

Our Faithful Departed.....

Mary Rafferty, Two Mile House, Naas, sister of Crissie McIntyre,
Margaret MacCarron, Bray, sister of Breda Cribbin, Mainham

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

Masses for the Week

Clane		
Saturday 28th July	6.30pm	Mick Ussher, Margaret Connolly, Jim & Nancy Coughlan, Owen Casey & Grandparents Peter & Jane Casey, Joseph McCormack.
Sunday 29th July	9.30am	Joe Stanley (Month's Mind), Breda Finn, Hazel Fox, Kitty Doran, Teresa Doran.
	11.30am	Phil Bolger (Month's Mind), Chris O'Hara, Brian Manzor, Anne Nevin, John McDonald.
Monday 30th July	10.00am	
Tuesday 31st July	10.00am	Mick Ussher
Wed 1st August	10.00am	
Thursday 2nd August	10.00am	
Friday 3rd August	10.00am	Tom Casey
Saturday 4th August	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
	6.30pm	Kathy Callan, Margaret & Arthur Hanlon, John Ryan, Paddy & Sheila Duffy, Jackie Corrigan, Margaret & William Fitzharris
Sunday 5th August	9.30am	
	11.30am	Michael Weedle, Mr. & Mrs Houfflain, Darroch Connolly.
Rathcoffey		
Sunday 29th July	10.30am	Seamus O'Toole, Bet Lynam & her twin granddaughters, James O'Toole, John Curran, Maguire Family.
Sunday 5th August	10.30am	Peter Connolly, Joe (Brogan) Noonan.

	Saturday 4th 6.30pm	Sunday 5th 9.30am	Sunday 5th 11.30am	Sunday 5th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Aine White Padraig Carbury Peg Carroll Diarmuid Coonan James Coonan	Mary O'Neill James Plunkett Bernadette Ryan John Ryan Sheila Briody	Senan Maguire Marie O'Connell Sean O'Riordan Bernadette Plunkett Rose Sullivan	Ray Barry Aisling Behan
Ministers of the Word	Mary Dolan Nicholas Fitzgerald	Charlotte Hackett Marguerite Lohan	Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara	Alvagh Cronin
Servers	3	4	5	3
Basket Collectors (August)	Damian McCaffrey Joe Higgins Mick Gill	John Ryan Nick Fitzgerald Paddy Moore	Kathleen Browne P.J Sheridan	
Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 4th Aug			Sean O'Hara, Michael Wallace	

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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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When we lose someone we love

When we lose someone we love our faith can be rocked. Often when someone dies, the people around us are also dealing with loss and may react differently to us. We need to be kind and patient with ourselves and others. It is okay to be angry with God; it is okay to ask why. It is okay to scream and cry. The Bible tells us, 'Tears are prayers too. They travel to God when we can't speak' (Psalm 56:8). We can find comfort in our faith, especially in the belief of eternal life in heaven. This can give us the strength to go on as we have hope that we will be reunited with our loved ones again.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Tuesday 24th July 2018

9, 24, 27, 31

No winner of this weeks Jackpot

3 x €50 prize winners

Clare Noonan, John Briody,
Siobhan McCrystal

Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners

Mary McCormack, Damian McCaffrey

€25 prize winner

Charlie Flynn

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.**

Two special Stamps are on sale to
commemorate the World Meeting of
Families.
Well worth having.

This Tuesday July 31st is the Feastday of
St. Ignatius of Loyola 1491—1556 the
Founder of the Jesuits. We wish all our
Friends in Clongowes Wood a Happy
Feast day

Pope Francis will visit the Day Centre for
Homeless Families run by the Capuchin
Fathers in Church Street Dublin on the
afternoon of Saturday 28 August 2018

Best wishes to Rathcoffey in this
weekends League Football Final V
Ellistown in Newbridge.

Thought for the Week

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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.

Clane Local History Group will contribute
two events to this year's National Heritage
Week (18 August - 26 August).

On Saturday 18 August, the Group led by
Brendan Cullen, will conduct "A Joycean
Tour of Clongowes Wood College" at 3pm.

On Tuesday 21 August at 8pm in Clane
Library Dr. Ciaran Reilly will give a talk
entitled "Tommy Conneff, Clane's Greatest
Athlete".

Admission is free to both events and
everyone is welcome .

For Perseverance Today

If things get tough today, Lord—and in
hard times—let me stay motivated and
calm. Let me look at how far I have come
rather than how far I still have to go. Let
me continue counting my blessings, not
what I've been missing. May every day
bring new chances to grow, new beautiful
things to see, new plans to do and new
goals to pursue, as every new day is Your
miracle day.

Mass to celebrate the Feast of the
Portiuncula Thursday August 2nd at 7pm in
the Abbey Cemetery, Clane
All welcome

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

Clane Parish Shop

Mary Kelly
Clane Altar Society
Maura Tutty, Margaret
Meehan,
Ann Lyons

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

Basket €1,193.15
Envelopes € 847.05

Charity Fundraiser In aid of Spina Bifida
Hydrocephalus Ireland Kildare Branch and
The Little Way Cancer Support Centre Clane
In Loving Memory of Keith Corrigan
28th July 2018 8pm—late
Clane GAA, Prosperous Road Clane
Music by Mick Lambe, Frank Owens and
other special guests Auction and Raffle with
great prizes
Tickets €10 can be purchased from Clane
GAA or The Little Way Cancer Support
Centre at The Village Centre, Clane or on
the night.

Meals on Wheels

Meals on Wheels drivers deliver dinners to
Clane, Prosperous & Staplestown. We are
looking for people who would like to come
on board and help with this very worthy
cause. It takes one hour per month. If you
are interested please contact either of the
following numbers,
085 - 1538185 or 086 - 8628334

With just six weeks to go to the World
Meeting of Families 2018 in Dublin from
21 – 26 August, we are opening up a new
opportunity for those who have
availability to volunteer for one day for
WMOF2018. We are asking for Volunteer
Papal Mass Stewards and Holy
Communion Team volunteers for the
Closing Mass of WMOF2018 which will
take place in the Phoenix Park on Sunday
26th August. Go to

www.worldmeeting2018.ie/en/Get-Involved/Volunteer/Volunteer-for-One-Day for more information.

**Official Family Prayer for WORLD MEETING
OF FAMILIES 2018**

God, our Father,
We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
One family, in the Spirit of your love.
Bless us with the joy of love.
Make us patient and kind,
gentle and generous,
welcoming to those in need.
Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.
Protect all families with your loving care,
Especially those for whom we now pray:
*[We pause and remember family members
and others by name].*
Increase our faith,
Strengthen our hope,
Keep us safe in your love,
Make us always grateful for the gift of life
that we share.
This we ask, through Christ our Lord,
Amen

*Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.
Saint Joseph, father and protector,
pray for us.*

*Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.
Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us*

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