## Clarecastle – Ballyea Parish

Fr. Pat Malone 6823011/0868572023: Fr. Harry Brady 0862349798

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@clarecastleballyeaparish.ie

30th July 2023 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Clarecastle Mass Intentions					
Sat	29 <sup>th</sup>	July	7pm	Anniv	Eugene Brennan Kildysart Rd, Clarecastle
Mon	31st	July	10am	Anniv	Eugene & Dylan Considine Main St
Sat	$5^{th}$	Aug	7pm	1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv	Joe Reynolds Manus, Clarecastle
Sat	$5^{th}$	Aug	7pm	Anniv	Anne Lyons & Noelle Lyons Knocknamana
Sat	$5^{th}$	Aug	7pm	Anniv	Mickey & Kitty Russell Quay Road
<u>Ballyea Mass Intentions</u>					
Sun	$30^{th}$	July	10.30am	Anniv	Matthew Haugh Lismaelbreeda, Darragh
Sun	$30^{th}$	July	10.30am	Anniv	Stephen Sheedy Lismaelbreeda, Darragh
Fri	4 <sup>th</sup>	Aug	8pm	Anniv	John Joe Cahir Knockanira
Sun	$6^{th}$	Aug	10.30am	M.M.	Joe Costelloe Kilmorane
Sun	$6^{th}$	Aug	10.30am	Anniv	Paddy Coote Drimeen



We remember in our prayers the repose of the souls of **Marie Kennedy** Drimeen West, and **Noreen Hounsome**, Shiane, Drimeen East, who died during the week. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to their families and friends at this time.

<u>Killaloe Diocese Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes</u> takes place from 2nd to 7th October. €780 full board. Limited seats available. Booking to Joe Walsh Tours, 89 Harcourt Street Dublin 2 D02WY88, Tel: 01-2410800 <u>www.joewalshtours.ie</u>

**Lough Derg Parish and Diocesan Pilgrimage**: Will take place from Bank Holiday Monday 7th to Wednesday 8th August. The bus will leave from the Cathedral at 7:00am sharp. Total cost €130 Early booking is recommended to secure a place. Contact Parish Office 065 6824043

Mary's Meals Annual Walk: The 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Step by Step to Feed the Next Child Walk will leave seven locations around Ireland on August 7<sup>th</sup> and converge on Knock Shrine on August 15<sup>th</sup>. Walks passing through Clare, Limerick, Galway, Tipperary, Laois and Offaly. If you would like to get involved, we'd love your support! Accommodation, drivers and

general help required. Please contact Fr Eamonn Kelly at 087-9077985 or check out <a href="https://www.marysmeals.ie">www.marysmeals.ie</a>

<u>Volunteering at Carrigoran House</u>: Carrigoran House Nursing Home has volunteer opportunities for people looking to make an impact within their community. We are seeking volunteers who are willing give their time and experience to enhance the lives of our residents through social interaction and emotional support. If you think you are a suitable fit, please contact Karina at <a href="mailto:karina.mccarthy@carrigoranhouse.ie">karina.mccarthy@carrigoranhouse.ie</a> or 065-368100.

<u>Light the Fire:</u> On August 6<sup>th</sup> Archbishop Eamon Martin Primate of All Ireland will relight the fire on the hill of Slane that was lit by St. Patrick many years ago. He will be joined by Sr. Briege Mc. Kenna, Dana and Fr. Pablo. There will be Holy Mass, rosary and a Eucharistic healing service on the day. This is a unique and monumental event. It is an opportunity for each of us to shine our light and witness to our faith in a joyful and spiritually uplifting celebration. If you would like details of a bus from your area please contact <a href="https://hillogs.nih.gov/hillogs.nih.g

<u>Year of Vocations to Diocesan Priesthood</u> This year is dedicated to praying for Vocations to Diocesan Priesthood. In the Killaloe Diocese, at the present time we have three young men discerning their vocation to serve as priests in our diocese. Please pray for them every day.

Prayer for Our Priests Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom. Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. Help them to become instruments of your divine grace. Inspire others to follow their example and continue to answer the call to serve as priests in our Diocese.

<u>Clarecastle Day Care Centre:</u> will be closed August 7<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August 2023. The Management and staff would like to thank everyone for their continued support and assistance.

Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 25<sup>th</sup> July 2023
12, 14, 17, 30 - No Jackpot Winner
1 Match 3 Winner Mary Mulqueen €200
Next draw Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2023 Jackpot €8,400