

Our Faithful Departed.....

Seán Kilbride, brother of Michael Kilbride, Mountarmstrong  
 .....may he rest in peace, Amen.

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 1st Oct 6.30pm Anna McIntyre (Birthday Remembrance)  
 Sunday 2nd Oct 9.30am Claire N Morris  
 11.30am People of the Parish  
 Monday 3rd Oct 10.00am  
 Tuesday 4th Oct 10.00am Joseph & Agnes Byrne,  
 Marie Eustace (Birthday Remembrance)  
 Wed 5th Oct 10.00am  
 Thursday 6th Oct 10.00am Sick of the Parish  
 Friday 7th Oct 10.00am  
 Saturday 8th Oct 10.00am Service of the Word and Holy Communion  
 6.30pm Jack, Dinah & Pat Mooney  
 Sunday 9th Oct 9.30am Jim Losty, Bridget Donigan  
 11.30am Jack & Mary Behan  
 Stephanie Cash

Rathcoffey

Sunday 2nd Oct 10.30am James and Hilda Dalton  
 Sunday 9th Oct 10.30am Mary Brilly, Eithne Brilly & Deceased Family Members

	Saturday 8th 6.30pm	Sunday 9th 9.30am	Sunday 9th 11.30am	Sunday 9th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
<b>Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	Damian McCaffrey Noirin O'Hagan Claire O'Neill Peter O'Neill Patricia O'Neill	Eleanor Cunney Laura Duffy Rose Ennis Anne Fadden Assumpta Flynn	Patricia Richardson Siobhan Keogh Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara Bernadette Plunkett	Esther Hendrick Siobhan McCrystal
<b>Ministers of the Word</b>	Nicholas Fitzgerald Betty Duffy	Charlotte Hackett PJ Kirby	Rose Sullivan Maire Weedle	Declan Forde
<b>Basket Collectors (October)</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 Sat 8th</b>			Sheila Briody, Una Duffy	

# Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2011

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2011

27th Sunday of the Year

2nd October 2011

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## Parish Contacts

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#### Parish Manager

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## Weekend Mass Times

### Clane

Saturday 6.30pm  
 Sunday 9.30am  
 11.30am

### Rathcoffey

## 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)

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## Parish Race Night

**Our Parish Race Night with a twist takes place next Saturday October 8th in Clane GAA Hall.**

**The horses will run “live” on the night with the first race starting at 8.15pm.**

**Tickets are €5, do come along and support your local parish!**

**PARISH LOTTO DRAW**  
**Tuesday 27th September 2011**

**3, 6, 13, 20**

**No winner of this weeks Jackpot**

**3 x €50 prize winners**

Des & Jeanette Drumm, Mary Morrin,  
Gavin O'Brien

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

Trish O'Neill, Sean O'Hara

**2 x €25 prize winners**

Siobhan Keogh, Hannah O'Neill

**Next week's Jackpot:**

**€ 6,750**

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

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

**Scoil Mhuire**

**Our opening year Mass for the First  
Year Students in Scoil Mhuire,  
Clane, takes place on Tuesday 4th  
October at 7.30pm in Clane Parish  
Church. A warm welcome to  
students, parents and families.**

**Holy Land 2012**

**Our Parish Pilgrimage to the Holy Land takes  
place from 17th—25th April 2012, visiting  
Bethlehem, Jerusalem, the Lake of Galilee,  
Nazareth, the Dead Sea, and much more. The  
itinerary is available at the Parish Office, Main  
St, Clane 045—861393**

Fr. Thaddeus Doyle (Curates Diary and other  
publications) will visit Prosperous Church on  
**October 7<sup>th</sup>** for a Healing Service consisting of  
Rosary, Healing Mass, Exposition of the Blessed  
Sacrament and concluding with the "Laying on of  
Hands" for the sick. The service begins at  
7pm. All are welcome.

**Thought for the Week**

Prayer, a simple glance towards Heaven.....St Therese of Lisieux

**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.

**Caring and Sharing Association**

Sincere thanks to all who supported the CASA  
Church Gath Collection on Saturday/Sunday  
24th/25th September. The total collected was  
€586.

Teresa Killick

**First Communion 2012—Clane**

**Parents and guardians are welcome  
to attend a meeting on Thursday  
October 6th at 8pm in Clane Parish  
Hall to plan for this year's First  
Communion programme**

**School Masses**

Our opening School Year Masses will take  
place this coming week on Tuesday 4th  
October at 10am in Clane church for Scoil  
Phadraig, and on Wednesday 5th October at  
10am for Scoil Bhride.

Parents and families are most welcome.

**St Therese of Lisieux**

The Feast of the Little Flower, St  
Therese of Lisieux will be remembered  
in a special way at our 11.30am Mass in  
Clane this weekend, with the blessing of  
the roses. We remember the work of the  
Little Way Cancer Support Centre in  
Clane, which takes its inspiration from  
the memory of St Therese.

The Padre Pio Glove will be in  
Bernadette Plunkett's house, 17  
Parkview, Millicent Road, Clane on  
Sunday October 2nd 2011 from  
12.30pm—4.30pm. All welcome.

**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 8th Oct  
Darragh O'Brien  
**Clane Altar Society**  
Breda Connolly,  
Eileen Duffy

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

Basket € 1468.65  
Envelopes € 980.00

**20' container or steel shed wanted!**

Robertstown Tidy Towns are in search of  
a 20' container or a steel shed suitable  
for secure storage of equipment. If you  
or someone you know has one that is no  
longer in use, or is looking for a new  
home please contact 085 1285813. The  
container/shed will be moved to a site in  
Robertstown.

**Table Quiz for Robertstown Tidy Towns**

To assist in funding ongoing efforts to  
enhance the appearance of the village, a  
table quiz will take place on Friday 7th  
October, 9.30pm in Weld's Bar,  
Robertstown and costs €20 per table of  
4. Always a good night out! Enquiries  
to 085 1285813

**The Eucharistic Congress Bell will be in  
Our Lady & St Joseph Church, Caragh on  
Friday 7th October**

2pm Arrive at Caragh School  
3pm (approx.) procession to Church  
3.15pm arrival in Caragh Church  
Prayer service  
3.45 Vigil time  
(Opportunity to ring the bell and sign the  
book)  
4.45 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
5.45 Taizé  
6.00pm Benediction  
**Depart 6.30pm to go to Two – Mile- House.**

Garda presentation  
Crime Prevention & Security in the Home &  
South Kildare Citizen Information Service  
presentation on Changes to State Pension  
(Contributory)  
Caragh Parish Pastoral Council will host an  
information night on Monday October 3rd at  
8.00pm in the parish meeting Room.  
Representatives from the Gardai and Citizen  
Information Centre will speak on the night and will  
be available for advice. For more information  
contact Caragh parish office 875602 9am -1pm

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

25th September 2011. Jackpot: € 13,200

Numbers drawn: 12, 17, 21, 24

There was no winner.

In-house winner, Pdraig Travers

Sellers Prize: Paddy McGovern

€20 to each of the following; Tom Moriarty, John  
and Josie Healy, Tommy Travers, Shane McCabe

Jackpot next week: € 13,300

Clane family mass group will again this year  
organise collection of shoeboxes for Operation  
Christmas Child shoebox appeal. Operation  
Christmas Child - an initiative of Samaritan's Purse -  
is one of Ireland's largest children's charity projects.

Last year in Clane we collected 852 boxes and  
participated in a special project to send 15,000  
Shoebox Gifts to Earthquake Victims in Haiti. The  
shoebox appeal is a fun activity for the whole  
family. You simply fill a shoebox with gifts for a  
child and drop these boxes into the parish centre  
(in the old convent) on **Saturday November 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**from 10:00 to 3:00pm.** The family mass group will  
then deliver all of the boxes to the drop-off centre.

Rathcoffey GAA will host a fund raising  
Race Night on Saturday October 8<sup>th</sup> in the  
clubhouse. All support is welcome.

**Study of the Catechism of the Catholic  
Church has resumed in Prosperous Parish  
centre each Wednesday from 10am -12noon.  
This is a three year course divided into two  
twelve-week units per year.  
contact Bríd Norrby Phone 045860170  
For further information.**

**For more information  
[WWW.CLANEPARISH.COM](http://WWW.CLANEPARISH.COM)  
[WWW.RATHCOFFEYPARISH.COM](http://WWW.RATHCOFFEYPARISH.COM)  
[WWW.KANDLE.IE](http://WWW.KANDLE.IE) (Diocesan website)**