

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 25th Febr	6.30pm	Patrick Higgins (Months Mind), Eddie Hackett, Mary & Christy Connolly, Francie, Paddy & Mick Gill, Jim & Ann McDonald, Noel Murphy, Kevin & Kathleen O'Neill, Angela Kelly, Gerald McGurk, Michelle Walsh, Michael (Mick) Smith and Deceased Family Members
Sunday 26th Febr	9.30am	Annie & James Finn
	11.30am	Richard & Kathleen White, Valentina Viceor
Monday 27th Febr	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Tuesday 28th Febr	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Wed 1st March	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Thursday 2nd March	10.00am	Una Heffernan, Denis & Clement Fanning, Declan Sweeney
Friday 3rd March	10.00am	Harry Manders and Deceased Family Members
Saturday 4th March	6.30pm	Margaret Merriman (Months Mind), Rita Campbell, Liz Reilly, Aileen McManmon
Sunday 5th March	9.30am	Peter Kelly, Tommy Doran
	11.30am	Jim Noonan, Michael Walsh, Fergal Noonan (Birth Rem), Baby Charlie Morley - Kavanagh (Birth Rem)

Rathcoffey

Sunday 26th Febr	10.30am	Patrick Jennings, Margaret Jennings, Hugh Jennings, Dorothy Harrington, James & Irene Curran
Sunday 5th March	10.30am	

	Saturday 4th 6.30pm	Sunday 5th 9.30am	Sunday 5th 11.30am	Sunday 5th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Padraig Carbury Tom Cleary Diarmuid Coonan Bernie Corbett	Shirley O'Keefe Mary O'Neill James Plunkett Gillian Breen	Kathleen Browne Laura Hamilton Anna Connolly Alice Corbett	Aisling Behan Jenny Behan
Ministers of the Word	Cyrena Hayes Christy Kirwan	Marguerite Lohan Anthony Marron	Aileen Cahill Ailish Sheehan	Anne Marie Mitchell
Basket Collectors (March)	John Duffy Joe Horan Michael Wallace	John Sullivan	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford	

Clane Church, 1884 – 2023

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2023

First Sunday of Lent

26th February 2023

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Parish Charity Number 20015848

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Daily Lenten Prayer

Loving Father,
To prepare for His mission of
proclaiming Your kingdom
to the world

Your Son Jesus was guided by Your
Holy Spirit to the quiet
of the desert.

In these Lenten days, I pray that
I will be guided by that same Spirit,

to a place of renewal in my heart
and mind, so that I will seek
opportunities for

daily personal prayer, personal
sacrifices and acts of kindness.

With your help, may I too be truly
prepared to share in the story
of the passion,

death and resurrection of Jesus
Your Son, our Lord.
Amen.

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/

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Sponsored by
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane
Tuesday 21st February 2023

6, 11, 20, 26

No winner of this week's Jackpot
3 x €50 Winners

Pauline McIntyre, JETS,
Daniel & Gary McCormack
Promoters Draw

2 x €50 prize winners

Darragh O'Brien, Lourdes Fund
Next week's Jackpot:

€ 8,200

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

Turkey / Syria Earthquake

We are inviting people to donate a little extra
in the offertory collection at the weekend
February 25th/26th which will be forwarded to
Trócaire for the relief of the Victims of the
recent Earthquake in Turkey and Syria.
Many Thanks!

Confirmation Retreat Days

Fr. Paul, Deacon John and Class Teachers will
accompany our 6th class Students on their
Confirmation Retreat Days to Solás Bhríde,
Kildare on Tuesday and Wednesday
this coming week in preparation
for their Confirmation in late March
with Bishop Denis Nulty.

Confirmation 2023

Confirmation Retreat Days

February 28th and
March 1st

Confirmation Days

March 24th - Clane
March 25th - Rathcoffey

Suaimhneas News: New Beginnings

The Suaimhneas Centre, Main Street
Meditation on Mondays 7.30-8.30pm
Wakeful on Wednesdays - 2 sessions
This is to facilitate people going to work.
7.00-7.30am, 7.30-8.00am

Centred on Saturdays 11am to 12noon
Join us for some time in stillness and quiet.
All Are Welcome!

For more information: 087-2466 892
E-mail: suaimhneascentre@gmail.com

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

Clane Altar Society

Eileen Duffy
Mamie O'Connell
Frances Ennis

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

Basket € 1,408.97
Envelopes € 952.65

Feastdays this week

Monday 27th February

St. Gregory of Narek, A poet and mystic

Wednesday 1st March

St. David, Patron Saint of Wales

Saturday 4th March

St. Casimir of Poland

Clane St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee

will be holding a **Church Gate Collection**
4th and 5th March at all Masses.

We hope you can donate generously.
All funds go back into the Community.
Help us enjoy our Annual Parade and
we look forward to seeing you all
at the Parade on 17th March.

Felting Craft Community Education Classes

The IWA in conjunction with Community
Education are offering limited places on a
10-week Felting Craft Course facilitated by
KATHRINA HUGHES

VENUE: John Sullivan (Irish Wheelchair
Association), Ballinagappa Road, Clane
Start date: Monday 13th March 2023
Time: 11.00am – 1pm

Booking: eileen.obrien@iwa.ie; 045989604
Free Car Park, Fully Wheelchair Accessible

NOTE: FACEMASKS MUST BE WORN
IN BUILDING

Parish Safeguarding Representatives
Fr Paul O'Boyle, Gemma Mallon, Aisling Behan
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Prayer for Syria and Turkey

All our hearts are going out to the people
of Syria and Turkey.

May the people of these lands have the
courage and strength to keep living
each day.

May they have all the supports, aid, love
and compassion needed.

Syria is suffering so much pain and turmoil
from war and conflict.

May leaders open all borders so that
all resources can get through.

May generosity and God's blessings bring
strength and hope to everyone who has
been affected

May minds and hearts be moved
to remember loved ones who have died,
those who are injured and missing,
Who hold them all in our hearts this day.
Amen.

Living Synodality Now

This symposium will be of interest to
priests, pastoral workers, teachers,
chaplains, and anyone involved
or interested in ministry.

11th March 2023 12pm - 4pm
SETU, Cork Road Campus, Waterford
Enquiries: synodality@setu.ie
Fee € 20

Thought for the Week

Mary, Mother of Jesus, please be a Mother to me now.

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