

**Our Faithful Departed.....**

Tony Cahill, father of Gavin Cahill, College Wood Park,  
Joe Duffy, Richardstown, Clane

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

**Masses for the Week**

<b>Clane</b>	
Saturday 22nd Sept	6.30pm Joseph Grey, Jackie Cooper, Mick & Nellie Ennis, Johnny & Lil Reilly, Lily Gorman, Paddy & Mary Browne, Angela Noonan, Marie & Noel Delaney, Bridie Nolan, Michael, Thomas & Joan Delaney, Margaret & Patrick Doody, Eugene Smyth, Snr, Frank Smyth, Eugene Smyth Jnr, Jean Mallon & the Mallon & Dale Families, Margaret Graham, Elizabeth Timmons, Harry & Ernie Timmons
Sunday 23rd Sept	9.30am John J, John & Mary Donoghue, Paul Stanley, John & James Foley & Deceased Family Members
	11.30am People of the Parish
Monday 24th Sept	10.00am
Tuesday 25th Sept	10.00am Sick of the Parish
Wed 26th Sept	10.00am Patrick & Rose Shortt
Thursday 27th Sept	10.00am
Friday 28th Sept	10.00am
Saturday 29th Sept	10.00am Service of the Word and Holy Communion
	6.30pm Bill Connolly (First Anniversary), Julia Connolly, Josephine Mahony (First Anniversary), Mick & Bridget Daly
Sunday 30th Sept	9.30am
	11.30am

**Rathcoffey**

Sunday 23rd Sept	10.30am	John Campbell & Deceased Family Members
Sunday 30th Sept	10.30am	Philomena McNally (First Anniversary)

	Saturday 29th 6.30pm	Sunday 30th 9.30am	Sunday 30th 11.30am	Sunday 30th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
<b>Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	John Duffy Ciara Finn Moiria Fogarty Sara Gorman Roisin Gorman	Bernadette Ryan John Ryan Sheila Briody Michael Clifford Anne Cribbin	Rose Sullivan Anna Wolfe Bernadette Allen Kathleen Browne Anna Connolly	Ray Barry Aisling Behan
<b>Ministers of the Word</b>	Ann Lynch Brian O'Brien	Gerry Fagan Charlotte Hackett	Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara	Catherine O'Sullivan
<b>Servers</b>	9	10	1	4
<b>Basket Collectors (September)</b>	John Duffy Joe Horan Michael Wallace	John Sullivan Darragh O'Brien Charlie Flynn	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford Frank O'Keeffe	
<b>Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 29th</b>			Damian McCaffrey, Una Duffy	

# Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

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Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2018

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**Renovation Works**

**We have begun essential maintenance and repair works to Clane Parish Church and Parish Centre buildings soon.**

**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 – 1.30pm  
Saturday 10.30am – 1pm

**Phone: 045-861393**  
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**[www.claneparish.com](http://www.claneparish.com)**  
**WebCam/Live Streaming**  
**[www.claneparish.com](http://www.claneparish.com)**

**We appreciate parishioners' ongoing financial support which enables us to provide such excellent facilities each week to the local community.**

**PARISH LOTTO DRAW**  
**Tuesday 18th September 2018**

**1, 6, 13, 14**

**No winner of this week's Jackpot**

**3 x €50 prize winners**

Pat Malone, Joie Maher,  
Doreen O'Brien

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

Tom Bryan, Mamie O'Connell

**€25 prize winner**

Moira Daly

**Next week's Jackpot:**

**€ 5,400**

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

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

**First Confession 2019**

**Clane Tuesday 12th February**  
**Rathcoffey Wednesday 13th February**  
**First Holy Communion 2019**  
**Clane Sunday 12th and 19th May**  
**Rathcoffey Sunday 26th May**

Confirmation 2019

Clane Saturday 30th March 11am & 2pm  
Rathcoffey Sunday 31st March 11.30am

Social Inclusion Week

**IWA John Sullivan Resource Centre**  
**Thursday 27th September**  
**10am-1pm Open morning in the garden;**  
**introduction to bio diversity**  
**2pm Talk on personal safety by**  
**Community Garda Gary Cogan**

Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine  
Sunday 30th September Bus leaves Centre Clane at  
8.45am Return Fare €20

Contact Eileen 087 262 8577 to book

Clane Athletics Club Information Evening in Clane GAA  
on Thursday 4th October to discuss plans for the new  
All Weather running track.

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.

**We welcome Eoin Hamill from**  
**Trocaire to speak to us about their**  
**work among the people of the Middle**  
**East. As a parish we have a special**  
**link with some of these communities**  
**in Gaza, Palestine.**

A welcome to the boys of Scoil Phadraig for  
their opening year School Mass  
this Tuesday 25th September at 10am  
in Clane

**Alzheimer Café Naas**

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 living with a dementia, families,  
carers and professionals with an interest in  
the area are all welcome to attend.  
Each month a different speaker will give a  
perspective on Alzheimer disease and an  
open discussion takes place with questions  
and answers.

Renovation Works

**Essential repair works to the roof and**  
**windows in Rathcoffey Church has**  
**begun. We then plan to carry out further**  
**repair works to Clane Church and**  
**adjacent parish buildings.**

**We encourage parishioners to support**  
**our recently launched Parish 300 Draw**  
**with tickets available in the Parish Shop**  
**and local promoters. The draw will take**  
**place in December and will fund the**  
**renovation works in both churches.**

**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 Musical & Dramatic Society**  
**Blood Brother – Play version**  
**27th, 28th, 29th September 2018**

The Abbey, Main Street, Clane  
Admission: €15.00 (Adults) €12.00  
(Students & OAPs) Includes refreshments  
**Doors open 7:30pm, Curtain up 8:00pm**  
Tickets available from **Marron's Pharmacy,**  
Main Street, Clane, or from **Anne Noonan**  
on 087 6897376 Book your tickets now  
to avoid disappointment

Auditions for Robin Hood & his Merry Men  
take place in the Abbey at 8pm on Monday  
17th September

**Irish Wheelchair Association will be holding**  
**their church gate collection on Saturday**  
**6th & Sunday 7th October 2018. Your**  
**support would be gratefully appreciated.**

Apostolic Work Society.

On Mission Sunday, 21st October, the  
Diocese of Kildare & Leighlin have  
been given the honour of hosting the  
95th Anniversary Mass for the  
Apostolic Work Society on RTE  
Television. This Mass will take place  
in Clane Parish Church, at 11 am,  
which is the time of the televised  
broadcast on RTE. We look forward to  
welcoming many of our members from  
throughout Ireland.

**St Vincent de Paul Shop, Sallins Toy**  
**Event - all new toys—Thursday 27th**  
**September Starting at 10am**

**Parish Safeguarding Representatives**  
**Fr Paul O'Boyle, Trish O'Neill,**  
**Laura Duffy, Aisling Behan**  
**Diocesan Designated Liaison Person**  
**Joan Tracey [dlp@kandle.ie](mailto:dlp@kandle.ie) 085 802 1633**

**Clane Parish Shop**

Saturday 29th September  
Mary O'Neill  
**Clane Altar Society**  
Catherine Burchéal, Brid  
Harney, Liz Cahalane

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

Basket € 1,507.92  
Envelopes € 1,134.70

Deadline for receipt of material for the October  
issue of Le Cheile is Monday 24th September  
To 142 Loughbolland; 045 868474  
[mcevoyclane@gmail.com](mailto:mcevoyclane@gmail.com)

St Pio's Feast Day Mass

A Mass to celebrate the Feast of St Pio and the  
Jubilee Year of the Saint 1918/2018 will take place  
on Monday 24th September at 7.30pm in St Mary's  
Church, Edenderry. The Mass will be celebrated  
by Bishop Denis Nulty. After Mass, St Pio's Glove  
will be available to anyone wishing to  
be blessed. All are welcome

Have you the time to offer breaks to an adult with an  
intellectual disability in your home for mid week and  
weekend overnight breaks? You don't need a  
qualification, just energy, commitment and the  
desire to support a person with a disability in your  
community. Information and support are provided  
and you will be paid an allowance. For further  
details, please contact Jennifer Alfa Ogbaje, Social  
Worker, KARE, McMahon Centre, Kilcullen  
Email: [jenniferalfaogbaje@kare.ie](mailto:jenniferalfaogbaje@kare.ie)  
Or call 045 480 200

An Invitation from Bishop Denis

In appreciation of your contribution to World  
Meeting of Families 2018 I warmly invite you to  
join us for a Mass of Thanksgiving in the Cathedral  
of the Assumption, Carlow on Friday, September  
28th at 7:30 p.m. Followed by refreshments  
in Cathedral Parish Centre.  
RSVP to [bishopshouse@kandle.ie](mailto:bishopshouse@kandle.ie) by  
Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September.

CLANE BRIDGE CLUB meets every Thursday  
at 7 30pm over Manzors. New members all  
levels are welcome.

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

**Thought for the Week**

God is the living one, who bestows love and points the way to fullness of life.