loved ones of our parishioners who died during the year. They are presently organising this mass which will be held in Clarecastle Church on Friday 27th November. Unfortunately due to the restrictions in place due to Covid-19 and public gatherings, it will not be possible for those who have been bereaved to attend the mass in person. The mass will be broadcast over the parish radio link and live on parish webcam at 7pm on that evening. The mass this year will commemorate all who have died this year in the Clarecastle and Ballyea areas of the parish. We thank the bereavement group for their great work and we invite you to tune into the mass on the evening of 27th Nov. We assure you that your loved ones will be remembered in our prayers.