

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

Annie Miskell, Millicent Cross

Rita Breslin, Drogheda, mother of Pat Breslin, Scoil Mhuire

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

**Masses for the Week**

**Clane**

Saturday 3rd Nov	6.30pm	Mary & John Cunningham, James Keville, Edward Dunne Sean Ennis, Anthony & Margaret Walsh, PJ Flood, Michael Brickley, Daniel Munoz, Tommy Tallon
Sunday 4th Nov	9.30am	People of the parish
	11.30am	Kit Tutty, Nan McCormack
Monday 5th Nov	10.00am	
Tuesday 6th Nov	10.00am	Gabrielle Carty, Ernie Fitzgerald
Wed 7th Nov	10.00am	
Thursday 8th Nov	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Friday 9th Nov	10.00am	Theresa Cassidy
Saturday 10th Nov	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
	6.30pm	Mary Watson (First Anniversary) & Vincent Watson, Kathleen Shortt, John Carew
Sunday 11th Nov	9.30am	
	11.30am	Agnieska Zienska (Months Mind Mass), Donal Doody

**Rathcoffey**

Sunday 4th Nov	10.30am	Mary O'Sullivan, Joseph & Marcella Tyrell
Sunday 11th Nov	10.30am	Alf & Ellen Higgins

	Saturday 10th 6.30pm	Sunday 11th 9.30am	Sunday 11th 11.30am	Sunday 11th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
<b>Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	Ciara Finn Moirá Fogarty Sara Gorman Roisin Gorman Teresa Grace	Orianna Hackett Maura Losty Katherine Martin Paddy Moore Margaret McDonald	Maureen Marron Colette O'Byrne Marie O'Connell Sean O'Hara Sean O'Riordan	Stephen Proctor Grainne Ward
<b>Ministers of the Word</b>	Anne Lynch Brian O'Brien	Patrick Cribbin Eleanor Cunney	Tony McEvoy Claire McManus Crainie	Anne Marie Mitchell
<b>Servers</b>	4	5	6	1
<b>Basket Collectors (November)</b>	John Duffy Joe Horan Michael Wallace	John Sullivan Darragh O'Brien Charlie Flynn	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford Frank O'Keefe	
<b>Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 10th</b>			Damian McCaffrey, Una Duffy	

# Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

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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

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**Cemetery Sunday**

**We gather during this month of November to remember our loved ones who have died. We gather in our Parish Cemeteries, we attend Mass and we light a candle as we connect with them in faith. May all who are grieving find hope and strength. May they be gentle with themselves as they grieve in their own unique and personal way.**

**Blessing of the Graves at the Abbey Cemetery**

**12.30pm**

**Mass at Mainham Cemetery**  
**3pm**

**We hold their memory dear.**

**PARISH LOTTO DRAW  
Tuesday 30th October 2018**

**5, 7, 14, 27**

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

**3 x €50 prize winners**

Marguerite Lohan, Fiona Finn  
Hugh & Bernadine O'Connor

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

Trish O'Neill, Lourdes Fund

**€25 prize winner**

Damian McCaffrey

**Next week's Jackpot:**

**€ 6,600**

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

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

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

Caragh Pastoral Council have arranged a  
Triduum (3 Monday nights in November)  
on the theme

'To live your faith today' The Challenge!  
Monday 5th November, 8pm -  
Bishop Denis Nulty to speak on the family  
today and faith.

Monday 12th November, 8pm -  
Fr. Philip Mulryne O.P. to speak on young  
people today and faith.

Monday 19th November, 8pm - Fr. Tony  
Coote P.P. Mount Merrion to lead 'A Night  
for healing'. Sacrament of anointing, an  
opportunity for confession and Padre Pio  
Glove will be available.

Mass will be celebrated each night.  
Refreshments will be available

**Thought for the Week**

We have to pray with our eyes on God, not on our difficulties.

**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.

**Come and See**

**Explaining Priesthood Retreat**

**23rd/24th November 2018**

**Mt St Anne's, Portarlinton, Co Laois**

**Email: info@vocations.ie**

**Or phone 01 505 3118**

**For more information**

A special memorial service for babies, who  
passed away through miscarriage, still-birth and  
neo-natal deaths will be held on Friday 16th  
November at 8.00pm in Our Lady & St. Joseph  
Church, Caragh. *"Their time was short, yet very  
precious"*. All are very welcome to attend.

Our Rosters for Ministers of the Word and  
Ministers of the Eucharist are being prepared this  
week. Thank you to all who continue to serve in  
the parish in these Ministries.

The Bible is full of stories and parables  
encouraging us to love God and to love each  
other. In fact, if we explore these stories and  
parables we learn that the Kingdom of God  
is found wherever people live a life of love  
and service, loving God and their neighbour.

We are gathered now to celebrate in a  
special way how we are linked together and  
are called to love one another and to care  
for each other.

We are called to care especially for those  
who live in poverty or fear.

Bishop Denis invites all interested parishioners to  
an open meeting "Planning for the Future" in  
Mount St Anne's, Portarlinton on Monday 19th  
November at 7.30pm. All are welcome to be part  
of this discussion.

**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 10th November  
Catherine Murphy  
**Clane Altar Society**  
Breda Connolly, Eileen  
Duffy, Mamie & Frances

**Many thanks to those  
who contributed,  
and those who  
collected and counted**  
Basket € 1,408.84  
Envelopes € 1,026.52

**Tuesday 6th November is the Feast of  
All the Saints of Ireland. We remember  
with gratitude all the holy men and  
women who have influenced our own  
lives and the life of our country.**

Congratulations to our young people  
who will receive their Pope John Paul  
Awards from Bishop Denis this  
month. We thank them all for the  
contribution they make to parish life.

Unexpected kindness is the most  
powerful, least costly and most  
underrated agent of human  
change. In a world where you can  
be anything, be kind.

**Palestine—How Ireland can take action  
against Injustice**  
Open meeting: Senator Frances Black  
speaks about the Occupied Territories  
Bill 2018 and ending Irish Trade in illegal  
settlement goods.  
Osprey Hotel, Naas  
Monday 5th November 7.15pm

St Mary's College Past Pupils Union Table Quiz  
Mc Cormack's Lounge, Naas  
Thursday November 15th 8.30pm  
Cost: €10 per person—Tables of 4  
Come along and test your knowledge and  
enjoy a fun night with friends  
Raffle and prizes on the night  
All funds generated will go to school funding

**Parish Safeguarding Representatives**  
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Laura Duffy, Aisling Behan  
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Our parish will again this year take part  
in the Team Hope Christmas Shoebox  
Appeal and organise collection of gift  
filled shoeboxes. This is the 14th year  
that our parish has participated in the  
shoebox appeal, having sent  
approximately 12,000 boxes to Eastern  
Europe, Haiti and Africa.  
Shoeboxes can be left into the Parish  
Centre on Saturday November 17th  
between 10am and 3pm.

The Irish Wheelchair Association would  
like to thank the people of Clane Parish  
for supporting their recent Church Gate  
Collection, €500 was raised.

Rathcoffey Community Gardeners are  
inviting members of the community  
who would like to grow their own  
vegetables to join them! The group is  
supported by Kildare County Council,  
and are members of the Grow it Your-  
self organisation. The garden is organic,  
eco friendly and sustainable. They use  
only heritage seeds from Irish Seed Sav-  
ers. If you would like to get involved,  
contact 085 812 1414  
All are welcome!

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
And let perpetual light shine upon them  
May their souls and the souls of all the  
faithful departed, through the mercy of  
God, rest in peace, Amen

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