

Clarecastle – Ballyea Parish

Fr. Pat Malone 6823011/086-8572023: Fr. Harry Brady 086-2349798

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

17th March 2024, Fifth Sunday of Lent

Clarecastle Mass Intentions

Sat	16 th	Mar	7pm	Anniv	Paddy Healy Madden's Terrace
Sun	17 th	Mar	9am	Anniv	Peter Fox Clareabbey
Fri	22 nd	Mar	7pm	Anniv	John & Louisa Hayes & Son Michael Patrick Street
Sat	23 rd	Mar	7pm	Anniv	Laura Brennan Hill View Clarecastle/Ennis
Sun	24 th	Mar	12 noon	M.M.	Rita Holloway Ballybeg
Sun	24 th	Mar	12 noon	Anniv	Ada Power Quay Road

Ballyea Mass Intentions

Sun	17 th	Mar	10.30am	1 st Anniv	Vincent Hogan Dublin & Ballyea
Sun	17 th	Mar	10.30am	Anniv	Margaret & Liam Lynch St Joseph's Terrace
Sun	24 th	Mar	10.30am	Anniv	Kenny Family Bansha



We remember in our prayers the repose of the souls of **Noel O Grady** Ennis and Clarecastle father of Fergal, Drumquin. **Mary O'Gorman** Kilrush, mother of Shelly Doherty, Silvergrove. **Eileen Sherry**, Newmarket on Fergus mother of John, Killoo & **Kathleen Quigley** Killaloe, mother of Catherine Vaughan Clarecastle. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to their families and friends at this time.

Morning Mass on Monday March 18th: Will be at 11am as this is a Bank Holiday.

Priest's Collection: Fr Harry and Fr. Pat would like to thank all parishioners who contributed to the Priest's Collection, your support is very much appreciated. The collection is still open for contributions. Mile Buíochas!!!

Community Walking Group: The group will meet every Wednesday morning at 9.05am at the school side gate and walk the new routes in the Ten Acres in the GAA grounds. This is open to all of the community who wish to meet and connect while being active e.g. grandparents, new members of the local community etc.

Abbey Pastoral Area Service of Reconciliation: Monday 25th March at 7.30pm in Ennis Cathedral. All welcome, Priests available for individual confession.

Ennis Blood Donation Clinic: West County Hotel on Tuesday 19th & Thursday 20th March 2024 between 16:50pm - 20:10pm Please phone 1800 222 111 for appointment. New Donors welcome

Dean Power and James Hurley: Will present the **Irish Premiere** of *Great Irish Poets Songbook* in Glór on the 21st of March at 8pm. Newly composed songs with texts by James Joyce, W.B. Yeats, Fanny Parnell and T. Moore. Includes Easter 1916, Lake Isle of Innisfree, Last Rose of Summer and many more. Tickets: €20/€18 and U18 for €12, at Glór box office.

The Clare Branch of the Alzheimer Society: Are delighted to have our Ennis Information Cafe returning on the third Wednesday of each Month, in our Ennis Centre from 11.30-13.30. Guest speaker on the 20th of March is Sharon Cahir, Solicitor, covering Planning ahead, including Enduring Power of Attorney. Join us for tea and a chat. For more information contact Linda Murphy 0879152151, e-mail : linda.murphy@alzheimer.ie

Clare Roots Society Talk: Thursday March 21st 2024, in the Clare Education Centre, Kilrush Road, Ennis V95 F782 at 7.30p.m. The life of Sir Cornelius Moloney (Tulla links) by Dermot Deering

Accord Counselling: Do you need Help? Is available for individuals and couples in Ennis and Nenagh. For appointments please contact Tel: 065 6824697 Email: ennis@accord.ie or nenagh@accord.ie

Pilgrimage to Lourdes: The Diocese of Killaloe will be travelling to Lourdes on 21st to 26th June with the help of 24 young people from the different Pastoral Areas of the Diocese. The Abbey Pastoral Area invites young people between the age of 16 and under 18 on the 26th June to apply in writing to their local priest for consideration for one of two places available to our Pastoral Area. In the event of more than two applicants a draw will take place. Closing date is Sunday 7th April.

Daffodil Day: More people in Ireland are being diagnosed with cancer than ever before. One in two of us will get cancer in our lifetimes. But more people are surviving than ever before—thanks to the help of people like you. Please join us with a special donation today. www.cancer.ie/daffodildayie Donate online at cancer.ie/TakeBack or call 0818102030.

Happy St Patricks Day!!!