

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@clarecastleballyeaparissh.ie

21st May 2023 *The Ascension of the Lord*

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	20 th	May	7pm	Anniv	Patrick Barry
Sat	20 th	May	7pm	Anniv	Irene Moloney Ennis
Sat	20 th	May	7pm	Anniv	Liz Walshe Lissane
Sun	21 st	May	9am	Anniv	Eleanor O'Connor Green Lawn, Lissane
Sun	21 st	May	12 noon	1 st Anniv	Anne McCabe Killoo & Anniv Tom McCabe
Wed	24 th	May	10am	Anniv	Patrick & Theresa Sheridan Church Drive
Fri	26 th	May	10am	Anniv	Mary Agnes Hogan Buncraggy
Sat	27 th	May	7pm	Anniv	Eamon Callinan, Mary Fitzgerald & Winifred Boles Clarecastle
Sun	28 th	May	12 noon	Anniv	Liam Lynch Lissane

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sat	27 th	May	2pm	Anniv	Eileen Jones Kilmorane
Sun	28 th	May	10.30am	Anniv	Anne Duane Galway
Sun	28 th	May	10.30am	Anniv	Tinnie (Christina) & John Fitzgibbon & Mickey Michael Lynch Darragh



We remember in our prayers the repose of the souls of **John (Seán) McNamara** late of Clarecastle, **Paddy Crowe**, Dysart brother of Florrie Considine & Willie Crowe Clarecastle. **Marie Gardiner**, Ennis, sister of Ann Sullivan, Lissane. **John Vaughan**, Kilfenora, brother of Bridget Pyne, Kildysart Rd, **Anthony (Tony) Daly** Ennis brother of Carmel Coffey, Newhall, Mary Carrig, Darragh, Gerry & Keiran Daly Dromadrehid. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to their families and friends at this time.

Rosary: every evening at **Manus Grotto** at 7pm, **Hempfield Cross Grotto** & **Ballyea Grotto**, at 7.30pm and **Ballybeg Grotto** at 8pm. All are welcome.

Clarecastle GAA Golf Classic: 26th/27th May at Woodstock Hotel, Contact (065) 6829463

Cash4Clothes Fundraiser for Ballyea National School Tuesday 30th of May, PLEASE DROP OFF ALL ITEMS BEFORE 9.30AM, please donate all your unwanted clothes, paired footwear, handbags, belts, Curtains, towels, bed linen. Soft toys (teddies) can also be donated. ***NO PILLOWS OR DUVETS***

SAFEGUARDING: May is the Month of the year when we remember our commitment to safeguarding procedures we have in place in our church and our community. Recent years have sadly shown us that there is a rise in the number of seniors who are being abused. There is a newsletter available as you leave church today from the Diocesan Safeguarding Committee on the topic of “Safeguarding Adults at Risk of Abuse”. Please take a copy today and familiarise yourself with its contents.

Confirmation: We welcome Bishop Fintan Monahan to our Parish on Friday next 26th May to administer the sacrament of Confirmation to the young people of our parish. There will be two ceremonies of Confirmation on the day.

Clarecastle - 11.00am

Ballyea - 3.00pm

We wish all the candidates for Confirmation an enjoyable faith filled day.

Grotto Masses: There will be mass celebrated at the Grottos of Our Lady as in previous years as part of the May Devotions.

Wednesday 24th May - 8pm Ballybeg Grotto

Monday 29th May - 8pm Hempfield Cross Grotto

Wednesday 31st May - 8pm Manus Grotto

Clarecastle/Ballyea Bereavement Group: *We are a parish based group whose aims are to help those who are bereaved and grieving.* When a Family member dies within or outside of the Parish you may need a ‘Listening Ear’. Members of the Parish Bereavement Group can be there for you to talk to. If you think we can help, please contact us at bereavementgroupclarecastlebal@gmail.com or the Parish Office (065 682 3011) You are not alone; we are there to support you.

Trocaire Collection: We thank all who contributed to the annual Trocaire Collection this year. The Collection raised €4,470 and will be very welcome by Trocaire for their work with people in serious need of aid. Your generosity is very much appreciated and acknowledged.