

Our Faithful Departed.....

Tina Price, Ottomy Clane, Prosperous

...may she rest in peace, Amen

## Clane

### Masses for the Week

Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> August	6.30pm	Cora Mitchell, Margaret & William Fitzharris, Jacqueline Corrigan, Paddy & Sheila Duffy, Michael & Mary Heneghan, Mary & John Carew, Tony & Mary Carew
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	9.30am	Mary Hackett (Birth Rem), Alice & Thomas King
	11.30am	Brenda Murphy (1st anniv)
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	Darroch Connolly
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	Morning Prayer
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	Paddy & Kathleen McDonald & Deceased Members of The McDonald Family, John, Elizabeth & Ernie Fitzgerald
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> August	6.30pm	Michelle Kennedy (Months Mind), Mary O'Loughlin
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> August	9.30am	
	11.30am	

## Rathcoffey

Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	10.30am	Peter Connolly
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> August	10.30am	Michael Behan

	Sat 9th 6.30 pm	Sunday 10th 9.30am	Sunday 10th 11.30am	Sunday 10th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Patricia O'Neill Peter O'Neill Teresa Grace Anne Behan	Katherine Martin Margaret McDonald Shirley O'Keefe James Plunkett	Margaret Maguire Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara Rose Sullivan	Siobhan McCrystal Brendan Travers
Ministers of the Word	Jean Ui Bhroin Catriona O'Dare	Anthony Marron Christopher Morrin	Tony McEvoy Claire McManus Crainie	Declan Forde
Basket Collectors (August)	Joe Horan	Darragh O'Brien Paddy Moore Jonathan McCann	P.J. Sheridan	

# Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2025

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2025

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Parish Charity Number 20015848

3rd August 2025  
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Love while You can, walk while You can, Love not judgement

### Parish Contacts

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### Weekend Mass Times

#### Clane

Saturday	6.30pm
Sunday	9.30am
	11.30am

#### Rathcoffey

Sunday	10.30am
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### Suaimhneas Centre

Main Street Clane, 087-2466 892  
Supporting Our Search For Inner Peace

### Children's Grief Space

Making a difference in the lives of children  
and young people affected by loss  
Parish Centre, Main Street in Clane  
089-246 5747

### 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

f [www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage](https://www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage)

@ [@clane\\_parish](https://www.instagram.com/clane_parish)

### Praise at the dawn of the day

In the rising light of dawn we praise you,

O Lord,

For you are the Redeemer of all creation.

Grant us, in your mercy,

A day filled with your peace.

Forgive us our sins.

May our hope not falter.

Hide not your face from us.

You keep us in your caring love;

Do not weary of us.

You alone know our weakness.

Oh God, do not abandon us.

Amen.

## PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Sponsored by  
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane

Tuesday 29th July 2025

**4, 9, 28, 30**

No winner of Jackpot

**3 x €50 Winners**

Jennifer Behan, Cathy Timmons,

The Cullen Family

**Promoters Draw**

**2 x €50 prize winners**

Benevolent Fund, Mary McCormack

**Next week's Jackpot:**

**€ 7,600**

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

### Feast days during the week:

Monday 4<sup>th</sup>— St. John Vianney, France  
Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>— Feast  
of The Transfiguration  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup>—St. Dominic, Spain

**Eucharistic Adoration** Clane Church  
10.30am - 11am Fridays

(after 10am Mass)  
All Welcome!

A welcome to visitors to our parish  
community during these Summer Days!

### Aaron's Blessing

Lord, bless me and keep me;  
Let your face shine upon me  
And be gracious to me.  
Lift up your countenance upon me and  
give me peace.

+ In the name of the Father,  
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

### Sometimes, for a moment

Sometimes, for a moment,  
In pause,  
In the midst of the troubles  
of the day;  
I close my eyes and ears,  
And for a moment I am happy;  
For I am not alone;  
You are there, my God.

Amen

### Thought for the Week

Simplicity, depth and moderation.

**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

Margaret Meehan

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

Basket	€ 1605.43
Envelopes	€ 977.05

### Prayer to Mary, Woman of Listening

Mary, woman of listening, open our ears,  
grant us to know how to listen to the word  
of your Son Jesus among the thousands  
of words of this world;

Grant that we may listen to the reality in  
which we live, to every person we encounter,  
especially those who are poor, in need,  
in hardship.

Mary, woman of decision, illuminate our mind  
and our heart, so that we may obey,  
unhesitating, the word of your Son Jesus; give  
us the courage to decide, not to let ourselves  
be dragged along, letting others direct our life.

Mary, woman of action obtain that our hands  
and feet move "with haste" towards other,  
to bring them the charity and love of your Son  
Jesus, to bring the light of the Gospel to the  
world, as you did.

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2025 -**

**The Assumption of Mary**

### Ministers of the Word - Clane

10am: Colette O'Byrne, Sean O'Hara

7.30pm: Bernie Campbell, Paula Carbury

### Ministers of the Eucharist - Clane

10am: Anna Wolfe, Tony McKenna,

Magdalena Tafelska, Beata Mitus

7.30pm: Elizabeth Behan, Padraig Carbury,

Tom Cleary, Diarmuid Coonan

### Men's Jubilee Camino

Men's hike - Saturday  
September 13th, 20kms,  
on greenway, from Dominican abbey  
(ruin) in Carlingford  
to Newry (St Catherine's) via Newry  
Cathedral (Jubilee Indulgence).

Mass, Adoration, Rosary,  
Confessions & Fraternity.  
Registration & details  
on [www.dominicans.ie/events/](http://www.dominicans.ie/events/).  
€70 (Lunch, dinner & bus),  
over 18's male event.  
Enquiries to  
[op.evangelisation@gmail.com](mailto:op.evangelisation@gmail.com).

**Parish Safeguarding Representatives**  
Fr Paul O'Boyle, Sean O'Hara, Aisling Behan  
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