Our Faithful Departed......Martin Forkan, Manchester, brother of Teresa Mullen,,

Fr Eric Cantillon, Clongowes Wood College,

Mary Balfe, Rathvilly, sister of Paddy & Mick Gill,

Sean O'Connor, Clones, Father of Pat O'Connor,

Geraldine O'Loughlin, Portlaoise, neice of Michael Brickley,

Sean Morrissey, Liverpool, formerly of Baltracey.....may they rest in peace, Amen.

Masses for the Week

<u>Clane</u>					
Saturday 9th April	6.30pm	Shirley Barnes O'Reilly (First Anniversary), Jim Brien,			
		Therese Moore, Joseph Higgins, Brigid & Joseph Maguire,			
		Eddie Stokes, Norah Cronin, Kay Boland			
Sunday 10th April	9.30am	George & Nellie Delaney, Jim Losty (Birthday Rmembrance)			
		Margaret Murphy (Birthday Remembrance)			
	11.30am	Kathleen Reilly, Grace McLoughlin, Stephen O'Brien,			
		Mary Sharkey, Lily Casey			
Monday 11th April	10.00am				
Tuesday 12th April	10.00am	May & Billy Bryan			
Wed 13th April	10.00am				
Thursday 14th April	10.00am	People of the parish			
Friday 15th April	10.00am	Sick of the parish			
Saturday 16th April	10.00am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion			
	6.30pm	Raymond (Ray) Crowe (First Anniversary), Muriel Carew,			
		Michael (Mick) Giblin			
Sunday 17th April	9.30am	People of the Parish			
	11.30am	Joseph McCormack, Timothy Buckley			
Rathcoffey					
Sunday 10th April	10.30am	Dominic Burke			
Sunday 17th April	10.30am	Martin Hendrick			

	Saturday 16th 6.30pm	Sunday 17th 9.30am	Sunday 17th 11.30am	Sunday 17th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	E Behan Diarmuid Coonan Cyril Creaven Mary Deay John Duffy	John Curley Eleanor Cunney Laura Duffy Rose Ennis Anne Fadden	Kathleen Browne Joe Malone Maureen Marron Jack McCormack Yvonne Darragh	Brendan Weld Ray Barry Imelda Coynr Morgan
Ministers of the Word	Noeleen Conboy MarieCunningham Nick Fitzgerald	Brenda Naser Sheila Briody Michael Clifford	John Farrelly Marie Keogh Claire McManus Crainie	Bernie Barry Aisling Behan
Basket Collectors (April)	Tom Casey Joe Higgins Mick Gill	Maurice Shortt Nick Fitzgerald Paddy Moore	Damian McCaffrey Mick Richardson PJ Sheridan	
Service of the	Word and Holy C	Communion Sat 16th	Sheila Briody, Una Duffy	

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Fifth Sunday of Lent

10th April 2011

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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 9.30am – 4pm Saturday 10.30am – 1pm

Phone: 045-861393 Email: claneparish@eircom.net www.claneparish.com Fr Eric Cantillon SJ 1924—2011

We were deeply saddened to hear of the death of our friend Fr Eric Cantillon at Clongowes Wood College.

Fr Eric was a gentle, humble and kind man. We remember with gratitude his presence with us in the parish at Mass and other special occasions.

He served the people of Staplestown and Cooleragh for over thirty years.

He will be fondly remembered by so many.

We extend our sympathy to his family, his Jesuit community, and to his many friends. May his gentle soul rest in peace.

Ar dheis de go raibh sé.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW Tuesday 5th April 2011 17, 23, 25, 26

No winner of this weeks Jackpot 3 x €50 prize winners

> R Cooper, Aidan Dunne Tony O'Mara

Promoters Draw – 2 x €50 prize winners

Teresa Galvin, Mary McDonagh

2 x €25 prize winners

Noel Fogarty, Darragh O'Brien

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 8,500

Weekly Lotto tickets are available from your local Promoter or the Parish Shop.

> Minimum €300 worth of prizes every week.

Our Parish Novena

Our Annual Parish Novena of Hope takes place during the month of May on Monday evenings in Clane Parish Church, with Mass at 7.30pm. We invite each of our guest speakers to share a little of their faith and their life story.

Monday May 9th

Baroness Nuala O'Loan Former police ombudsman in Northern Ireland

Monday May 16th

Ronan Sweeney

Kildare Footballer Monday May 23rd

Brian Crowley MEP

Monday May 30th

Catherina McKiernan

Former Euoropean Cross Country Champion

Many thanks to all those who supported the fundraising table guiz organised by the Clane & Rathcoffey parish world youth day group. We appreciate it very much.

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Lotto

We would like to remind all those who wish to renew their Annual Subscription or return ticket stubs can do so at the Parish Shop during the week or in the Parish Centre each Tuesday between 7.30pm and 8.45pm.

Congratulations

To Wyn and Lorcan Hassett and to Breda and Pa Connolly. Both couples celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversaries recently. Ad Multos Annos.

St. John of God Kildare Services

provides services for children and adults with an intellectual disability. We are seeking volunteers to assist service users to participate in a range of recreational and daily living activities.

A few hours of your time is enough to make a real difference.

For further information contact: Volunteer Co-ordinator, St. John of God Kildare Services, St. Raphael's, Celbridge, Co. Kildare. Tel: 01-6012451

Scoil Mhuire

All of us in the community are very proud of the tremendous efforts which the Scoil Mhuire Senior Football Team made in last weekend's All Ireland Final. They lost out narrowly after extra time to a fine Roscommon C.B.S. Team. We congratulate the team, their trainers. Padraig Carbery and Peter Carr and the wonderful support which they enjoyed on the day.

We welcome members of the team to the 11.30am Mass on Sunday 10th April, where they will be joined by members of the Clongowes Senior Rugby team, winners last month of the Leinster Schools Senior Rugby Cup.

Clane Local History Group Joe Lyons will give a talk entitled Come Racing in Clane on Wednesday 13th April in Clane GAA at 8pm. All are welcome to attend.

Thought for the Week

We cannot discover new oceans unless we lose sight of the shore.

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

Clane Parish Shop Saturday 16th April Catherine Murphy Clane Altar Society

Mamie O'Connell Frances Ennis

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

€ 1392.63 Basket **Envelopes** € 1178.84

The 2010 Goal Mile, postponed due to bad weather at Christmas will now take place on Easter Sunday morning 10am— 1pm in Clane GAA. All welcome.

RATHCOFFEY G.A.A. LOTTO RESULTS 3rd April 2011. Jackpot: € 10,700 Numbers drawn: 1, 12, 16, 22 There was no winner. In-house winner. Ger Toman Sellers Prize: Paddy Travers €20 to each of the following; Jennifer Behan, . Paddy Travers, Dom Tyrell, . F.P.P. c/o Tom Travers Jackpot next week: € 10,800.

Schedules for the

Kildare Animal Foundation Annual Dog walk Sunday 17th April at 3pm. Its a 3km walk from the animal foundation. Refeshments on return and we will also be holding a raffle. Donations to be made on the day. For more information call 045522929 or email on info@animalfoundation.ie

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