

Our Faithful Departed...

Helen Christie (née Burke) Gorey, Wexford / Clane
 ...may she rest in peace, Amen

Clane

Masses for the Week

Saturday 7th Dec	6.30pm	Noreen Bowler (Months Mind), Margaret Brickley (Birth Rem), Mick Brickley, David & Ann Prendergast, Joseph Horan, Tommy Ennis, Liam Dunne
Sunday 8th Dec	9.30am	Eileen Kelly
	11.30am	Joe, Nora & Joy McConnell, Pauline Veronica (Ronnie) Canning, Rita Breen, Pat O'Connell, Bridget Cissbhen
Monday 9th Dec	10.00am	
Tuesday 10th Dec	10.00am	Phylis Carroll, Joan Ellen Flynn
Wed 11th Dec	10.00am	Morning Prayer
Thursday 12th Dec	10.00am	
Friday 13th Dec	10.00am	
Saturday 14th Dec	6.30pm	Seamus & Lily Moore, Patrick & Mary Moore, Jean Fortune, Thomas & Elizabeth Ryan, Brigid Smullen, Denis Meehan, Louise Fall, Donal Doolan, Jack & John Doran, Paddy Mullen & son Kiernan, Andrew, Ann & Billy Dunne and Deceased Family Members, Edward, Julia & Sonny Mahony and Deceased Family Members, Deceased Members of The Mitchell Family, Kathleen Farrell & Deceased Members of The Farrell & Flynn Families
Sunday 15th Dec	9.30am	Fr. Tom Fennell, Sydney, Australia
	11.30am	James Foley, Mary O'Brien, Jack Breslin, Nicholas & Mary Keary, Dermot Day Keary, Sr. Mary Keary, Seamus Morrissey, Peggy & Christy Maguire, Joe Higgins

Rathcoffey

Sunday 8th Dec	10.30am	Bridget Galvin (1st anniv), Tom & Christina Moore
Sunday 15th Dec	10.30am	Bridget Muldoon (Months Mind), John Dunne

	Sat 14th 6.30 pm	Sunday 15th 9.30am	Sunday 15th 11.30am	Sunday 15th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Diarmuid Coonan Bernie Corbett Marie Cribbin Cyrena Hayes	Marie Wells Sheila Briody Matthew Cribbin Cait Cullen	Margaret Maguire Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara Rose Sullivan	Anne Giffney Esther Hendrick
Ministers of the Word	Patricia O'Neill John Farrelly	John Power Marie Kelly	Rose Sullivan Stephanie Muldoon	Donal Travers
Basket Collectors (December)	Joe Horan	Darragh O'Brien Paddy Moore Jonathan McCann	P. J. Sheridan	

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2024

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2024

Second Sunday Of Advent

8th December 2024

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Parish Charity Number 20015848

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

Parish Contacts

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 Prosperous Road, Clane
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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

www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage/

There will be a Mass
 in Clane Church at 10am
 on **Monday December 9th 2024**
 to celebrate the Feast Of
 The Immaculate Conception Of
 The Blessed Virgin Mary.

Pilgrim Blessing

May the babe of the Bethlehem
 by yours to tend;
 May the boy of Nazareth
 be yours for friend;
 May the Man of Galilee
 his healing send;
 May the Christ of Clavary
 his courage lend;
 May the Risen Lord
 his presence send;
 And his holy angels defend you,
 to the end.



PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Sponsored by
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane
Tuesday 3rd December 2024

1, 6, 7, 13

No Winner of this week's Jackpot

3 x €50 Winners

Martin Monaghan, Shirley O'Keeffe,
G Glynn Foundation

Promoters Draw

2 x €50 prize winners

Benevolent Fund, Darragh O'Brien

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 10,200

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

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

Thought for the Week

Steadfast love surrounds those who trust in the Lord. (Psalm 32)

Carol Service

Our Parish Carol Service will be
on Sunday **December 15th 2024 at 6pm**
in Clane Parish Church. All Are Welcome.

Crib Exhibition

An exhibition of Christmas Cribbs from
around the World will take place
in Clane Church at the
6.30pm Mass on **December 14th** and
at the 9.30am Mass on **December 15th**.

Clane Union Of Parishes

CAKE SALE

Sunday 15th December

10am-12.30pm

Clane Parish Centre

Cakes, Biscuits, Tarts, Jams,
Bread and Gluten Free Goods.

Parish Calendar

Our 2025 Parish Calendar is now on sale
at €5 in Clane Parish Shop. Some lovely
photos of Parish and Community Life.

Suaimhneas News

'Drawing from the Well of Spiritual

Practice' with Dominic Cogan

<https://dominiccogan.com>

November 11th to December 16th
at 7.30pm on Mondays.

To book please text or call Terri
on 086 3226915 or email:
thesuaimhneascentre@gmail.com

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

Clane Altar Society

Ann Fadden
Fionnuala Conroy

Many thanks to those who
contributed,
and those who
collected and counted
Basket € 1,615.86
Envelopes € 890.00

Clane St. Vincent de Paul Society held

Christmas Collection at Masses last weekend.
Total collected was €7,688.74.
The Members thank the community of Clane
for their great support as always.

Clane Community Council invites you,
your family and friends
to the official **switching on of the**
Christmas Lights in Clane and the
presentation of the Claonadh Award.

Sunday December 8th at 4:30pm
in the Abbey Community Centre -
we hope you can make it!

A Christmas Carol

directed by Cyrena Hayes

Prosperous Dramatic Society Panto 2024

DATES: 14th-15th & 21st-22nd of December
@ 1.30pm and 5pm

TICKETS:

<http://prosperousdrama.eventbrite.com/>
Prosperous theatre (beside the church)

Feastdays during the week

Monday 9th - The Immaculate conception of The
Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday 10th - Our Lady of Loreto
Thursday 12th - Our Lady of Guadalupe

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

Jubilee Year 2025
December 24th 2024 to 6th January 2026
Pope Francis has proclaimed 2025 to be the
Ordinary Jubilee or Holy Year 2025. The Bull
of Indiction was given at St John Lateran
basilica on the solemnity of the Ascension
and its reflections are quoted on several
pages of this Calendar, including the year's
opening and closing dates. Pope Francis
writes, 'For all of us, may the Jubilee be an
opportunity to be renewed in hope. God's
word helps us find reasons for that hope.'

Irish Catholic Bishop's Conference Digital Advent Calendar

The Irish catholic Bishops' Conference are
delighted to be bringing you our digital
Advent Calendar again this year.
Advent marks the beginning of the new
calendar year for Christians. The digital
Advent calendar offers a distinctive and
spiritually enriching way to journey
through this holy season. Based on the
Jubilee Year's theme of *#Hope*, the 2024
calendar offers prayers and resources
designed to guide individuals, families and
faith communities to reflect on the hope
that Christ brings to the world, while also
preparing for the upcoming Holy Jubilee
Year in 2025.

To access the calendar please visit:
[https://www.catholicbishops.ie/
adventcalendar/](https://www.catholicbishops.ie/adventcalendar/)

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WWW.CLANEPARISH.COM
WWW.RATHCOFFEYPARISH.COM
WWW.KANDLE.IE (Diocesan website)