

Our Faithful Departed.....

Sean McCann, recently deceased late of Sligo
Carmel O'Donoghue, Headford, Co. Galway, Mother of Geraldine McCormack, Abbeylands
may they rest in peace, Amen.

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2022

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2022

3rd Sunday of Easter

1st May 2022

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Masses for the Week

Clane			
Saturday 30th April	6.30pm	Bartle Smullen, Christy Kilduff, Patricia Connolly, John Noonan, Mary Molly Delaney, Adam Keenan Byrne	
Sunday 1st May	9.30am	Kevin McConnell, Shane McConnell	
	11.30am	Thomas McEvoy, Paddy Walsh	
Monday 2nd May	10.00am	Betty Wallace (birth rem)	
Tuesday 3rd May	10.00am	Mattie Keoghegan	
Wed 4th May	10.00am	People of the Parish	
Thursday 5th May	10.00am	Catherine Cullen, Eileen Bolster	
Friday 6th May	10.00am	Sick of the Parish	
Saturday 7th May	6.30pm	John & Lily Fitzsimons, Doreen Fortune, Edward Shortt, Georgie Harrington (months mind), Helen Mahon, Joseph, Brigid and Patrick Maguire	
Sunday 8th May	9.30am		
	11.30am	Liam Hanrahan, Eileen Bolster	
Rathcoffey			
Sunday 1st May	10.30am		
Sunday 8th May	10.30am	William Tyrrell & May Tyrrell	

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**Growing Your
Image Of God**

The life and death of Jesus is not something that happened in the distant past. It's something that is right at the heart of your life. The U-shaped curve of dying and rising is something evident in your own experience of life.

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 10.30am – 12.30pm
Phone: 045-861393

Email: claneparish@eircom.net
www.claneparish.com
WebCam/Live Streaming
www.claneparish.com
and on churchservices TV
www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage/

Payzone Donation Points are now available in Clane Church and Clane Parish Shop. Many Thanks!

	Saturday 7th 6.30pm	Sunday 8th 9.30am	Sunday 8th 11.30am	Sunday 8th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Padraig Carbury Tom Cleary Diarmuid Coonan Bernie Corbett	Cait Cullen Oriana Hackett Katherine Martin Margaret McDonald	Margaret Maguire Joe Malone Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara	Siobhan McCrystal Grainne Ward
Ministers of the Word	Paula Carbury Noeleen Conboy	Declan Dillon Niamh Doherty	Bernadette Plunkett Rose Sullivan	Alvagh Cronin
Basket Collectors (May)	John Duffy Joe Horan Michael Wallace	John Sullivan Darragh O'Brien	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford	

PARISH LOTTO DRAW
Sponsored by
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane

Tuesday 26th April 2022
1, 3, 25, 31

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

3 x €50 prize winners

Pat Timmons, Cathal Travers,
John O'Shea

Promoters Draw

2 x €50 prize winners

Lily O'Neill, Brendan Travers

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 12,000

Weekly Lotto tickets are
available from your local Promoter,
or the Parish Shop or Online at
www.claneparish.com/play-lotto/

**Minimum €250 worth
of prizes every week.**



Parish online donations can be made via
our website at www.claneparish.com or

direct to

Parish a/c:

IBAN IE65AIBK 93323602444022

Clergy Fund a/c:

IE79AIBK93323670508088

We are looking forward to
First Communion Days coming soon!
Rathcoffey

Sunday May 8th at 11.30am,
Clane

Scoil Phadraig and Hewetson N.S.
on Sunday May 15th
at 9.30am and 11.30am,
Scoil Bhríde on Sunday May 22nd
at 9.30am and 11.30am.

Fr Paul is inviting Parents to bring
their Children to a **First Communion
Practice** for all ceremonies
on **Tuesday May 3rd 2022**
in Clane Church at 7.15pm
and in Rathcoffey Church at 8.15pm.

Special Family and Faith celebrations.
A Welcome To All!

Feastdays during the week

Tuesday 3rd: Saint Philip and James, Apostles
Wednesday 4th: St. Conleth of Kildare
Thursday 5th: Blessed Edmund Rice
1762-1844, Founder of the Christen and
presentation Brothers

Art For Ukraine - Charity Art Auction

In Aid of Irish Red Cross For Ukraine
Venue: Clane GAA Hall on 7th May 2022
Viewing 2pm-7pm

Auction: 7pm (approx. 1 hour)

No Entry Fee. Please come along and support
the people of Ukraine. More information:

Geraldine Crowther, 086-30 199 11
gcrowther@eircom.net

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

Clane Altar Society
Maureen McCormack
Mary Cleary

**Many thanks to those
who contributed,
and those who
collected and counted**
Basket € 1,376.73
Envelopes € 995.63

Congratulations to
Siobhan Roche & Killian Jones and to
Mary Burchéal & Kevin Connor
recently married
in our Parish Church.

Suaimhneas

Weekly Contemplative Practice Sessions:
Monday 9am, Wednesday 7am & 7.30pm
Peace Room, Parish Hall, Main Street Clane.
More info 087-2466 892,
johnpfarrelly@gmail.com
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Blessed John Sullivan Mass, 2022

The annual Blessed John Sullivan birthday
Mass will be celebrated
by Bishop Denis Nulty on 7th May
in Carlow Cathedral at 6.15pm.
<https://carlowcathedral.ie/webcam/>
Cait Cullen 087-312 6241

Fr. Denis Harrington is planning on
going to Lourdes from 1st July
to 8th July 2022 (7 nights).
The all-in cost is 879 euro, which
includes flights, hotel and all meals.
Anyone who would like to join him,
contact him on 087-2331143,
or through the Parish Office.

Parish Safeguarding Representatives
Fr Paul O'Boyle, Gemma Mallon, Aisling Behan
Diocesan Designated Liaison Person
[Mick Daly dlp@kandle.ie](mailto:Mick.Daly@kandle.ie) 085 802 1633

Zero Waste Community Garden Rathcoffey
We are proposing to run a **Bee Keeping
Course** over six weeks for €60.
To book call: 085-8121414.
Date and time to be advised.

Clane Tidy Towns

Many thanks to all the parishioners who
gave so generously to our recent Church
Gate Collection. €615 was collected.
We are looking forward to a busy spring
and summer. Our evening clean-ups
have resumed. We meet at the Abbey on
Main Street at 7pm on Monday
evenings. New helpers and ideas are
always welcome.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to knock Shrine on
Sunday June 5th at 2.30pm
led by Bishop Denis Nulty.

Tea/coffee and refreshments will be
served after 10.30am Mass in Rathcoffey
this Sunday. Welcome!

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. Amen.

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

Thought for the Week
The key place to find God is within yourself.