

**Clarecastle - Ballyea Parish**  
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**Fr. Pat Malone 6823011 / 086 8572023: Fr. Harry Brady 086 2349798**

**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)**

*27<sup>th</sup> December 2020, The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph*

**Clarecastle Mass Intentions**

Sat	26 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	7pm	Anniv	Kitty Dillon, Church Drive
Tue	29 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	11am	Anniv	Noreen Moloney, Skehanagh
			7pm	M.M.	Jenny Guinnane, Church Drive
Wed	30 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	11am	Anniv	Fr. Joe Hayes, Abbey View
Thu	31 <sup>st</sup>	Dec	7pm	Anniv	Edel Brack & Christy Coughlan
Fri	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jan	7pm	Anniv	Rita & Ross Culligan, Church Drive
Sun	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jan	12noon	Anniv	Tommy Geoghegan, Ballybeg

**Ballyea Mass Intentions**

Sun	27 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	12noon	Anniv	Paddy, Teresa & Christy Malone, Tiermaclane
				Anniv	Ronan Kelly, Ballyea

\* For the time being, Ballyea Anniversary Masses are incorporated to the Clarecastle Church mass at 12.00 noon.



We remember in our prayer at this time the repose of the souls of the following people. Conor Michael Scully, London, cousin of Anne Kears and the Daly family, Nuala McCoy, Shannon, sister of Flan and Gerard Considine and Peggy O'Loughlin, Corofin, mother of Theresa Scanlan, St. Joseph's Terrace, all of whom died during the week. We offer our condolences to their families and friends. May they rest in peace.

**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

**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, by post or by using the online Donate button on the parish website <https://www.clarecastleballyeaparis.ie/>

**Religious services:** All religious services will be online from Clarecastle Church for the foreseeable future under Level 5 restrictions on Covid-19. The Ballyea 10.30am Sunday mass will be incorporated into the Clarecastle 12.00 noon mass and all anniversaries there will be celebrated in that mass.

Funerals now will sadly be restricted to 10 people as it was in March, and weddings after 3<sup>rd</sup> January will be limited to 6 people. No new baptisms will be arranged for the time being.

**Thanks**

A sincere word of thanks to all who contribute to the life of our parish. All who serve on the numerous Parish Organisations and partake in the many ministries in our Parish community. It is your effort that makes this parish the vibrant one it is. To one and all we say thank you, we hope that you are enjoying the Christmas Season, and we wish you every grace, joy and blessing for 2021. Let's keep each other in our prayers and assure one another of our support. May 2021 be a year where we will find so many very pleasant surprises.

**HAPPY CHRISTMAS**



**Morning Mass:** From 26<sup>th</sup> December to 5<sup>th</sup> January, mass will be online at 11.00am.

**Triduum of Masses:** A Triduum of Masses in the parish between Christmas Day and New Year's Day are celebrated at **11.00am** in Clarecastle Church on **December 31st 2020, January 1st & 2nd 2021**. The monies raised from the Triduum will again be given to the local Conference of St. Vincent de Paul and local charity to address the needs of those in our community this Christmas time.