

Our Faithful Departed.....

Mae Carroll, Loughbolland, aged 105,

.....may she rest in peace, Amen.

### Masses for the Week

#### Clane

Saturday 26th July	6.30pm	Francis Cribbin (Months Mind Mass), Anne Nevin, Joseph Daly, Jim Leonard, Joseph McCormack, Anna Reddin, Hazel Fox
Sunday 27th July	9.30am	Breda Finn
	11.30am	Mary O'Reilly, Brian Manzor, Anthony Allen, Pete Hyland, Agnes McCaffrey (Birthday Remembrance)
Monday 28th July	10.00am	
Tuesday 29th July	10.00am	
Wed 30th July	10.00am	
Thursday 31st July	10.00am	Mick Ussher
Friday 1st August	10.00am	
Saturday 2nd August	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
	6.30pm	Owen Casey & Grandparents Peter & Jane Casey, Jackie Corrigan, William & Margaret Fitzharris, Sheila Duffy
Sunday 3rd August	9.30am	
	11.30am	Cathy Callan, Bridie McGing (Months Mind Mass) Margaret & Arthur Hanlon, Chris O'Hara, John McDonald, Darroch Connolly

#### Rathcoffey

Sunday 27th July	10.30am	James & Seamus O'Toole, Beth Lynam, Thomas Maguire & Deceased Family Members
Sunday 3rd August	10.30am	Peter Connolly

	Saturday 6.30pm	Sunday 9.30am	Sunday 11.30am	Sunday 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
<b>Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	Cyrena Hayes Monica Kilkenny Mary Kiely Ita Killaly Brid Lombard	Laura Duffy Rose Ennis Anne Fadden Assumpta Flynn Charlie Flynn	Joe Malone Marie O'Connell Sean O'Hara Sean O'Riordan Bernadette Plunkett	Brendan Travers Jetta Weld
<b>Ministers of the Word</b>	Amalia Alcaide Claire Byrne	John Power Bernadette Ryan	Margaret Maguire Padraig McEvoy	Lucy Travers
<b>Basket Collectors (August)</b>	Damian McCaffrey Joe Higgins Mick Gill	John Ryan Nick Fitzgerald Paddy Moore	PJ Sheridan Martin Monaghan Kathleen Browne	
<b>Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 3rd</b>			Una Duffy, Sheila Briody	

# Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2014

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2014

Seventeenth Sunday of the Year

27th July 2014

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## Weekend Mass Times

### Clane

Saturday	6.30pm
Sunday	9.30am 11.30am

### Rathcoffey

Sunday	10.30am
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## 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)**

**“Come to me all you who  
labour and are overburdened,  
and I will give you rest.”**

**Come! We still welcome others  
with that little word:**

**“Come right in, come in and  
take the weight off your feet!”  
It was a word Jesus often used.  
“Come and see; come and eat.”  
But how much more has Jesus  
to offer us? Rest, yes, but  
friendship unlike any other.  
Healing, guidance, peace,  
protection from evil, all offered  
by the Son of God who is  
“gentle and humble of heart”.**

**Prayer: Be still and imagine  
the Lord calling your name  
and saying to you:**

**“Come and give me your  
worries, come and trust me,  
come and listen to me as I  
speak my words in the Gospel.**

## PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Tuesday 22nd July 2014

**4, 12, 14, 13**

**No winner of this weeks Jackpot**

**3 x €50 prize winners**

Kevin Gallon, Bridie Ryan,  
Clane Musical Society

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

Coleen Mooney, Lourdes Fund

**€25 prize winner**

Niamh Fennessy

**Next week's Jackpot:**

**€ 2,400**

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

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

## Lourdes 2014

**Our Parish Pilgrimage from  
August 18th—23rd is almost  
full with 35 pilgrims signed up.**

**For more details contact  
Tully's Travel Carlow at  
059 9136100**

May God give you power through his  
Holy Spirit for your hidden self to grow  
strong so that Christ may live in your  
hearts through faith, and that you may  
be filled with the utter fullness of God.

The annual Mass to celebrate  
the Feast of the Portiuncula  
will be held in the Abbey in  
Clane on Friday, August 1st  
at 7.30pm. All are 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.

On Sunday 20 July 2014, Pope Francis called  
on all the faithful to pray for Christians  
fleeing the Iraqi city of Mosul, and to  
*"persevere in prayer for those situations of tension  
and conflict that continue in different parts of  
the world, especially in the Middle East and  
in the Ukraine"*

We remember in prayer the neighbours of  
other faith traditions who are sheltering their  
Christian friends during these dark days in  
Iraq, Syria and the Middle East and we pray  
for all those who do not enjoy religious  
freedom, a good night's sleep or the  
comforts which we take for granted.

## Explore God's call for you...

**14th September 2014, 2-6pm, St. Teresa's  
Church, Clarendon Street, Dublin 2  
12<sup>th</sup> October 2014, 2-6pm,**

**Clonard Monastery, Belfast, BT13 2RL**

exploreAway is a programme which  
provides the opportunity for young, single,  
men and women between the ages of  
21-40 who are interested in exploring  
religious life and the priesthood in a  
reflective and prayerful environment.

Booking is essential; please contact  
Sr. Gabrielle Farrell on 087-3584447

or Fr. Alan on 085-7664480.

[www.exploreAway.net](http://www.exploreAway.net),

[www.vocationsireland.com](http://www.vocationsireland.com)

**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 2nd August  
Moira Fogarty  
**Clane Altar Society**  
Maura Tutty, Margaret  
Meehan, Breda Dunne

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

Basket € 1389.67  
Envelopes € 1133.82

## Clane Musical Society

**CMS will host**

**Clane's Got Talent at the end of  
September this year.**

**Application forms are available in  
the Parish Shop or by emailing  
[clanemusicalsociety@gmail.com](mailto:clanemusicalsociety@gmail.com)**

Sincere thanks to all who so  
generously supported the Church  
Gate Collection for the Moldovan  
Orphanages. Pat is out there at  
present. Many thanks!  
Ann Maleady

## Thanks

Many thanks to those kind people who  
attended to me when I fell heavily on the  
footpath on College Road on Wednesday  
July 16th. I will always remember your  
great kindness and generosity. Mass will  
be offered for your intentions.  
Brendan Cullen

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace,  
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
...where there is injury, pardon;  
...where there is doubt, faith;  
...where there is despair, hope;  
...where there is darkness, light;  
...where there is sadness, joy;  
O Divine Master,  
grant that I may not so much seek  
...to be consoled as to console;  
...to be understood as to understand;  
...to be loved as to love.  
For it is in giving that we receive;  
...it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;  
...and it is in dying that we are born to eternal  
life.

*St. Francis of Assisi*

## Hope(d) Counselling Services, 2 Henry St, Newbridge,

offer support in numerous areas,  
including depression, suicidal  
thoughts, anxiety, bereavement, low  
self esteem, addiction and many  
more. The Midlands Suicide Support  
Group meet first Wednesday  
evening of each Month.

To book an appointment or if you  
require any further details please call  
087 1513535 or 1800 855 834.

The TM cycle in aid of Pieta House will  
take place on August 9th and 10th this  
year. The cycle which began in 2008, takes  
place each year in memory of Tomas  
Mulligan who passed away in 2007.

The charity cycle has raised more than  
250,000 for the Lucan based centre for the  
prevention of suicide and self-harm.

This year the cycle will take riders to  
Mullingar from Good Cousel GAA club in  
Drimnagh passing through Kildare, Meath  
and West Meath before returning to  
Dublin on Sunday, with all proceeds  
going to Pieta House.

God our Father, I come to say:  
Thank you for your love today  
Thank you for my family  
and all the friends you give to me.  
Guard me in the dark of night  
and in the morning send your light. Amen

## **For more information**

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

**Thought for the Week**  
**Your past does not define your future:**  
**Your actions and beliefs do.**