

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@clarecastleballyeaparissh.ie

9th July 2023 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	8 th	July	7pm	Anniv	Sean (Snr) & Sean (Jnr) Slattery Church Drive
Sun	9 th	July	12 noon	1 st Anniv	Paul Hayes Clancy Park, Ennis & Patrick Street, Clarecastle
Sun	9 th	July	12 noon	M.M.	Haulie Kelliher Clareabbey
Fri	14 th	July	7pm	MEM.	Brian Coughlan U.S.A.
Sat	15 th	July	7pm	Anniv	Anna Healy Madden's Terrace
Sun	16 th	July	12 noon	Anniv	Liz Mungavan Bunraggy

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sun	16 th	July	10.30am	Anniv	Betty Purtill & Purtill family Ballyea
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We remember in our prayers the repose of the souls of **Joe Costello**, Kilmorane, Ennis, **Brian Coughlan** U.S.A. Memorial Mass (nephew Michael Coughlan, Lissane & Geoghegan's Ballybeg), & **Brian Finnegan**, Manusmore, Clarecastle, **Kathleen O'Loughlin**, Shannon sister of P.J. & Gerard Sullivan Clarecastle. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to their family and friends at this time.

Priest's Collection: The Collection for the Priests of the Parish will be held this weekend. Please use the green envelope in your yearly pack or an envelope of your own to make your contribution. Your support and generosity are greatly appreciated.

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

Calling all Colaiste Muire, Ennis girls who did their leaving cert in **1983** A class reunion is being organised for September 16th in Ennis if you would like to attend -we would love to see you! Contact Mary Howard maryhoward2009@gmail.com for more details

Fr. Harry's Jubilee: Fr Harry is celebrating the Diamond Jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood this year. 60 years of dedicated service to the gospel message and to the people and parishes he was assigned to. His dedication, determination and commitment are inspirational for all of us. To mark this wonderful occasion the Parish Councils are organising a parish event to join with Fr. Harry and his family. The 7pm mass on Saturday 12th August followed by a social gathering has been chosen to celebrate the occasion. The date was chosen in consultation with Fr. Harry and his family. We look forward to meeting you all on the night and we wish Fr. Harry an enjoyable Jubilee Year and many graces and blessings in the times ahead.

Regatta: A word of appreciation to the hard working volunteers who organised the Regatta in our Parish last week. It was lovely to see the Quay so busy last Saturday and so many people enjoying the beautiful environs, the gathering of others and the engagement with the patrons of stalls and exhibits. The work that went into organising such an event was very evident on the day and we thank the hard working committee and all they drafted in to make such a day possible in our community. Mile buichos and may you get time to rest awhile before regrouping again to organise Regatta 2024

Parish Donations: We are all aware of rising costs and running the Parish is no different. We are so grateful for your continued donations during this time. Did you know that if you contribute €250 or more a year, and you are assessed for income tax, the Church may be able to claim a refund to Church funds at NO expense to you. Contributions eligible for the scheme exclude contributions to the Missions, The Clerk's and Trócaire collections. It simplifies the tax relief process for both you the donor and the charity. It's the most effective method for charities to claim the tax rebate. Many have already signed a CHY3 form and we are extremely thankful as it really does make a difference. To find out more: <https://www.revenue.ie/en/companies-and-charities/documents/charities/chy3-enduring-certificate.pdf>

The Annual Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place next Sunday 16 July. Mass at 3pm with Anointing of the Sick beforehand at 2:30pm. Contact Pioneer Total Abstinence Association of the Sacred Heart 01 8054226 or email contact@pioneers.ie.

Day Pilgrimage to Glendalough From Ennis on Sunday the 27th of August, 2023. Day includes bus departing from Station Road, Cathedral, at 7.30am, Prayer, Praying the Psalms, Mass, Guided Walk and talk by Fr. Tady Doyle. Cost of Bus return €30. Booking, payment and further information. Contact Frank (087) 9652864.

Grandparent's Pilgrimage The Annual Grandparents' Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine takes place Sunday 23rd July.