

**Scathe Na Sionnaine Pastoral Area –Castleconnell - Clonlara – Killaloe**

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[castleconnellchurch@gmail.com](mailto:castleconnellchurch@gmail.com) Mass Times - Castleconnell Saturday 6.30pm.  
Sunday 11.30am - Ahane 10.00am - Killaloe Fr. James Grace 061376137  
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**Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

The door is closed against the bridesmaids who did not keep vigil nor trim their lamps. The concern of the Christian should be readiness for the call of the Lord, to seek the light of Christ in daily living, and to keep burning brightly the light received at baptism.

**Mass Intentions this Week**

Castleconnell 6.30pm 11<sup>th</sup> November

Teddy Murphy (Ann)

Castleconnell 11.30am 12<sup>th</sup> November

Greg Mackey (1st Ann) Seamus Ahern (Annaholty) and deceased family members.

Timmy Murnane (Ann)

Ahane 10.00am 12<sup>th</sup> November

Doris Fahy (Ann)

Ahane 7.30pm 17<sup>th</sup> November

John Hammond (1<sup>st</sup> Ann)

**Mass Intentions next Week**

Castleconnell 6.30pm 18<sup>th</sup> November

Pat and Julia Aherne (Ann) Bridget and Michael Bourke (Ann) Kathy Spillane (Ann)

Deceased members of the Bridgeman family (Ann)

Castleconnell 11.30am 19<sup>th</sup> November

Terence Maguire (Ann) Michael and Teresa Meehan & Pat and Madge Kane (Lacca)

Andrew Walsh (Ann)

Ahane 10.00am 19<sup>th</sup> November

Jack, Mary, and Liz Roche and deceased family members (Ann)

**St. Vincent's Lisnagry** Mass at 4.00pm every Saturday. All are welcome.

**Lay Led Liturgy** Every Monday, led by the Pastoral Council. All are welcome.

**Eucharistic Adoration** Every Thursday from 10am to 1pm. You are welcome to visit the Blessed Sacrament during these hours.

**Money Matters Offertory** €1,265. Thank you for your continued support.

Masses from St. Joseph's Church Castleconnell are being streamed for live viewing on our Webcam: [www.castleconnellparish.ie](http://www.castleconnellparish.ie). Mass can also be heard on Radio 106.3fm

**Stradbally Graveyard - Remembering the Dead**

Prayers will continue in Stradbally Cemetery for the month of November.

**Enrolment Ceremonies for Children preparing for the Sacraments in 2024**

1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion - Castleconnell and Lisnagry N.S. this Tuesday, Nov, 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. in Castleconnell Church.

Confirmation – Castleconnell and Lisnagry NS. this Thursday, Nov 16<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. in Castleconnell Church.

Ahane N.S. 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion and Confirmation this Wednesday, Nov 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. in Ahane Church.

**November Masses for Holy Souls**

People like to have their departed families and friends remembered at the November Masses in the parish. We invite you to put the names of your deceased members in the November Envelopes available in both Churches and at the Parish office.

**Mass of the Faithful Departed 2023**

November Mass will be celebrated in St Joseph's Church Castleconnell on Thursday, 30<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00pm for parishioners of our parish who have died in the last year. All are welcome.

**Change of Parish Secretary** We welcome Val Foley who has been appointed as Parish Secretary. Office hours will continue the same. We thank Peggy, who is now retiring, for her dedicated service to the Parish.

**Adult Faith Formation - Pathway to Advent.**

All interested to deepen their experience of the Mass are invited to a short series of talks and discussion on the theme "Assembling for Mass all together now!" Followed by a facilitated discussion. Night 2. Wednesday, November, 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Pastoral Centre Church Rd, Nenagh Time – 8pm until 9.15pm.

**Reflection**

November comes and November goes, with the last red berries and the first white snows. With night coming early and dawn coming late, and ice in the bucket and frost by the gate. The fire burns and the kettles sing, and earth sinks to rest until next Spring.