Our Faithful Departed.....

Tommy Cunniffe, Castlekeeley, Caragh

Fr Pat Ramsbottom, retired Parish Priest of Staplestown and Cooleragh .....may they rest in peace, Amen.

### Masses for the Week

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<u>Clane</u>				
Sat 9th Sept	6.3opm	Eilis Lombard (Months Mind Mass), Agnes McCaffrey, Fr Bob Thompson SJ,		
		Anne Smullen (Birthday Remembrance), Betty Cullen, Thomas Doyle,		
		Killian Morris (First Anniversary), Imelda McGee, Marie Ryan, Hannah O'Hagan,		
		Angela Kelly (Birthday Remembrance), Mikey Herbert (Birthday Remembrance),		
		Gerard McGurk, PJ Lenihan, Richard Reilly, Michael, Mary & Cole Lenihan,		
		Maureen Gibbons, Deceased members of the Mahoney Family		
Sun 10th Sept	9.30am	Nicholas & Molly Losty, Thomas & Anne King		
	11.30am	Julia Connolly (Months Mind Mass), Patrick Connolly (Months Mind Mass),		
		Patsy Farrell, Kathleen Drumm (Birthday Remembrance), Rose & Sean Tallon		
Mon 11th Sept	10.00am	Agnes McCaffrey		
Tues 12th Sept	10.00am	Pat & Rose Shortt		
Wed 13th Sept	10.00am			
Thurs 14th Sept 10.00am				
Fri 15th Sept	10.00am	Daniel & Eileen O'Brien		
Sat 16th Sept	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion		
	6.3opm	Noel Delaney (First Anniversary), Marie Delaney, Paudie Wallace (Birthday Remembrance),		
		Tom McDonald, Christy McMahon, Peter McIntyre, Thomas, Joan & Michael Delaney,		
		Margaret & Patrick Doody, Bridie Nolan, Brendan & Kathleen McCormack,		
		Michael 9, Elizabeth Hellizare, Jinney 9, Duidie David, David Drandareset		

Michael & Elizabeth Holligan, Jimmy & Bridie Doyle, David Prendergast

Sunday 17th Sept 9.30am

11.30am Jackie Cooper, Kathleen Early, John Joe Donoghue & Deceased Parents

#### **Rathcoffey**

Sunday 11th Sept10.30am Sunday 18th Sept10.30am

	Saturday 17th	Sunday 18th	Sunday 18th	Sunday 18th
	6.30pm	9.30am	11.30am	10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Maureen Cummins Mary Deay John Duffy Laura Duffy John Farrelly	Sheila Briody Michael Clifford Anne Cribbin Matthew Cribbin Eleanor Cunney	Margaret Maguire Joe Malone Maureen Marron Colette O'Byrne Marie O'Connell	Michael Behan Jnr Catherine Burche- al
Ministers	Bernie Campbell	Darragh O'Brien	Sinead Brett	Marie Meehan
of the Word	Noeleen Conboy	Kate O'Donoghue	Paula Carbury	
Basket	John Duffy	John Sullivan	PJ Sheridan	
Collectors	Joe Horan	Darragh O'Brien	Martin Monaghan	
(September)	Michael Wallace	Charlie Flynn	Kathleen Browne	
Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 17th		Michael Wallace, Sean O'Hara		

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## Weekend Mass Times

Clane	
Saturday	6.30pm
Sunday	9.30am
2	11.30am
Rathcoffey	

Sunday

Parish Shop and Office The Parish Centre Main Street Clane **OPENING HOURS** 

10.30am

Monday to Friday 9.30am – 1.30pm Saturday 10.30am – 1pm

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# **CLANE PARISH CHURCH.** MAIN ST., CLANE, **ON TUESDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER** AT 7:30PM

We welcome Rev Gregg Ryan, Clane Union of Parishes Dr Ali Selim, Islamic Cultural Centre of Ireland together with Rev Fr Denis Harrington PE Rev Fr. Paul O'Boyle PP and Rev John Dunleavy

ALL ARE MOST WELCOME. **TEA AND COFFEE** IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARDS WITH AN OPPORTUNITY TO **MEET AND CHAT WITH** THE SPEAKERS

PARISH LOTTO DRAW **Tuesday 6th September 2016** 5, 7, 25, 27 No winner of this weeks Jackpot 3 x €50 prize winners Tina Campbell, Kieran Hughes, Mary M Dunne Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners Mamie O'Connell, Donal O'Brien

> €25 prize winner Mary Monaghan Next week's Jackpot:

> > € 9,400

Weekly Lotto tickets are available from vour local Promoter or the Parish Shop.

> Minimum €275 worth of prizes every week.

The annual Clane & Rathcoffev Parish Autumn Craft Fair takes place on Sunday 9th October at the Rathcoffey GAA venue. Many of the stalls and attractions that everybody enjoyed so much last year will feature again. We will have an art exhibition, children's art competition, flower arranging, jewellery, crafts, cake stall, raffles, book stall, candles, pottery, vintage tractors & cars & motor bikes, face painting and much more. All new exhibitors are welcome. For Information on this event contact Brendan at 086 8301885 or 086 6089911

Best wishes to Fr Mike Bracken, College Road, Clane, who returns to his missionary work in South Africa after his summer break.

The Relics of St Therese, and those of her Parents, Lois and Zéile Martin will be visiting our parish on Thursday 29th September at the invitation of the Little Way Cancer Support Centre, We will have a special Mass in the parish church at 7.30pm that evening. Everybody is welcome.

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Lotto We would like to remind all those who wish to renew their Annual Subscription or return ticket stubs can do so at the Parish Shop during the week or in the Parish Centre each Tuesday between 7.30pm and 8.45pm.

The Newbridge branch of the Samaritans will be speaking at our parish Masses this weekend, appealing for volunteers to help in their important work.

Our parish benevolent fund helps people in our parish at times of great need in a respectful and confidential manner. Donations from individuals and groups are always most welcome to our local Credit Union, account number 13422.

Before Mass. talk to the Lord. During Mass, listen to the Lord. After Mass, talk and listen to your friends.

Feast of St Ailbhe 12th September St Ailbe (Ale-bee) is credited with the founding of Christianity in Clane - before the work of St Patrick and others in the wider area. His site is assumed to be associated with the high ground at the Abbey Community Hall - the former Church of Ireland Parish Church on Main Street. He died in 528 and is buried in Emly, Co Limerick. Clane residents will probably be aware of the modern stone cross where Crockaun meets the Millicent Road - opposite Park View. This is a replica of the cross on St Ailbe's grave and is seated in an ancient base of a long since missing stone cross.

A Mass to celebrate the Feast of St Pio will take place on Friday evening 23rd of September at 7.30 in St Mary's Church, Edenderry. After Mass, St Pio's glove will be available to anyone wishing to be blessed. All are welcome.

Items for the Parish Newsletter must be in to the Parish Office by 12 noon on Wednesday Email claneparish@eircom.net

Giving blood saves lives and you could save a life, or two or three by giving blood on Monday, 12 September 2016 at Clane GAA Hall, Prosperous Road, Clane, between 3.00pm and 5.00pm or between 7.00pm and 9.00pm. Blood donors are especially needed, at this time, to replenish blood supplies after the August holidays. If you want any further information about giving blood, or who can and cannot give blood you are welcome to give the IBTS a call on 1850 731 137 between 9.00am and 5.00pm Monday to Friday.

Alzheimer Cafe Leixlip. Wednesday September 14th 7-9pm Join us on Wednesday September 14th in "The Conservatory", Ryevale Nursing Home, Leixlip from 7-9pm. The speaker will be Frank O'Rourke T.D. and he will talk about benefits and entitlements. Attendance is free of charge and there is plenty of parking available

Clane Swim & Aqua exercise for people with arthritis in Westgrove Hotel. Wednesdays: 11 - 11.30am Fridavs: 2 -2.30pm Admission €5. participants will also have access to the pool, jacuzzi and steamroom facilities.

Family Fun Day - 75 year celebration in St. Farnans Post Primary School, Prosperous, 1—4pm : 25th September

Coffee Morning on Thursday 15th September in the Parish Centre from 10am—3pm for St Brigid's Hospice.

Our Lord does not look so much at the greatness of our actions, or even at their difficulty, as at the love with which we do them. St Therese of Lisieux

**Clane Parish Shop** Many thanks to those who contributed. Saturday 17th September and those who Catherine Murphy collected and counted **Clane Altar Society** Basket Catherine Burcheal. Envelopes Trish Larkin

> The Relics of St Therese of Lisieux and those of her parents Saints Louis and Azelie Martin will visit Clane Parish Church on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2016 with the Celebration of Mass at 7.30pm and the Blessing of the Roses. All are most welcome.

€ 1.529.39

€ 824.40

**OPEN INVITATION TO ALL Kildare Culture Night/Weekend** 16-18 Sept 2016 **Clane Project Centre** 'Nexus' Prosperous Road, Clane. Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September 3pm onwards Come and see the Display by Clane Craft Club, ,Children's Art group Clane Youth Project, Clane CoderDojo Project, Clane Men's Shed and Music by Brian Duffy Music School Something for all ages Feel free to pop in and take a look See you at the 'Nexus!'

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED McAuley Place is a registered charity, providing independent living for older people in the heart of Naas town. They require volunteers for the following areas: The Convent Tearooms, Renaissance charity store: and the upkeep of the Luisne Garden: Please contact the Volunteer Co-Ordinator Catherine O'Sullivan on 045-897833 or email catherine@mcaulevplace.ie

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