

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

3rd April 2022, Fifth Sunday of Lent

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

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
Fri	8 th	Apr	7pm	Anniv.	Maureen Coffey Kiloo
Sat	9 th	Apr	7pm	1 st Anniv.	Vincent Lynch
Sun	10 th	Apr	12 noon	Anniv.	P.J. Mai & Anthony Cleary Clarehill

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Fri	8 th	Apr	8pm	Anniv.	Colm O'Mahony Killerk
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We remember in our prayers the repose of the soul of **Olive Mary Baumbach** (nee Malone) England and Bantick who died during the week, burial will take place in Suffolk England, a memorial mass will be offered for Olive in Clarecastle Church at a later date. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to her 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**

Set Dancing: will resume on Monday evenings at 8.30pm in the Abbey Hall. All are welcome. Music classes will continue on Thursday at 6.30pm in the Day Care Centre.

Apostolic Work Clarecastle branch are holding their Annual Display this Sunday April 3rd in the Parish Hall from 2pm to 4pm. The display showcases the work carried out by members of the community. All the work and any funds raised are to support our Irish Missionaries in their work. All are welcome. Admission free.

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

Fifth Sunday of Lent 'Has no one condemned you? Neither do I' As we approach the Sacrament of Reconciliation let us do so knowing that the Lord does not wait for us to condemn us, but to welcome us, encourage us, protect us. The Abbey Pastoral Area Reconciliation Service will be on Monday 11th 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 very much welcome to join us.

Education Fund Collection: The envelope collection next weekend is for the Education Fund, a fund which caters for the ongoing education for people in ministry in the Diocese of Killaloe, and for the education of seminarians. Please use the yellow envelope in your yearly pack or an envelope of your own to make your contribution.

Volunteers Needed: The Ray of Sunshine are looking for tradespeople to give up 11 days in January, 2023 to travel to Mombasa, Kenya as a volunteer to assist in building an Out-Reach Home. Further information please contact Olive Halpin, Clarecastle, Co Clare on 087-6994599. You can also check the website rayofsunshine.ie for further information.

Crumlin Kids Appeal: Bake sale /Kids Disco April 10th 2pm, Abbey Hall tickets €3 per child. Disco, bouncy castle, magician and face painting & lots of Cake/Treats.

Ukraine Appeal We wish to thank everyone for their kind contribution, and if anyone still wishes to contribute, they are most welcome. Our prayers and thoughts are with the people of Ukraine.