

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@clarecastleballyeparish.ie

27th March 2022, Fourth Sunday of Lent

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	26 th	Mar	7pm	Anniv.	Michael & Chrissie O'Donoghue Ballybeg
Sat	26 th	Mar	7pm	M.M.	Phyllis Cosgrove Manus & Castlewood Park
Sun	27 th	Mar	9am	Anniv.	Mary Mullins
Sun	27 th	Mar	12 noon	Anniv.	Jenny & James McMahon Labasheeda
Mon	28 th	Mar	10am	Anniv.	Patricia Linnane, sister of Bernie O' Meara
Tues	29 th	Mar	10am	Anniv.	Dettie & Tom Kelleher Clareabbey
Sat	2 nd	Apr	7pm	Anniv.	Louis & Rita Moloney Manus
Sun	3 rd	Apr	9am	Anniv.	James Cahir Buncraggy
Sun	3 rd	Apr	12 noon	Anniv.	Bridie O'Neill St Joseph's Tce
Sun	3 rd	Apr	12 noon	Anniv.	Noel Shannon & Mary Fitzgerald St Joseph's Terrace & London
Sun	3 rd	Apr	12 noon	Anniv.	Patrick Talty Island McGrath



We remember in our prayers the repose of the soul of Michael Hayes, Patrick Street, and Susan Meaney (nee Nagle) Ennis/London and formerly of Tiermaclane who died & was laid to rest during the week. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to their family and friends at this time.

Mile Buíochas: We wish to acknowledge the contributions that we receive from parishioners for the various church collections, parish fund, priest's collection, Trócaire etc. Thank for your support. Contributions can be left with the parochial house, parish office, at mass in church containers or by post. People can also contribute online by using the Donate button on the parish website. <https://www.clarecastleballyeparish.ie>.

Lent: During the season of Lent there will be an evening Mass in Clarecastle Church on Friday evenings at 7pm and in Ballyea Church on Wednesday evenings at 8pm. **Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings in Ballyea Church at 7.30pm**

Fourth Sunday of Lent: From shame to celebration, from humiliation to joy – even before the son has time to humble himself, the father embraces him, lifts him up and celebrates with him and for him. This is the supreme example of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

The Abbey Pastoral Area Reconciliation Service will be on Monday 11 April at 7.30pm in the Cathedral of Ss Peter & Paul, Ennis. Reflections, scripture and music will be part of this prayerful celebration and a number of priests will be available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. You are all very welcome to join us.

Apostolic Work: Clarecastle branch will hold their Annual Display on April 3rd 2022. If you would like to donate a Sacred Vessel in memory of a loved one, please contact Patricia @ 087 6485930 or Anne @ 065 6822735. All donations go to support the work of our Missionaries abroad.

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine: Fully Escorted Pilgrimage four nights, 4th April 2022. €570.00 per person sharing. 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with Full Board. Wheelchair accessible rooms. Single supplement €75.00. Contact Patricia on 087 1890 236 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Ukraine Appeal: We have all watched in shocked disbelief the tragic unfolding of human devastation in Ukraine in recent weeks. Our prayers and thoughts are with the people of Ukraine and their supportive neighbours in Eastern Europe. This weekend March 26th & 27th 2022 there will be an opportunity to assist that plight and to provide for their basic human needs. There will be a special collection to Aid Ukraine at all masses this weekend. Those who wish to make a contribution may do so then or drop the same to the Parish Office or Parish House. Your generosity is appreciated.

Parkinson's Awareness Talk: To mark Parkinson's Awareness Week, Kilrush Library are hosting a talk on Wednesday 6th April at 2.30pm by Nicola Thompson, Parkinson's Nurse Specialist. Nicola has a wide experience and knowledge of the condition. This talk will be followed by a Q+A. There is also an open invitation for a patient to come and tell their story on the day. Tea and coffee will be served. All are welcome.

Accord: is recruiting interested people to assist in the provision of Marriage Preparation Programmes. Application forms are available by contacting marriagepreparation@accord.ie. Selections will take place in June of this year with training commencing in September. Please contact us for any support you may need www.accord.ie