

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

12th November 2023 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	11 th	Nov	7pm	Anniv	Paddy & Maureen Russell St Michael's Terrace John & Alice Russell Quay Road
Sun	12 th	Nov	9am	Anniv	Breda Nolan Barntick
Sun	12 th	Nov	12 noon	Anniv	Nancy, Emer, Diarmuid & Declan Meade Kildysart Road
Sun	12 th	Nov	12 noon	Anniv	John Houlihan Sandfield Park, Ennis
Sun	12 th	Nov	12 noon	Anniv	James & Susan Murphy Knocknamana
Wed	15 th	Nov	7pm	Anniv	Clarecastle - Bereaved Dead
Sat	18 th	Nov	7pm	M.M.	Josie Moloney McNamara Park, Ennis
Sat	18 th	Nov	7pm	1 st Anniv	Teresa McGrenaghan Sil Na Fheargus, Quay Rd
Sat	18 th	Nov	7pm	Anniv	Pakie & Jenny Guinnane Church Drive
Sat	18 th	Nov	7pm	Anniv	John & Pauline Mullahy Church Drive
Sun	19 th	Nov	9am	Anniv	Maurice & Sheila Nolan Knocknamana
Sun	19 th	Nov	12 noon	Anniv	Veronica Hanrahan Barntick
Sun	19 th	Nov	12 noon	Anniv	Noreen & James McMahon Clareabbey

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sun	12 th	Nov	10.30am	M.M.	Christy O'Leary Knockanean
Sun	12 th	Nov	10.30am	Anniv	Patrick McDonnell & Anmarie Kingston & Dec'd McDonnell family
Fri	17 th	Nov	8pm		Ballyea - Bereaved Dead
Sun	19 th	Nov	10.30am	Anniv	Maureen & Paddy Sheedy, Nellie & Peggy Sheedy & John Tobin Darragh



We remember in our prayers the repose of the soul of **PJ Keane** Corrovorrin brother of Tom Keane Drimeen. We offer our condolences and prayers to his family and friends.

Prayer For Prisoners: This year we are marking prisoner Sunday in the diocese of Killaloe on Sunday Nov 12th we invite people to pray for prisoners, their families and their victims using the prisoners prayer card, available at Church doors.

Clarecastle Christmas Market, in the Abbey Hall: Sat Nov 18th from 4.30pm to 8.30pm and Sun Nov 19th from 10am to 3pm.

Clerks Collection: The Autumn Collection for the church sacristan will be taken up this weekend 11th & 12th Nov. Please use the Orange envelope in your yearly pack or an envelope of your own to make a contribution.

November Masses: To facilitate those who wish to attend mass in November to remember their dead, we will have evening masses during the month on the following weekdays **Wednesday - Ballyea @ 8pm & Friday - Clarecastle 7pm.**

Remembering Those Who Have Died: The annual masses organised by our Bereavement Support Group in which we remember in particular loved ones who died in the year from November 2022 – November 2023 have been arranged and are as follows: **Clarecastle Wednesday 15th Nov at 7pm and Ballyea Friday 17th November at 8pm.**

Blessing of Graves: **Sunday 12th November Priests Cemetery – Clarecastle Church Grounds after 9am Mass and Clare Abbey Cemetery 2pm**

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers needed: We currently need parishioners to come on board as Readers and Eucharistic Ministers, we all agree that the involvement of lay people in our ceremonies enrich and enhance them, if you would like to volunteer, please give your name in to the Parish Office or to Fr. Pat and a member of the Pastoral Council will be in contact with you soon.

Eucharistic Adoration: We are proposing to re-establish Eucharistic Adoration in Clarecastle Church on Tuesdays. If you wish to spend time with Jesus in adoration please leave your name, contact no. and preferred time with the Parish Office.

Triduum of Masses This year we will continue our Triduum of Masses in our Parish. The proceeds of the Triduum will go to the local Conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul and local charities to address the needs of those in our community this Christmas time. In previous years this has proven to be a very beneficial source of funding for the conference. The Triduum will be three masses celebrated on the 27th, 28th & 29th of December 2023. Those who wish to include a person in the Triduum as a gift or remembrance at Christmas/New Year can do so by getting the Triduum Card in the parish office and make a contribution of €5 for same. This lovely card can then be inserted into your normal Christmas card or given on its own.

Clarecastle Tidy Towns and Circular Clarecastle: Are delighted to host a **Clarecastle Community Meeting and Q&A about the Clare Climate Action Plan public consultation** *Join us on Monday November 13th at the Old School at 7pm (planning for one hour meeting)*