

Our Faithful Departed.....

Bridget (Breda) Dunne (née Mooney), Liffey Lawns, Clane / Blessington, Wicklow
...may she rest in peace, Amen

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2026

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2026

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 2nd May	6.30pm	John Duffy (Months Mind), Breda Cribben, Pat Cribben, Paddy, Bridget & Dick Butler, Peg McCarron, Adam Keenan Byrne, Edward Shortt
Sunday 3rd May	9.30am	Isaiah & Melody Kangke
	11.30am	People of The Parish
Tuesday 5th May	10.00am	Catherine Cullen, Jim & Teresa Downes, James Kearney (Birth Rem)
Wed 6th May	10.00am	Morning Prayer
Thursday 7th May	10.00am	
Friday 8th May	10.00am	Lil McCormack
Saturday 9th May	6.30pm	Doreen Fortune, Lily Kelly, Liam Hanrahan, Murt Logan, Bernadette Burke
Sunday 10th May	9.30am	
	11.30am	Michelle Di Stefano (Birth Rem), Patricia Di Stefano, Kathleen Cribbin, Patrick Brennan (Months Mind), Paddy Walsh

Rathcoffey

Sunday 3rd May	10.30am	William Tyrrell, Mary Moriarty
Sunday 10th May	10.30am	

	Sat 9th 6.30 pm Clane	Sunday 10th 9.30am Clane	Sunday 10th 11.30am Clane	Sunday 10th 10.30am Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Patrcia O'Neill Peter O'Neill Padraig Carbury Diarmuid Coonan	Shirley O'Keefe James Plunkett Marie Wells Sheila Briody	Alice Corbett Yvonne Darragh Teresa Fadden Laura Duffy	Anne Giffney Esther Hendrick
Ministers of the Word	Michelle Kelleher Jean Ui Bhroin	Gerry Fagan Marguerite Lohan	Maura McCormack Padraig McEvoy	Brendan Weld
Basket Collectors (May)		Darragh O'Brien Paddy Moore James Plunkett	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford Donal O'Brien	

5th Sunday of Easter

3rd May 2026

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Charity Number 20015848

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

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

www.claneparish.com

WebCam/Live Streaming

www.claneparish.com

and on churchservices TV

f www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage

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Prayer to discover Your Vocation

Almighty God,

You have made me to know you,

To love you, and to serve you,

And thereby to find and fulfil myself.

I know that you are in all things

And that every path can lead me to you,

But, of them all,

There is one path especially

By which you want me to come to you.

Since I will do what you want of me,

I pray you; send your Holy Spirit to me;

Into my mind to show me

What you want of me;

Into my heart to give me the

determination to do it,

And to do it with all my love,

With all my mind,

And with all my strength,

Right to the end.

Amen.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Sponsored by
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane

Tuesday 28th April 2026

3, 9, 26, 28

No winner of Jackpot

3 x €50 Winners

Annabel Fagan, Bridget Bergin,
Edel & Lauren O'Connor

Promoters Draw

2 x €50 prize winners

Donal O'Brien, Benevolent Fund

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 4,200

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



Eucharist Adoration
10.30am - 11am Fridays (after 10am Mass)
All Welcome!

Thought for the Week

May your love be upon us O'Lord as we place all our hope in you.

Our Parish

A Community of believers in Jesus,
open, welcoming, using our gifts and
talents to nurture and promote Justice,
Love and Peace and to experience and
advance The Kingdom of God.

Kildare & Leighlin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

Bishop Denis Nulty invites you to join
with him and Parishioners from across
the Diocese at the Shrine of Our Lady of
Knock on Sunday 7th June 2026,
ceremonies begin at 2.30pm
in the Basilica.

Loving God, as we light this candle,
May it be symbol of your light and love
in our home and in our lives today.
We ask a special blessing on all of us,
on our neighbours, on our friends,
on the lonely, and on all who are away
from home surround us
with your protection and light
Be a bright flame before us.
Be a guiding light above us.
Be a warm welcome ahead of us,
And as we journey on through the year
ahead may we share our light with those
we meet on our way.
Amen.

Feast days during the week:

Monday 4th - St. Conleth of Kildare
Tuesday 5th - Blessed Edmund Rice, Waterford
Friday 8th - Blessed John Sullivan S.J. Clane

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
Frances Ennis

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

Basket € 1,388.02
Envelopes € 847.25

Fr Liam Lawton Concert

On 15 February 2026, Fr Liam received a
papal award for his distinguished service
to the Church as a composer and
performer of sacred music.
As many supporters could not attend, a
second celebration with the same
programme and performers will take place
on **Sunday, May 24, at 8pm**
in St Mary's Church, Edenderry.
Following recent renovations of the
Church, the concert will raise funds to
continue this work. Tickets will be
available via Facebook, Instagram, the
Parish website, and in limited supply at
the Parish Centre. High demand is
expected, so early purchase and arrival are
advised, as some seating will have
restricted views.

Blessed John Sullivan S.J.

Annual Birthday Mass

will be celebrated in Clongowes Wood
College on **10th May 2026 at 3pm**
Principal Celebrant and Homilist,
Bishop Denis Nulty
Further details contact
Cait Cullen 087-3126 241

Parish Safeguarding Representatives
Fr Paul O'Boyle, Sean O'Hara, Aisling Behan
Diocesan Designated Liaison Person
Ailish Higgins dlp@kandle.ie 085 802 1633

Knock Pilgrimage to Pray for Peace in the Holy Land

People from all over Ireland are invited
to Knock Shrine on Saturday May 16, for
a special pilgrimage to pray for peace in
the Holy Land. The pilgrimage
– organised by the papal charity Aid to
the Church in Need – will be led by
Bishop William Shomali from
Bethlehem.
Bishop Shomali will offer a message of
hope at 11am, and celebrate Mass
at 3pm. All are welcome.
More information
at www.acnireland.org

National Epilepsy Week 2026

takes place on 18th May - 25th May.

For further information,
please visit [www.epilepsy.ie/content/
national-epilepsy-week-2026-epilepsyweek](http://www.epilepsy.ie/content/national-epilepsy-week-2026-epilepsyweek).

Memorial Service

A memorial service for those who have
died by suicide is being held on
Friday 8th May at 7.30pm
in Our Lady & St Joseph Church, Caragh,
Co Kildare W91 AE73. All are welcome.

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