

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@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie](mailto:parish@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie)**

**4<sup>th</sup> August 2024, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Clarecastle Mass Intentions**

Sat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	August 7pm	Anniv	Anne & Noelle Lyons Knocknamana
Sat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	August 7pm	Anniv	Joe & Delia Barry Clarehill
Tues	6 <sup>th</sup>	August 7pm	Anniv	Stephen Cullinan Clarehill
Sun	4 <sup>th</sup>	August 12 noon	Anniv	Derek Titheridge South Woodford, London

**Ballyea Mass Intentions**

Sun	11 <sup>th</sup>	August 10.30am	Anniv	Jean Adams Ballybeg Hse, Kildysart Road
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We remember in our prayers the repose of the soul of **Bridie Cassidy** Turnpike Road, Ennis mother of David Cassidy Lissane and Derek Cassidy Primrose Gardens. We offer our condolences and the support of our prayers to her family and friends at this time.

**Bank Holiday:** Monday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2024 is a Bank Holiday; daily mass will be at **11am** and not the usual 10am.

**Killaloe Priests Benevolent Fund:** Will be taken up next weekend 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> August. Please use the yellow envelope in your pack or an envelope of your own, this can also be dropped into the Parish Office. **Mile Buíochas!!**

**Volunteers:** Are required to read at our weekend masses - full training will be provided. If you would like to become involved in our weekend ceremonies - please pass your name and contact details to Fr. Pat or to the Parish Office. A member of the Pastoral Council will then contact you regarding training and mass schedule.

**The Clarecastle Show Society:** Wish to advise that this year's Schedule is now available. Please TEXT the secretary on 085 7816665 with your postal details. The Show Office will be opening on Monday July 29<sup>th</sup>, in the Abbey Hall 10am to 5pm daily. All entries must be received by 3pm on Friday August 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Parish Office:** Open Monday to Friday 10am – 4pm. Closed for lunch 1-2pm. Please call us on 065-6823011 or call into the office if you wish to book a Mass, Baptism etc. or email: [parish@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie](mailto:parish@clarecastleballyeaparis.ie)

**Learn to sing with Dean Power:** Individual/Groups lessons available in Clarecastle. If interested, contact [deanpower1@gmail.com](mailto:deanpower1@gmail.com) for more information.

**Chy3 Tax Return forms:** Can we ask anyone who has yet to return their completed form please do so. Many Thanks

**Volunteer Ministries in the Killaloe Diocese:** Have you ever thought of enriching your faith or of equipping yourself to be able to give something to your parish or pastoral area? The Diocese of Killaloe is hoping to build on the success of our initial lay ministry training programme by offering training to those who feel called to give time as Catechist and as Ministers of Pastoral Care. It is hoped to begin journeying with those interested in the Autumn. These ministries will be of interest to those already involved in their parish or pastoral area or those wishing to be more involved in the life of their local Church community. This programme involves lay people working side by side with priests in key ministries in our parishes and pastoral areas. Brochures are available in your parish or on the Diocesan Webpage.

**Public Meetings will be held** at the following centres in September: **Kilrush** Community Centre: Wed 11<sup>th</sup> September 7.30pm. **Ennis** Pastoral Centre: Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> September 7.30pm. **Nenagh** Pastoral Centre: Mon 16<sup>th</sup> September 7.30pm. Further information and application forms can be found at <https://www.killaloediocese.ie/our-diocese/lay-ministries/>

**Pallottine Missionaries Visit Parish:** Fr Martin Mareja and Brother Stephen Buckley from the Pallottine Fathers Missions will be here at all Masses next weekend to promote their mission work. The Pallottines were founded by Saint Vincent Pallotti, who was born in Rome in 1795. From his childhood he offered his life to the service of the poor, and founded the Union of Catholic Apostolate. At that time the laity were not actively involved in the ministry of the Church and Saint Vincent wanted to inspire people of all walks of life to work for God's kingdom. Saint Vincent wanted people to treat those in need "with care and with a loving concern". He died in 1850, leaving a legacy that continues to inspire people worldwide today.

**Clarecastle Community Lotto: Winning Numbers for 30<sup>th</sup> July 2024**  
**2, 12, 24, 30 : No Jackpot Winner 2 Match 3 Winners €100 each**  
**Next Draw Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> August 2024 Jackpot €11,000**