

Our Faithful Departed...

**Maureen McCormack (née Boland), Park View, Clane/ Skryne, Meath, Wexford
Marjorie Kelleher, College Road**

...may they rest in peace, Amen

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 29th June 6.30pm Charlie O'Neill, Ollie Delaney, Dennis Gibbons, Randy Roe, Deceased Members of the Burchell Family, the Horan Family, the Byrne Family, the Stafford Family

Sunday 30th June 9.30am Denis Gibbons, Michael, Christina, Malachy Fay

11.30am Claudette Blackman, Maureen & Paddy Loomam, Ruairi McDonnell, John O'Connell and Deceased Members of the O'Connell Family

Monday 1st July 10.00am Service of the Word and Holy Communion

Tuesday 2nd July 10.00am

Wed 3rd July 10.00am Morning Prayer

Thursday 4th July 10.00am Patrick (Paddy) Behan

Friday 5th July 10.00am Deceased Members of the McDonald Family, Helen & Tom Strattan

Saturday 6th July 6.30pm Brady Noolan, Patrick Doody, Margaret Doody, John Keena and Deceased Members of the Keena Family, Paula Kavanagh, Patrick Browne

Sunday 7th July 9.30am

11.30am

Rathcoffey

Sunday 30th June 10.30am Baby David Mayock, Fr. Eoin McCrystal

Sunday 7th July 10.30am Dominick & Delia Noone, their Granddaughter Gretta, Norah, Peig, Pauline, Joe & Jean Noone

	Sat 6th 6.30 pm	Sunday 7th 9.30am	Sunday 7th 11.30am	Sunday 7th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Anne Behan Elizabeth Behan Padraig Carbury Cyrena Hayes	Margaret McDonald Shirley O'Keefe James Plunkett Marie Wells	Teresa Fadden Laura Duffy Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara	Deirdre Brilly Ray Barry
Ministers of the Word	Sean Fanning Melissa Lyons	Darragh O'Brien Pat O'Connor	Margaret Maguire Maura McCormack	Sara Egan
Basket Collectors (July)		Darragh O'Brien Paddy Moore John Sullivan	Seán O'Hara Philip Comerford Donal O'Brien	

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2024

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2024

13th Sunday In Ordinary Time

30th June 2024

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Parish Charity Number 20015848

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

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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 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/

They say that every crisis presents an opportunity. This was certainly the case for Saint Ignatius of Loyola (1491-1556), a soldier from Basque Spain, who was wounded in battle on 20 May 1521. His long convalescence proved to be a decisive turning point in his life. Ignatius observed that, while worldly successes would bring fleeting happiness, his deepest fulfillment could only be found in God. Hence the motto of the Society of Jesus (Jesuits) that he founded: Ad majorem Dei gloriam. Everything about his life would be 'to the greater glory of God'. Ignatius believed that God has a specific calling for each person. His Spiritual Exercises (1548) invite us to dispose ourselves to God's will. We can do that when we face a major decision, and even daily, as we review each day's events. Lord, may all that I do give you glory. Amen.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Sponsored by
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane
Tuesday 25th June 2024

7, 12, 23, 29

No Winner of this week's Jackpot

3 x €50 Winners

Sean Brilly, Trish Connolly,
Conor Noonan

Promoters Draw

2 x €50 prize winners

Benevolent Fund, Eileen O'Brien

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 5,600

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

Feastdays during the week

Monday 1st - St. Oliver Plunkett, Armagh
Wednesday 3rd - St. Thomas, Apostle
Thursday 4th - St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Saturday 8th - St. Maria Goretti

Thought for the Week

What is in your Treasure box? Lord give us you light to know what is of lasting value.

Parish Walk Day - DATE CHANGED to Saturday July 20th

Leaving Clane Church at 9am.
Returning by 4pm.

Taking cars to begin walk visiting Poor
Clare Monastery Carlow,
Killeshin Church and Stradbally
Mass Rock, Co. Laois.

A time to reflect, connect and pray
together. All welcome!

Definite numbers needed by Monday
1st July to Clane Parish Shop.

Contact: 045-861 393 between 10.30-12.30
or leave a message

**A warm welcome to Bishop Paul
Dempsey** auxiliary in Dublin Diocese
who will celebrate the 6.30pm Mass
next Saturday July 6th in Clane.
All are welcome!

Gaza Appeal

We thank the generous people of
the Parish for their donations of
€ 4,656 towards our recent Church
Appeal for Gaza which has been sent
to Unicef, Ireland.

The Abbey Cemetery

Fr. Paul will celebrate
the **Annual Mass**
at The Abbey Cemetery in Clane on
Thursday July 4th at 7.30pm.
All are most welcome.

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

Clane Altar Society

Many thanks to those
who contributed,
and those who
collected and counted
Basket € 1,635.27
Envelopes € 1,173.21

Little Wing Films are developing a
documentary about elderly adult
siblings who have lived together their
whole lives.

The Dublin—based film company is
interested in hearing individual and
shared stories and exploring the
dynamics of this type of family unit,
which is now much less prevalent in
Ireland than it once was.

If you or somebody you know would
like to hear more about the project,
please call producer, Maria Horgan,
on (085) 739 6369. You can also email
at pauline@littlewingfilms.com
Find out more about Little Wing Films
at
<https://www.littlewingfilms.com/>

Mary, gentle mother, by my teacher –
for the quiet times of my life,
the silences when nothing great seems
to happen. Let me ripen in the gentle
sun of God's love for me, and bear fruit
that brings joy and light to others.
Amen

Parish Safeguarding Representatives
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Eucharistic Adoration

Clane Church
10.30am - 11am Fridays
(after 10am Mass)
All Welcome!

Care in the evening of Life

Doctors and nurses can achieve
impressive results with the help of
modern technology, but there comes a
time when even they have to say that
further treatment will not be of any
use to the person who is sick.
This news is difficult to communicate
sensitively and even more difficult to
receive. This is where family and
friends often come into their own,
with the continuing support of
chaplains, nurses and doctors. The
ending of treatment is not the ending
of life; it is the beginning of another
stage of life, when the sick person will
be accompanied and cared for,
physically, emotionally and spiritually.
Pain relief is part of that, but there is
so much more to palliative care.
Often it is not so much what we **do**
that makes the difference, but simply
the fact that **we are present**, and that
we are ready to listen.

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