

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 30th Jan 7.30pm Claire McDonald, Phil McCormack, Maureen Healy, Michael Murphy, Joe Bonner, (Months Mind Mass)
Thomas, Elizabeth and Mary Ryan & deceased family members, William King, (Months Mind Mass), Nancy & Bob Bagnall, Thomas Losty, (Birthday Remembrance)

Sunday 31st Jan 9.30am People of the Parish
11.30am Barry Gallagher, Bid & Tim Donagher, Dan, Mary & Timothy O'Connell & deceased family members Dermot Kampff, (Month's Mind Mass), James & Margaret Kelly

Monday 1st Feb 10.00am

Tuesday 2nd Feb 10.00am Aleyamma Thomas

Wed 3rd Feb 10.00am Nan & Dan Malone, V O Joseph, Maureen Condon
Kathleen Cunningham (Months Mind Mass),
Brigid & Mary Anne Graham

Thursday 4th Feb 10.00am John Duffy

Friday 5th Feb 10.00am Kathleen McMahan

Saturday 6th Feb 10.00am Service of the Word and Holy Communion
7.30pm Angela Kennedy, Henry, Catherine, Charles & Thomas Farrell
Patsy Dunne, Tony & Ber Dempsey, Johnny & Lil Reilly
Kathleen Timmons

Sunday 7th Feb 9.30am People of the Parish

11.30am Jeremiah Kenny, Sean Whistler, Michael, Josie & Peter Devine
Elizabeth Ennis, Mary & Pat Smullen

Rathcoffey

Sunday 31st Jan 10.30am Jack & Anne Dunne

Sunday 7th Feb 10.30am Sheila McAndrew, Tommy Brilly

	Saturday 6th 7.30pm	Sunday 7th 9.30am	Sunday 7th 11.30am	Sunday 7th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Patricia O'Neill Betty Wallace Peg Carroll Tom Cleary John Duffy	Mary O'Neill Moira O'Shaughnessy James Plunkett Bernadette Ryan John Ryan	Yvonne Darragh Breda Dunne Siobhan Keogh Joe Malone	Michael Behan (Snr) Bernie Barry
Ministers of the Word	Christy Kirwan Anne Noonan	Sheila Briody Michael Clifford	Ann Heffernan Tony McEvoy	Darren Gaffney
Basket Collectors (February)	Tom Casey, Joe Higgins, Mick Gill	Nick Fitzgerald Maurice Shortt	Damian McCaffrey Mick Richardson	
Service of the Word and Holy Communion Sat 6th Feb			Moira Fogarty, Michael Wallace	

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Clane Church 125, 1884 – 2009

Rathcoffey Church 300, 1710 – 2010

4th Sunday of the Year

31st January 2010

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Weekend Mass Times

Clane

Saturday 7.30pm
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 – 4pm
Saturday 10am – 1pm

Phone: 045-861393

**Email: claneparish@eircom.net
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Catholic Schools Week 2010

A Light for Every Generation

Catholic schools are connected to the education and formation of the young person in every aspect of their lives. Thus Catholic schools are light for parents, pupils, staff and society in every generation. In selecting them, we are clearly connecting the vision of Catholic education with the mission of the Gospel; to bring the light of Christ to the world and to allow that light to shine through and in all that we do in our work in Catholic schools. This theme reminds us that we are constantly challenged to let the light shine for the present Generation and this will remain part of our task for future generations. It also allows us to remember with great gratitude all those who through their work in establishing schools and places of education brought the light of Christ to many generations of Irish people in the past.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

5, 6, 20, 23

No winner of this weeks Jackpot

5 x €50 prize winners

Mikaela Mahon, Eugene Ryan,
Peter McCrystal, Pat Corrigan, Mersey Dunne

Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners

Teresa Galvin, Sean O'Hara

2 x €25 prize winners

Betty Powell, Artuk Stenera

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 13,000

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

**Minimum €400 worth
of prizes every week.**

Feast of St Brigid

Monday 1st February is the Feast of St
Brigid, patron saint of County Kildare, the
first day of Spring

February 2nd is the Feast Day of Candlemas.
People are welcome to bring in candles to the
Church to be blessed for use at home

St Blaise

Wednesday February 3rd in the Feast of St
Blaise, patron saint of all illnesses of the
throat. The blessing of St Blaise will take place
at the 10am Mass in Clane Parish Church.

We are also inviting the children from our
schools to attend this Mass to mark

Catholic Schools Week.

Parents and grandparents of the children are
specially welcome to come

Communion to the Sick

Fr Paul & Fr Denis will visit the sick and
housebound with Holy Communion during the
coming week

Thought for the Week

With God on our side, the odds don't matter.....St Teresa of Avila

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.

**We welcome the 6th Class boys from Scoil
Phadraig to their Ceremony of Light and
Pledge Ceremony this weekend**

A Prayer for Parents

Creator God, thank you for the gift of our
children,

Their lives to share,
their bodies to nurture,
their minds to mould,
and their spirits to enrich.

May we always be deserving of their trust,
supportive of their hopes,
And encouraging of their dreams.

Let your grace and love fall on these, our
most precious gifts,

Like a gentle breeze giving inner strength,
peace and patience for the journey ahead.
Amen

Haiti Appeal

We would like to thank the people of the
parish for your very generous donation
towards the Haiti Earthquake Relief Fund
over the past two weeks. €5,688 was raised
and this money has been sent to Mr Justin
Kilcullen, Director of Trocaire, and will be
used immediately in Trocaire's relief
efforts in Haiti

Blessing of the Animals and Pets

A special Ceremony of Blessing for all ani-
mals and pets will take place in the Church-
yard of Clane Church on Sunday February
21st at 12.30pm (after the 11.30am Mass).
St Francis of Assisi is the patron saint of all
animals. All are welcome to bring their ani-
mals—great and small—to the churchyard
for a blessing

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

Clane Parish Shop

Saturday 6th Mary O'Neill

Clane Altar Society

Colette Healy,
Rose Langan

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

Basket €
Envelopes €

First Confession 2010

We are looking forward to our First Confession
ceremonies in Fathcoffey on Monday 8th
February at 7.30pm and in Clane on Tuesday 9th
February at 7.30pm This will be very special for
the children, parents and families and all in our
Parish Family

GAA Annual Club Dinner Dance

Sat 13th Feb @ 8:30pm in ClaneGAA. Admission:
€50 each. Tickets limited to 200.

To book, Contact: Ann 086 8863124;
Teresa 086 1925771; George 087 2664644;
Caroline 086 3812375.

Yoga for Haiti!

One hour class; all proceeds to the
Earthquake fund. Bring a mat to the Parish
Centre Monday 1st February 10–11.15am
045–868426

The 2010 National Pancake Party National Children's Hospital,

Tallaght. are asking you to host a Pancake
party between February 12th and 16th. All
money raised from these events will go
towards helping children receive the best
possible care in the National Children's
Hospital. Register on line at
www.pancakeparty.ie or by calling
01 414 2375

Material for the February issue of
Le Cheile due on Monday 1st February
to 142, Loughbollard: Tel. 868474
e-mail: margaretmcevoy1@eircom.net

Family party and disco will be held at
the Westgrove Hotel on Sunday 14th
February to celebrate St.Valentine's
Day. Time: 2.30 – 5.30. Lots of fun
for all the family. Proceeds to the
Clane St. Patrick's Day Parade, 2010

**Clane Rugby hosting the News Talk
Provincial Town's cup First round Clane V
Wexford Wanderers this Sunday 31st
Jan @2:30pm,**

**Under age Girls Rugby match
Clane V Wexford Wanderers @1pm.
Please Support Clane Rugby club,
Ballinagappa Road, Clane.**

Catholic schools offer a distinctive kind of
education which allows the light of faith to
be seen in everything that happens within
the school community.
Catholic schools are rooted in the values of
the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
Catholic schools help each child to develop
to their full potential.
Catholic schools help every member of the
school community to see God in "the bits
and pieces of everyday life".
Catholic schools seek to create open, happy,
stimulating and caring environments, in
which every child is encouraged to develop
their abilities and talents in a balanced,
integrated and generous way.
Catholic schools help students to become
responsible and caring members of society.
Catholic schools work closely with the
parent and parish communities to provide
an excellent education for the students in
their care.

Divine Mercy Conference 20 February
Minibus from Clane; wheelchair accessible
Details from Helen 087-6735573
045-868434

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