

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2017

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2017

Fifth Sunday of Easter

14th May 2017

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Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 13th	6.30pm	Michele Di Stefano (Birthday Remembrance), Des Hoban, Lil McCormack, Mary Browne (Birthday Remembrance), Pat Cribbin, Sean Cribbin (Birthday Remembrance), Mary Nugent (Birthday Remembrance), James Cash, Bill, Josie, Rose & Joan Murray, Reuben & Kathleen Thomas
Sunday 14th	9.30am	People of the Parish
	11.30am	Kathleen Cribbin, Elizabeth (Marie) O'Brien, Donal David Murphy, Terence Keaney
Monday 15th	7.30pm	Novena Mass; Speaker Colm Early
Tuesday 16th	10.00am	Sr Joan Kavanagh
Wed 17th	10.00am	Sick of the Parish
Thursday 18th	10.00am	
Friday 19th	10.00am	Greg McGovern
Saturday 20th	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
	6.30pm	Adrian McMenamon, David O'Neill, Ronan O'Donovan, Kevin O'Neill (Birthday Remembrance), Anne McCabe, Louise Fall (Birthday Remembrance), Comhaltas Mass, Maureen Shannon (First Anniversary), Anne McCabe, Mark Shannon (Months Mind Mass)
Sunday 21st	9.30am	People of the Parish
	11.30am	Bridget & Michael Murtagh, Peadar Slevin

Rathcoffey

Sunday 14th	10.30am	Mick Reilly, John Ross
Sunday 21st	10.30am	

	Saturday 20th 6.30pm	Sunday 21st 9.30am	Sunday 21st 11.30am	Sunday 21st 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Jeanette O'Rourke Anne Behan Caroline Behan Elizabeth Behan Padraig Carbury	Orianna Hackett Maura Losty Katherine Martin Paddy Moore Margaret McDonald	Colette O'Byrne Marie O'Connell Sean O'Hara Sean O'Riordan Bernadette Plunkett	Catherine Moriarty Grainne Ward
Ministers of the Word	Patricia O'Neill Bernie Campbell	Gerry Fagan Charlotte Hackett	Noel De La Pena	Anne Egan
Servers	1	2	9	4
Basket Collectors (May)	John Duffy Joe Horan Michael Wallace	John Sullivan Darragh O'Brien Charlie Flynn	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford Frank O'Keefe	
Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 20th			Una Duffy, Damian McCaffrey	

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Weekend Mass Times

Clane	
Saturday	6.30pm
Sunday	9.30am 11.30am
Rathcoffey	
Sunday	10.30am

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

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

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**A warm welcome to our
First Holy Communion
children and their
families to our
Sunday Masses.**

**We remember all
who have supported
them to prepare for
this special day.**

Parish Novena
**We welcome Colm Early
our guest speaker at this
Monday's Parish
Novena in Clane
Church at 7.30pm.**

**Reflect
Connect
Support**

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Tuesday 9th May 2017

1, 3, 4, 15

No winner of this weeks Jackpot

3 x €50 prize winners

Sally Sheridan, CJD Doran,
Terry Cusack

Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners

Louise Cottuli, Damian McCaffrey

€25 prize winner

Frank O'Keeffe

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 7,000

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

Minimum €275 worth
of prizes every week.

**Fr Paul will celebrate the Annual
Mass of Remembrance in Scoil
Mhuire Clane on Wednesday 17th
May at 7.30pm.**

Parish Golf Classic

Our Parish Golf Classic takes place at
Clongowes Wood/Clane Golf Course on
Friday 2nd June by kind permission of
the Jesuit Community and Clane Golf
Club members. All support is most
welcome. Please contact Des Marron to
book a team or sponsor a tee box.

Best wishes to Clane Senior
Footballers who play St Laurence's
in the Senior Championship this
Sunday May 14th at 7pm in St
Conleth's Park, Newbridge.

Our Parish Benevolent Fund in our
local Credit Union Account Number
13422 always welcomes donations to
help people at times of special need.

Thought for the Week

May we overcome indifference with concrete acts of charity.

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.

All of our Parish Ceremonies in Clane church
are streamed live on our Parish WebCam at
www.claneparish.com. It's a very special way
to connect to those at home and those
away from home.

Among us, who is above must be in service of
the others. This doesn't mean we have to
wash each other's feet every day, but we
must help one another. *Pope Francis*

**Mass of Thanksgiving for the Beatification of
Fr John Sullivan SJ will be celebrated in
Clongowes Wood College on Saturday 20th
May at 7pm. Principal Celebrant and homilist
Bishop Denis Nulty. Blessing with the Cross of
Fr John Sullivan after Mass. All welcome.**

A Special Remembrance Service for families and
friends affected by suicide will be held on **Friday 19th
May at 7.30pm** in **Our Lady & St Joseph Church,
Caragh**. A memorial stone has been erected in the
Garden of Remembrance and this will be blessed at
the service. If you would like to have a loved one
who has died this year or any other year
remembered at this special Service, please
contact Caragh Parish Office Monday to Friday
9am to 1pm on 045 875602 or email
parishoffice@caragh.net with your loved one's name.
People from all areas in Kildare are welcome to
attend. This special service is organised by HOPE (D)
"helping other people endure depression" in
conjunction with Caragh Pastoral council.

Third Age is delivering free Digital Skills
classes in Clane. The free training course
is a 10-hour programme over five weeks,
two hours per week, 10 participants per
course. It covers introduction to the
Internet, Internet security and safety,
email, search engines and websites,
online government services, conducting
everyday transactions, online voice and
video calls and use of apps.

**To register your interest, please phone
046-9557766 or log on to
nationaloffice@thirdage.ie
for more information**

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

The Clane & Rathcoffey Community Games
will be held on **Monday 15th May in Scoil
Mhuire**. Please note the **change of time**. the
games will **start at 6pm**. More information at
[https://www.facebook.com/
ClaneRathcoffeyCommunityGames/](https://www.facebook.com/ClaneRathcoffeyCommunityGames/)

You are invited to attend the Launch of "Building
Family of Greatness", a book by Esther Ewulonu in
Unit 61 Hills Industrial Estate, Lucan at 2pm on
Saturday 20th May.

St Vincent's Hospital, Athy
The 14th annual Charity Auction in aid of the
Patients' Comfort Fund will take place in the
Athy G.A.A. Centre on Sunday May 21st May
at 2.15 pm with viewing from 11am. Your sup-
port and presence at the Auction is greatly
appreciated. Further information is available
from St. Vincent's Hospital at 059 864300.

Home Instead Senior Care urgently
require CAREGivers in County Kildare.
Recruitment Fairs will be held in
**Keadeen Hotel, Newbridge on Wednesday
17th May 2017 and Celbridge Manor Hotel on
Wednesday 24th May 2017 from 9.30 to
1.00pm Book your place by calling
045 - 484623 or
brenda.mooney@homeinstead.ie**

Irish Wheelchair Association (IWA) seeks
volunteers to help out with their bucket
collections. Are you available to help out? If
so, call or email Alison for more information.
Mobile: 0872676688 Landline: 01 8186418
Email: alison.mcdonnell@iwa.ie

RATHCOFFEY HISTORY GROUP
An Illustrated Talk on Memories of a visit to WW1
Battlefields and also on the Irish College in Louvain
will be given by Larry Breen in Rathcoffey GAA on
Thursday 18th May at 8.30pm. Admission free and
all welcome. Further information from Mairead
Byrne (087 2239410)

**Table Quiz in aid of Rathcoffey under 14
Feile Camogie Team 20th May at 9pm.
Please support!**

Clane Parish Shop

Saturday 20th May

Mary Kelly

Clane Altar Society

Maureen McCormack,

Mary Cleary, Peggy Carew

**Many thanks to those
who contributed,
and those who
collected and counted**

Basket € 2,140.58
Envelopes € 1,061.22

Lourdes 2017

We are looking forward to our Clane & Rathcoffey
Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes from July 16-21st 2017
as part of the Kildare & Leighlin group led by Bish-
op Denis Nulty. Our group of twenty pilgrims led by
Fr Denis will be staying at the Jeanne D'Arc Hotel in
Lourdes. The all in cost is €719. We will be running
a bus from Clane to the airport in Dublin which will
cost a little extra for each pilgrim. We hope to have a
meeting of the group closer to the date to distribute
tickets etc. Many thanks to all.

FLEADH CHEOIL CHILL DARA 2017

Hosted by Craobh Chlaonadh

Wednesday 17th May.

**11am. Coffee Morning as Gaeilge in the Oak Bar of
the Westgrove Hotel Clane**
**7pm History walk of Clane with Clane Local History
Group. Meet at Manzors Car Park.**
**Followed by slide show of 50 years of CCÉ in Kildare.
Upstairs lounge in Clane GAA at 8pm**

Thursday 18th May.

Clane G.A.A. Upstairs Lounge.

**8 pm. Launch of Fleadh Cheoil Chill Dara by
Lucina Russell Arts Officer Kildare County Council.**
**Recital featuring Jenny Dillon & friends followed by
Session. Adm. €5 which
includes Raffle. Everyone Welcome.**

Friday 19th May.

Set Dancing Céilí in Clane GAA Club.

9.30 p.m. – 12.30 a.m. Adm. €12. Refreshments

Saturday 20th May.

**Aifreann Traidisiúnta at 6.30 p.m. in
St Patrick and St Bridget's Church Clane.**
**Youth Session in Clane GAA (Upstairs Lounge)
7.30 – 9.00p.m.**

Singing Session in Main Bar from 9pm

Sunday 21st May.

All Competitions will be held in Scoil Mhuire Clane.
Closing Seisiún in Manzors from 6.00 p.m.
Fleadh Raffle at this seisiún.

**For more information
WWW.CLANEPARISH.COM
WWW.RATHCOFFEYPARISH.COM
WWW.KANDLE.IE (Diocesan website)**