

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

**Joseph (Joe) Gaffney, Otomy Drive Clane  
John O'Shea, Baltracey and Allenwood  
may they rest in peace, Amen**

**Masses for the Week**

**Clane**

Saturday 30th Sept 6.30pm Jean Malone (1st anniv), Nuala Doyle, Josie Dunne, Sean Dunne, Deceased Members of the Dunne Family, Stephanie Cash, Julia & Bill Connolly, Imelda & Michael McGee, Edward & Julia Mahoney, Sonny Mahoney, Deceased Members of The Mahoney Family, Michele Di Stefano, Anna McIntyre (Birth Rem), Jean Mallon, Mary O'Flaherty (Birth Rem)

Sunday 1st Oct 9.30am People Of The Parish  
11.30am Anne Gryszan (1st anniv), Patrick & Bridget McManamon, Goretti Byrne (Birth Rem), Grace & Michael Dunne, Eoin Casey and Grandparents Peter & Jane Casey

Monday 2nd Oct 10.30am Funeral Mass

Tuesday 3rd Oct 10.00am Sick Of The Parish

Wed 4th Oct 10.00am Morning Prayer

Thu 5th Oct 10.00am Pauline McGovern, Anna & Peter Gill and Deceased Members of the Gill Family

Friday 6th Oct 10.00am Patricia & Robert Cloud

Saturday 7th Oct 6.30pm Ella Mills, Stephanie Cash

Sunday 8th Oct 9.30am Jim Losty, Molly Losty, Nick Losty  
11.30am Deirdre Walsh, Sally Sheridan (Birth Rem)

**Rathcoffey**

Sunday 1st Oct 10.30am  
Sunday 8th Oct 10.30am

	Sat 7th 6.30 pm	Sunday 8th 9.30am	Sunday 8th 11.30am	Sunday 8th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
<b>Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	Marie Cribbin Mary Deay Cyrena Hayes Ita Killaly	Margaret McDonald Hilary McDonnell Shirley O'Keefe Mary O'Neill	Kathleen Browne Laura Hamilton Anna Connolly Alice Corbett	Jenny Behan Brendan Travers
<b>Ministers of the Word</b>	Diarmuid Coonan Sean Fanning	Marie Kelly Sheila Briody	Claire McManus Crainie Vanitha D Souza	Tom McDonald
<b>Basket Collectors (October)</b>	Joe Higgins	Paddy Moore Darragh O'Brien	Kathleen Browne P.J. Sheridan	

# Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2023

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2023

26th Sunday In Ordinary Time  
Parish Charity Number 20015848

1st October 2023

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Love while You can, walk while You can, Love not judgement

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Parish Office, Main Street, Clane  
Phone: 045 861393

**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](mailto:claneparish@eircom.net)**

**[www.claneparish.com](http://www.claneparish.com)**

**WebCam/Live Streaming**

**[www.claneparish.com](http://www.claneparish.com)**

**and on churchservices TV**

**[www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage/](http://www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage/)**

**Day For Life**

Feastday of  
St. Therese of Lisieux

We Welcome the Members of  
the Little Way Cancer Support  
Centre in Clane to our Mass  
today. St. Therese spoke of her

“Little Way” of living her life  
with goodness and kindness.

We remember all who are living  
with cancer and their Families.

On this day for life may we  
cherish the dignity of all life,  
from the little child in the womb  
to our oldest and most fragile

Brothers and Sisters.

## PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Sponsored by  
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane  
Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023

**22, 26, 27, 31**

No Winner of Jackpot

3 x €50 Winners

Eileen Quinlan, Angela Gorman,  
Mary Barry

Promoters Draw

2 x €50 prize winners

Jacinta Maguire, Darragh O'Brien

Next week's Jackpot:

**€ 8,000**

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

direct to

Parish a/c:

IBAN IE65AIBK 93323602444022

Clergy Fund a/c:

IE79AIBK93323670508088

### Tap And Go

Our Tap And Go cashless Donation Points  
for €5 and €10 are located in Clane Church.  
We thank all who support the Parish in this way.

## First Confession and First Holy Communion REGISTRATION DATES

Parents who wish their child to  
receive these sacraments are asked to  
register them

at the following times and date.

**Saturday October 7<sup>th</sup> 2023**

**In Clane Church  
between 9.30am & 11am  
and**

**In Rathcoffey Church  
between 11.30am & 12 noon**

*A €10/Child registration fee will apply on the day.*

We are **preparing the new yearly roster**  
for all our Parish Ministers of the Eucharist  
and the Word in both Clane & Rathcoffey.

We hope you will continue in this special  
Parish ministry.

However if you wish to finish,  
**please let us know by emailing:**  
[claneparish@eircom.net](mailto:claneparish@eircom.net)  
**by October 31<sup>st</sup>.**

New volunteers are welcome!  
We appreciate your Faith Commitment to  
these special ministries.

## Confirmation 2024 - Registration

Parents are invited  
to bring their Children  
to **Clane Church**

**between 9.30am and 11am**  
and

**to Rathcoffey Church  
between 11.30am and 12noon  
on **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2023.****

*A €10 Registration fee will apply on the day.*

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 Altar Society  
Rose Langan  
Margaret Lee

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

Basket € 1,443.60  
Envelopes € 992.20

**Prosperous Dramatic Society** is  
delighted to be back after the summer  
break with the hilarious comedy  
**"Drama at Inish"**  
written by Lennox Robinson and  
Directed by Lurlene Duggan .  
11<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> October at 8pm nightly  
in Prosperous Theatre (beside the  
Church). Tickets can be bought on  
<http://prosperousdrama.eventbrite.com/>

**Feastdays**  
Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October  
St Therese of Lisieux, Patron Saint of  
France  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October  
Feast of the Guardian Angels  
Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October  
Blessed Columba Marmion, Monk  
Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October  
St Faustina of Boland

**The Little Way Cancer Support  
Centre** will be holding a **fundraising  
Fashion Show** to mark their  
20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in operation,  
in collaboration with Diamond and  
Pearls featuring Celia Holman Lee  
Models on the **12th October 2023** in  
Barberstown Castle.  
Tickets are €30 and everyone will  
receive an exclusive goody bag to the  
value of €35.  
To book a ticket  
please contact 045 902996 or  
email [clane@little-way.org](mailto:clane@little-way.org).  
All funds raised will go directly to the  
provision of cancer support centre  
services.

**Holy Queen Conference 2023** is live on  
Radio Maria Ireland from 2pm on Saturday  
7<sup>th</sup> October. Saorview Channel 210 or  
listen live at (01)4373277

**A Welcome to all creations great and  
small at our Pet Blessing this Sunday.**  
**A Blessing for all Animals & Pets**  
Loving God, we thank you for the gift of  
your creation as we ask your blessing  
on all our animals and pets.  
We thank you for the happiness  
they bring us and for the way in which  
they enrich our lives.  
May all our animals and pets  
be treated with kindness and respect  
because they remind us of the  
wonder of God's Creation  
in all creatures great and small  
St Francis of Assisi, patron saint of all  
animals, Pray for us.

Parish Safeguarding Representatives  
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[WWW.CLANEPARISH.COM](http://WWW.CLANEPARISH.COM)  
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[WWW.KANDLE.IE](http://WWW.KANDLE.IE) (Diocesan website)

## Thought for the Week

May the Lord bless you and watch over you. Amen.