

Our Faithful Departed.....**Brigid Murtagh, Blackhall**  
 .....may she rest in peace, Amen.

**Masses and Ceremonies for the Week**

<b>Clane</b>			
Saturday 16th April	6.30pm	Ray (Raymond) Crowe (First Anniversary), Muriel Carew Michael (Mick) Giblin (First Anniversary), Sr Annie Teresa	
Sunday 17th April	9.30am 11.30am	Joseph McCormack, Timothy Buckley, Gerald, Walter & Sarah Hurley Mike Barry, Philomena & Louis Cassidy, Damien Fagan (Birthday remembrance)	
Monday 18th April	10.00am		
Tuesday 19th April	10.00am	Timothy & Catherine Donlon & Deceased Family Members, Gabriel Saunders, Mary & Matthew Duignan	
	7.00pm	Service of Reconciliation	
Wed 20th April	3.00pm	Mass with Blessing of the Sick	
Thursday 21st April	4.30pm	Children's Mass	
	7.30pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper, followed by quiet prayer at the Altar of Repose	
Friday 22nd April	11.00am	Stations of the Cross in Donadea	
	3.00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion	
	7.30pm	Stations of the Cross	
	9.00pm	Taize Prayer around the Cross	
Saturday 23rd April	11.00am	Confessions till 12 noon/Blessing of the Easter Food	
	9.00pm	Easter Vigil	
Sunday 24th April	6.00am	Dawn Liturgy in the Abbey Garden	
	9.30am	People of the Parish	
	11.30am	Ina Tvarijoienen (First Anniversary)	

<b>Rathcoffey</b>			
Sunday 17th	10.30am	Martin Hendrick, Michael & Jane Coleman	
Thursday 21st	8.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper	
Friday 22nd	4.00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion	
Saturday 23rd	8.00pm	Easter Vigil, Ger & Mary Flood, Ann Brennan	
Sunday	10.30am	Deceased Members of the Maguire Family	

	Saturday 23rd 9pm	Sunday 24th 9.30am	Sunday 25th 11.30am	
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
<b>Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	Peter O'Neill Cora Redmond Betty Wallace Anne Behan Laura Hamilton	Assumpta Flynn Charlie Flynn Maura Losty Katherine Martin Paddy Moore	Siobhan Keogh Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara Bernadette Plunkett Patricia Richardson	Vigil Esther Hendrick Siobhan McCrystal 10.30 Catherine Moriarty Grainne Ward
	Noel De La Pena Betty Duffy	Maggie Connolly Patrick Cribbin	Barbara Hanway Ann Heffernan	Vigil Anne Marie Dolan 10.30 Alvagh Cronin
<b>Basket Collectors (April)</b>	Tom Casey Joe Higgins Mick Gill	Maurice Shortt Nick Fitzgerald Paddy Moore	Damian McCaffrey Mick Richardson PJ Sheridan	
<b>Service of the Word and Holy Communion</b>			No Service Holy Saturday	

# Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

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Rathcoffey Church 300, 1710 – 2010

Palm Sunday

17th April 2011

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## Weekend Mass Times

<b>Clane</b>	
Saturday	6.30pm
Sunday	9.30am 11.30am
<b>Rathcoffey</b>	
Sunday	10.30am

## Parish Shop and Office

The Parish Centre  
Main Street Clane  
**OPENING HOURS**

Monday to Friday 9.30am – 4pm  
Saturday 10.30am – 1pm

Phone: 045-861393  
Email: [claneparish@eircom.net](mailto:claneparish@eircom.net)  
[www.claneparish.com](http://www.claneparish.com)

## Parish Concert

A concert will take place in  
Clane Parish Church on  
Friday May 20th at 7.30pm, in  
aid of Parish Funds,  
featuring the Clongowes  
Wood College Orchestra, the  
Millicent Singers, our parish  
choirs and folk group, Jazz  
Quartet, Clane Comhtas the  
Rip Roaring Marys, and many  
more.....

Tickets €10  
Family Tickets €20  
Available in the Parish Shop  
and on the night.

## Holy Week

A sheet containing details of  
our Holy Week Ceremonies in  
Clane and Rathcoffey is  
available in both Churches  
Today or on the parish website  
[www.claneparish.com](http://www.claneparish.com)  
[www.rathcoffeyparish.com](http://www.rathcoffeyparish.com)

**PARISH LOTTO DRAW**

**Tuesday 12th April 2011**

**17, 18, 27, 29**

**No winner of this weeks Jackpot**

**3 x €50 prize winners**

Terry Brilly, A & M Daly  
Sean, Lauren & Danny Callan

**Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners**

Brendan Travers, Ben Foran

**2 x €25 prize winners**

Ann McEntyre, Moira Fogarty

**Next week's Jackpot:**

**€ 8,750**

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

**Minimum €300 worth  
of prizes every week.**

**Reconciliation Ceremony**

There will be a parish service of  
Reconciliation with Confessions for Easter  
in Clane Parish Church on Tuesday April  
19th at 7pm. Visiting priests will attend.

**Would Ministers of the Word and Ministers of the  
Eucharist please check their rotas to see if they are  
due to serve during Holy Week.**

**Please arrange a substitute if you are unavailable.  
Thank you.**

**Donadea Stations of the Cross**

Our Annual Stations of the Cross will take place  
in Donadea Forest Park on Good  
Friday, April 22nd, meeting at the Castle at  
11am. All are most welcome.

**Dawn Liturgy**

Why not welcome on the new Easter Day at  
6am in the Abbey Gardens, Clane, with prayer  
on Easter Sunday morning followed by  
breakfast in the parish centre.

**Thought for the Week**

Never be afraid to try something new. Amateurs built the ark,  
Professionals built the Titanic!

**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.

**Parish Race Night**

**Our parish will be hosting a Race  
night with a difference on September  
24th 2011. More details on the Race  
night with a twist to follow.....**

**GIFT I for first year students  
finished during the week.**

**Well done to those who participated,  
and many thanks to all the adult  
leaders. We look forward to being  
together again in the autumn**

**Language of the Heart**

*Dear God,*

*You know my needs before I ask,  
my heart before I pray, and my  
gratitude before I even offer my  
thanks. You understand me better  
than I understand myself, and I  
thank you for communicating with  
me in the language of the heart.*

**Easter Collection**

The Annual Easter Collection for the  
Priests of the Parish takes place at all  
Masses on the Easter weekend.  
We thank people for their ongoing  
prayerful support at all times.

**Items for the Parish  
Newsletter must be in to  
the Parish Office by  
12 noon on Wednesday**  
Email [claneparish@eircom.net](mailto:claneparish@eircom.net)

**Clane Parish Shop**

Saturday 23rd April  
Mary O'Neill  
**Clane Altar Society**  
Mamie O'Connell  
Frances Ennis

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

Basket € 1392.81  
Envelopes € 2018.90

The 2010 Goal Mile, postponed due to  
bad weather at Christmas will now take  
place on Easter Sunday morning 10am—  
1pm in Clane GAA. All welcome.

Clane St. Patrick's Day Parade is now  
available on DVD. If interested in  
purchasing a copy, please call 086 0619086.

Rathcoffey Camogie Club  
Annual Cake Sale & Raffle on Good  
Friday after the 4pm ceremonies  
outside the church.

Clane & Rathcoffey Lourdes Fundraising  
Committee are collecting at all Masses  
this weekend.

Divine Mercy Novena starts Good  
Friday 22nd April—Sunday 1st May  
Divine Mercy Sunday

**Palm Sunday Reflection this Sunday  
at Mount St. Anne's, Killenard, 3pm - 6pm**  
An afternoon of prayer and reflection in  
preparation for Holy Week and Easter.  
Presented by the Mount St. Anne's Team.  
No charge - donations welcome.

**Easter Retreat - Wednesday 20th -  
Sunday 24th April, 2011**  
Prepare for Easter by taking time to reflect  
quietly and creatively on our journey with  
Jesus through His passion, death and  
resurrection. Begins with Supper on  
Wednesday and ends with Breakfast on Easter  
Sunday morning.  
Facilitated by Fr. Micheál Murphy, Carlow  
and Sr. Róisín Gannon pbvm  
Cost: 290 euro residential and 140 non-  
residential  
one or two day attendance also available - 50  
euro per day non-residential (meals included)  
Enquiries to The Secretary: 057-8626153 or  
email: [msannes@eircom.net](mailto:msannes@eircom.net)

**RATHCOFFEY G.A.A. LOTTO RESULTS**

April 10th 2011. Jackpot: €10,800

Numbers drawn: 6, 7, 11, 20

There was no winner.

In-house winner, Peter McCrystal

Sellers Prize: The Bar

€20 to each of the following: Tony Tyrell,  
Charlie Wyles, James Kiernan, Phyllis & Helen  
Jackpot next week: € 10,900

**Kildare Local Employment Service, OBAIR  
(Naas Office) will hold an Information/  
Registration Day in Naas Credit Union on  
Friday 29<sup>th</sup> April from 9.30am – 1pm.**

Kildare Local Employment Service offers a  
free service to job seekers who are  
unemployed and in receipt of a social welfare  
payment. Advice on training courses and  
employment initiatives will be available. Also  
information on our One-to-One Adult Career  
Guidance Counselling, interview skills, and  
CV preparation. Registration will take place on  
the day.

For more information contact Eugene Doyle  
(Information Officer) by phoning 045 895555  
This Information Day is kindly supported by  
Naas Credit Union'

**Kildare Animal Foundation Annual Dog walk**  
Sunday 17th April at 3pm. Its a 3km walk from  
the animal foundation. Refreshments on return  
and we will also be holding a raffle. Donations  
to be made on the day. For more information  
call 045522929 or email on  
[info@animalfoundation.ie](mailto:info@animalfoundation.ie)

**For more information**

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