

Our Faithful Departed.....

Dan Carr, Clonfert, Maynooth,
Noel Keogh, Clondalkin, father of John Keogh, Central Park Way,
Sheila Grinstead, Millicent Road

.....may they rest in peace, Amen.

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 21st Jan 6.30pm Julia Connolly, Mary Given, John Doran,
Patrick & Pauline Dowling, Harry & Maisie Bracken,
Claire, Martin & Kevin McDonald

Sunday 22nd Jan 9.30am
11.30am Robert Burbridge (First Anniversary), Michael Nugent

Monday 23rd Jan 10.00am

Tuesday 24th Jan 10.00am Maureen Condon

Wed 25th Jan 10.00am

Thursday 26th Jan 10.00am

Friday 27th Jan 10.00am Alex Kelly

Saturday 28th Jan 10.00am Service of the Word and Holy Communion
6.30pm Joanne Fitzsimons, Phil McCormack, Eileen Clooney,
Edric Elkins, Thomas Losty (Birthday Remembrance),
Deceased members of the Ginty Family

Sunday 29th Jan 9.30am People of the Parish
11.30am Barry & James Gallagher & Deceased Family Members

Rathcoffey

Sunday 22nd Jan 10.30am Declan Sweeney, Breda Noonan, Phyllis Cummins
Sunday 29th Jan 10.30am Martin Mitchell

	Saturday 28th 6.30pm	Sunday 29th 9.30am	Sunday 29th 11.30am	Sunday 29th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Theresa Grace Erica Grehan Laura Hamilton Marie Hanrahan Monica Kilkenny	Bernadette Ryan Carmel Shortt Michael Clifford Anne Cribbin Matthew Cribbin	Bernadette Plunkett Rose Sullivan Anna Connolly Alice Corbett Yvonne Darragh	Dominic Burke Beibhinn Cleary
Ministers of the Word	Nicholas Fitzgerald Cyrena Hayes	Brenda Naser Sheila Briody	Maire Weedle Noel De La Pena	Pat McEvoy
Servers	1	2	9	4
Basket Collectors (January)	Damian McCaffrey Joe Higgins Mick Gill	John Ryan Nick Fitzgerald Paddy Moore	Kathleen Browne PJ Sheridan Martin Monaghan	
Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 28th			Una Duffy, Anna Connolly	

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2017

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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

Phone: 045-861393
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Catholic Schools Week

The theme for Catholic Schools Week this year is **Catholic Schools: Learning with Pope Francis to care for Our Common Home.**

It is hoped that this theme will help schools to gain an understanding of the Pope's Encyclical letter **Laudato Si.**

This is Pope Francis' second Encyclical. It's title means "Praise be to you" and it has the subtitle,

On Care for Our Common Home. The Encyclical letter, published on 24th May 2015, discusses the harm humankind has caused on earth and calls on "every person living on this planet" to make necessary changes in our lives to protect the planet.

Laudato Si deals with many environmental issues including pollution, climate change, drought, loss of biodiversity and the decline in the quality of human life. Pope Francis is asking us to work together to create a better world for future generations and to take care of, respect and value our common home.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Tuesday 17th January 2017

13, 17, 25, 28

No winner of this weeks Jackpot

3 x €50 prize winners

Roslyn Priestley, Eddie Brilly,
Ray Barry

Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners

Lourdes Fund, Moira Fogarty

€25 prize winner

Donal O'Brien

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 3,800

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

**Minimum €275 worth
of prizes every week.**

**Our Diocese of Kildare & Leighlin
has five young men training for the
priesthood at Maynooth College and
the Irish College in Rome.**

**One of them, David Vard from
Newbridge is due to be ordained a
Priest this summer.
Please remember them
in your prayers.**

Laudato Si' Study Group

Prosperous Parish Centre Saturday,
January 28th, 10:30 to 12:30.

St Augustine expressed the beauty of God's
Creation "... My question was my gaze I
turned to them. Their answer was their
beauty." All are welcome.

The Priory Institute, Tallaght
Study theology by distance learning
and build modules towards a Bachelor
of Arts Degree in Theology
Application deadline 28th February
Call 01-404 8124
www.prioryinstitute.com

Thought for the Week

Deal with the faults of others as gently as with your own.

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 Corporal Works of Mercy: 2

Give Drink to the Thirsty

Access to clean water is a basic necessity.
We can act by not wasting water, giving to
overseas clean water projects and supporting
efforts to greater accessibility to clean water
worldwide.

St Brigid's Crosses now available in the
Parish Shop €3 each or two for €5

Scoil Phádraig

Enrolment for Junior Infants, 2017/2018

Dates: Tuesday 24th
Wednesday, 25th
Thursday 26th of January, 2017

Times: 9.30a.m. – 12noon and
2.00p.m. - 3.00p.m.

Location: Entrance Lobby in the school
Closing Date: 10th of February, 2017

**Parents should bring along
a copy of the Child's Birth
Certificate, Baptismal Certificate
(if Baptised outside of the Parish of Clane),
PPS Number and copy of a
recent Utility Bill as proof of address.**

Prayer to Christ the Healer

In the comfort of your love I pour out
to you, my Saviour, the memories that
haunt me, the anxieties that perplex me,
the fears that stifle me, the sickness that
prevails upon me and the frustration of
the pain that weaves about me.

Lord, help me to see your peace in my
turmoil, your compassion in my sorrow,
your forgiveness in my weakness and
your love in my need.

Touch me, O Lord, with your healing
power and strength, Amen

**Items for the Parish
Newsletter must be in to
the Parish Office by
12 noon on Wednesday**

Email claneparish@eircom.net

Le Chéile Deadline

The deadline for receipt of material
for the Febuary issue of Le Chéile is
Monday 23rd January.

To 142 Loughbollard please.

Tel. 045-868474. E-mail:

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Clane Ladies' Rugby Club

Tea/Coffee/Cake Sale after all Masses
on 28th and 29th January in the
parish centre

When I admire the wonders of a
sunset or the beauty of the moon,
my soul expands in the worship
of the creator.

Mahatma Gandhi

FREE Open Evening of Circle Dance in
Prosperous Parish Centre on Tuesday 7th
February at 8pm.

No partner required, simple steps and
gentle rhythms to beautiful music.
A warm welcome awaits all. Further
enquiries phone Marie 086/ 8937096

JOBSEEKERS: Your Local Employment Service
offers a free service to job seekers who are unem-
ployed and in receipt of a social welfare payment,
one parent family payment, early school leavers,
people finishing a CE scheme, people returning to
the workforce and dependent spouses. Training
courses and employment initiatives are available.
One to one Adult Career Guidance, interview skills
and CV preparation. We have offices based in Naas
045895555, Newbridge 045435666 Leixlip
016245414, Athy 0598632685 and Kildare
045521950. Call any of the offices and we will be
delighted to talk to you.

Clane Parish Shop

Saturday 28th January

Mary O'Neill

Clane Altar Society

Rose Langan,

Margaret Lee

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

Basket € 2,405.45

Envelopes € 1,704.65

Lourdes 2017

Fr Denis Harrington will accompany our Clane &
Rathcoffey Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes as part
of the Kildare & Leighlin Diocesan Group going
to Lourdes from July 16th—21st 2017. Booking
Forms are now available from the parish shop.
Any person needing assistance to go can contact
Fr Paul as our Parish Lourdes Fund is there to
assist people visit this very special place.

The Alzheimer Café evening takes place
on the **last Wednesday of every month
from 7pm to 9pm in the Convent Tea
Rooms at McAuley Place, Sallins Road,
Naas.** (Beside Parish Church). Those with
a dementia, families, carers, professionals
with an interest in the area are all welcome
to attend. The following are the upcoming
talks at the Alzheimer Café:

**Wednesday 25th January– Mary Roche,
HSE Integrated case manager.
Navigating the Journey between
hospital and home**

Prayer for Hope & Courage

May faith sustain me, and hope
be my constant companion.
May I believe in my heart that
God loves me.

May I rise above life's trials with
courage and succeed through
perseverance.

May peace and serenity surround
me and may I experience God's
strength every step of the way.
Amen

For more information

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WWW.KANDLE.IE (Diocesan website)