

Our Faithful Departed.....

Joseph Dardis, Rosslare Harbour, Wexford, father of Julie Donnelly, Capdoo Park
may he rest in peace, Amen.

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 2nd Nov 6.30pm Mary & Vincent Watson, Sean Ennis, Michael Brickley,
 PJ Flood, Mary (Moll) Giblin

Sunday 3rd Nov 9.30am
 11.30am

Monday 4th Nov 10.00am

Tuesday 5th Nov 10.00am Ernie Fitzgerald

Wed 6th Nov 10.00am Gabrielle Carthy

Thursday 7th Nov 10.00am

Friday 8th Nov 7.30pm Annual Remembrance Mass, Teresa Cassidy

Saturday 9th Nov 10.00am Service of the Word and Holy Communion
 6.30pm Donal Doolan, Edward Dunne, Br Malachy Daly,
 James Keville, Elizabeth Kearney

Sunday 10th Nov 9.30am
 11.30am Donal Doody

Rathcoffey

Sunday 3rd Nov 10.30am Joseph & Marcella Tyrell

Sunday 10th Nov 10.30am Alf & Helen Higgins

	Saturday 9th 6.30pm	Sunday 10th 9.30am	Sunday 10th 11.30am	Sunday 10th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Cyril Creaven Marie Cribbin Maureen Cummins Mary Deay John Duffy	Paddy Moore Margaret McDonald Hilary McDonnell Mary O'Dea Mary O'Neill	Rose Sullivan Bernadette Plunkett Bernadette Allen Kathleen Browne Anna Connolly	Esther Hendrick Siobhan McCrystal
Ministers of the Word	Cyrena Hayes Christy Kirwan	Charlotte Hackett Marguerite Lohan	Stephanie Muldoon Noel De La Pena	Niall Fagan
Servers	4	5	6	3
Basket Collectors (November)	John Duffy Joe Horan Michael Wallace	John Sullivan Darragh O'Brien Charlie Flynn	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford	
Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 9th			Damian McCaffrey, Una Duffy	

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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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www.claneparish.com
WebCam/Live Streaming
www.claneparish.com

Cemetery Sunday

November with its shorter days and longer nights is a time when we remember those who have died.

We gather on this Cemetery Sunday to pray at the Abbey and Mainham Cemetery. Respect for our dead respects the living. We remember all who are grieving.

Jesus Christ has told us that for those who have faith life has changed not ended. We hold their memory dear.

**PARISH LOTTO DRAW
Tuesday 29th October 2019**

2, 12, 16, 19

No winner of this week's Jackpot

3 x €50 prize winners

Mary Cross, The Doran Family,
Eileen Curley

Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners

Mags Brilly, Mags Brilly

€25 prize winner

Kathleen Browne

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 7,600

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

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

Holy Land

**Our 54 pilgrims with Fr Paul spent a special
week in the Holy Land. We remembered all our
parishioners at our Masses.**

Ministry Lists

If Ministers of the Word and Ministers of the
Eucharist wish to make any change to their details
on the annual rota, please contact Trish in the
Parish Office by Friday 8th November. Thank you.

An Immigrant Prayer

Dear Jesus, our journey through life is long and
hard. We cannot make this trip alone; we must
walk together on the journey. You promised to
send us a helper, your Spirit. Help us to see your
Spirit in those you send to journey with us. In
the refugee family, seeking safety from violence,
let us see your Spirit. In the migrant worker,
bringing food to our tables, let us see your
Spirit. In the asylum seeker, seeking justice for
himself and his family, let us see your Spirit. In
the unaccompanied child, travelling in a
dangerous world, let us see your Spirit. Teach us
to recognise that as we walk with each other,
you are present. Teach us to welcome not only
strangers in our midst but the gifts they bring as
well; the invitation to conversion, communion
and solidarity. This is the help you have sent; we
are not alone. We are together on the journey,
and for this we give you thanks. Amen.

Thought for the Week

Let those who are searching for God visit the prison before going to the temple.

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Lotto

Please ensure that you return your weekly
Lotto tickets and fully paid up annual
subscriptions to the parish shop during the
week and to our parish centre each Tuesday
evening between 7.30pm and 8.45pm to
ensure that you will be included in our
weekly lotto draw. Many thanks.

**Our Annual Remembrance Mass takes place
in Clane Parish Church on Friday November
8th at 7.30pm. All are most welcome.**

"Entrusted with the Word" is a three-night
training course for Parish Readers offered by
Kildare and Leighlin Faith Development Services.
Open to new and existing Parish Readers, the
next course will take place in **Scoil an Linbh Íosa,
Prosperous National school, on Tuesday
November 19, 26 and December 3 from 7:30-
9:00 p.m.** All who attend will receive the
Diocesan Guide for Readers, as well as a
Certificate of Participation.

The Will of God

What is the will of God? An easy question to ask
but a very difficult one to answer. The potential
for fooling myself is almost unlimited. I often end
up doing my own will, having convinced myself
that it is also the will of God. I imagine God
looking down at this world where so many
people suffer from hunger, homelessness, war
and loneliness. Surely God, like any parent,
could want nothing more from us than to try and
take away some of that suffering from God's
children. It is in reaching out to the poor and
the needy that I find the will of God.

Christ be near at either hand
Christ behind, before me stand
Christ with me where e'er I go
Christ around, above, below
Christ be in my heart and mind
Christ within my soul enshrined
Christ control my wayward heart
Christ abide and ne'er depart
Christ my life and only way
Christ my lantern, night and day
Christ be my unchanging friend
Guide and shepherd to the end.

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

There will be Family Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament at 5pm in Prosperous
Church each Saturday. All are welcome.

Our parish will again this year take part in
the Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Ap-
peal and organise collection of gift filled
shoeboxes. This is the 15th year that our
parish has participated in the shoebox
appeal, having sent approx. 13,000 boxes
to Eastern Europe, Haiti and Africa.
What do I do?
Fill an average sized shoebox with gifts for
a child and drop these boxes into the
parish centre Clane (the old convent) on
Saturday November 9th from 10:00 to
3:00pm. The boxes are then sealed and
delivered to the drop-off centre.

Church Gate Collection for
Cystic Fibrosis
This weekend
Your support is appreciated

A Journey Prayer
Our Lady of the wayside, for the sake of the
child you hold in your arms, take hold of my
hand for the rest of the road. Amen

Some Stand spaces are still
available for **Celbridge Mill
Christmas Craft and Food Fair** on
Sat 23rd and Sun 24th November.
A Family Fun Day and Santa in
conjunction with the Fair takes place on
Sunday 24th also at The Celbridge Mill
Community Centre. Stands are €65.
Phone 01 6288556 for details

Parish Safeguarding Representatives
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Laura Duffy, Aisling Behan
Diocesan Designated Liaison Person
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Clane Parish Shop
Saturday 9th November
Mary O'Neill
Clane Altar Society
Breda Connolly, Eileen
Duffy, Mamie & Frances

**Many thanks to those
who contributed,
and those who
collected and counted**
Basket € 1,017.08
Envelopes € 698.12

Kare Homesharing

Have you the time to offer breaks to an adult
with an intellectual disability in your home for
mid week and weekend overnight breaks?
No qualification necessary, 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 information contact
Jennifer Alfa Ogbaje, KARE Social Worker at
045 480 200 or 087 720 6779 or email
jennifer.alfaogbaje@kare.ie

Prosperous Dramatic Society are
delighted to present 'An Night of 1-Acts'
on Thursday 7th November at 8pm in
Prosperous Theatre. Tickets can be
purchased on www.eventbrite.ie

Wellness Programme & Cake Sale

Clane GAA are delighted to be promoting
a Mental Health and Wellbeing Initiative
aimed at supporting our young people
within the wider community in some of
the key challenging areas of modern life -
addiction - depression - anxiety -
self harm.
November 13th sees our first event - a talk
by Niall McNamee on Gambling
Addiction hosted at the club -
free and open to all in the community.
To support these initiatives a **Cake Sale**
will be held in the Parish hall after mass on
**Saturday 9th November and Sunday
10th.** Please call in for complimentary tea
or coffee and buy some lovely
cake / dessert!

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