

Scathe Na Sionnaine Pastoral Area –Castleconnell - Clonlara – Killaloe
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castleconnellchurch@gmail.com. Mass Times - Castleconnell Saturday 6.30pm,
Sunday 11.30am. - Ahane 10.00am - **Killaloe** Fr. James Grace 061 376137
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Feast of The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph The Holy Family is seen as the model for the human family, the religious community, and the Church itself.

Mass Intentions this Week

Castleconnell	6.30pm	30th December
Elizabeth Bird (Ann)		
Castleconnell	11.30am	31st December
Private Intention		
Ahane	10.00am	31st December
Dympna Davern (1 st Ann), Essie Hammond & deceased family members (Ann)		

Mass Intentions next Week

Castleconnell	6.30pm	6th January
Mary Collins & Jimmy Coffey (Ann), May Moloney (Ann)		
Castleconnell	11.30am	7th January
Pauline Fitzpatrick (Ann), Jerry Flannery (Ann)		
Ahane	10.00am	7th January
Con Ryan and Josie Ryan		

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

Morning Mass in Castleconnell Mon 1st Jan – Fri Jan 5th - 10.00am

Morning Mass in Ahane Monday 1st Jan – 10.00 am

Pray for the repose of the soul of Bridget Beggleton of Chapel Hill, and Sheila Bridget Wilk, who was laid to rest in New York during the week. May they rest in peace.

Eucharistic Adoration This Thursday from 10.30am to 11.30am. You are welcome to visit the Blessed Sacrament during these hours. Anyone wishing to access the Padre Pio glove can arrange to do so by contacting 087-6375792.

Money Matters Offertory collection - €4,310. Thank you for your continued support.



May the New Year fill your home with joy,
your heart with love, and your life with laughter
and may God bless you today and every day.

Masses from St. Joseph's Church Castleconnell are being streamed for Live viewing on our Webcam. www.castleconnellparish.ie. Mass can also be heard on Radio 106.3fm..

Parish Envelopes 2024 Parish envelopes will be available for collection from members of the Pastoral Council at the end of all Masses this weekend.

A sincere word of thanks to all who contributed towards the Christmas Priests' Collection your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Many thanks to all who prepared and played a special part in our Christmas liturgies' making them such lovely celebrations of the Lord's birth.

Much appreciation to all who cleaned and decorated our Churches ensuring they looked their best and most beautiful for Christmas.

A New Year Wish

May God make 2024 a happy one,
not by shielding you from all sorrows and pain,
But by strengthening you to bear it as it comes;
not by making your path easy,
but by making you sturdy to travel any path;
not by taking hardships from you, but by taking the fears from your heart;
Not by granting you unbroken sunshine;
but by keeping your face bright even in the shadows;
Not by making your life always pleasant,
but by showing you when people and their causes need you most
and by making you anxious to be there to help.
May the dawn of this New Year fill your
heart with new hopes, open up new horizons,
and bring you promises of bright tomorrows.