

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)

25<sup>th</sup> July 2021, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Clarecastle Mass Intentions**

Sat	24 <sup>th</sup>	July	7pm	Anniv	Reg Egan, Clarehill
				Anniv	Eugene Brennan, Kildysart Rd.
Sun	25 <sup>th</sup>	July	12noon	Anniv	Mai Griffey, Skehanagh
				Anniv	John Lyons, Hill View
Sun	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aug	12noon	Anniv	Liz Mungovan, Buncraggy

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Sun	25 <sup>th</sup>	July	10.30am	2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv	Matthew Haugh, Darragh
Sun	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aug	10.30am	1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv	Lorcan Collins, Darragh

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Susan O'Neill**, Tiermaclane, **Mona Moloney**, Lower Limerick Road, and **Martin Cullinan**, Ballyalla, Ennis, brother of Maura Logue, Bansha, **Theresa Flanagan**, Preston England, sister of Christy Horan, Manus, all of whom died and were buried during the week. We offer our condolences to their families and friends. May their souls 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 at 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/>

**Thanks:** Thanks to those who contribute to all collections as normal and thanks to those who contributed to Priests Collection recently.

**'Moving from Primary to Secondary school'. - A Healthy Ireland at your Library event. Tuesday, 10th August 2021: Online event 1pm – 2.30pm.** Join Dr. Mary O'Kane, lecturer in Psychology, Early Childhood Studies and Education, as she identifies the changes and challenges for children as they move from primary to secondary school. Dr. O'Kane will offer practical advice for parents on how to best support their children on this new educational journey. Free event for people throughout Co Clare aged 18+. Places are limited, booking is essential. In order to take part, participants will require remote access to Zoom. Please book your place by emailing [kilrush@clarelibrary.ie](mailto:kilrush@clarelibrary.ie) or by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours.

**The Good Old Days by Mary A. Moloney** is available from the author for €10.00 plus €5.00 P&P at Clyduff, Lisnagry, Castleconnell, Co. Limerick. The 120-page booklet contains the authorised biography of the famous Co. Clare priest, Fr. James Minogue (1925-1918), whose memories of his life and times are in themselves an actual archive of the twentieth century. Allied to this is an interview with Sr. Phyllis Donnellan LCM (Clare native), who recounted her life and times as a “Blue Nun” both in St. John’s Hospital Limerick and Milford Care Centre. The book contains universal memories, including “*Our Schoolyard Games*”, “*The 1966 Farmers’ March*”, “*Saving the Hay*”, “*Poems we Learned at School*”, and “*Old Irish Sayings*”. These are just some of the items covered in this collection, and I hope you enjoy reading it.

**Prayer to the Sleeping Saint Joseph**



O Saint Joseph, you are a man greatly favoured by the Most high. The angel of the Lord appeared to you in dreams, while you slept, to warn you and guide you as you cared for the Holy Family. You were both silent and strong, a loyal and courageous protector.

Dear Saint Joseph, as you rest in the Lord, confident of His absolute power and goodness, look upon me. Please take my need into your heart, dream of it, and present it to your Son (Mention your request). Help me then, good Saint Joseph, to hear the voice of God, to arise, and act with love. I praise and thank God with joy. Saint Joseph, I love you. Amen.