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Easter Sunday

Christ is risen, Alleluia. This is the ancient Christian greeting on this day of great joy and happiness for all. 'Easter is not simply one feast among others, but the feast of all feasts'

Mass intentions this week				
<u>Castleconnell</u> Seanie Ryan, (1st Ann).	<u>11:30am</u>	20 th Apr		
Ahane	<u>10:00am</u> Kennedy (Ann)	20 th Apr		
Larry O'Grady (Ann), Winnie & Denis Kennedy (Ann). Mass intentions next week				
Castleconnell Pat McNamara (1 st Ann), Delohery F	<u>6:30pm</u> amily, Montpelier.	26 th Apr		

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> There will be no Eucharistic Adoration this Thursday, 24th April. From Thursday 1st May Eucharistic Adoration will return to the Church every Thursday from 10am to 1pm. You are welcome to visit the Blessed Sacrament during these hours.

<u>**Pray for the repose of the soul**</u> of Patricia O'Reilly, St. Patrick's Villas and Dolores Hogan (nee Hourigan) of Annagh, who died recently. May they rest in peace.

<u>Money Matters</u> Offertory collection €1,550. Many thanks for your ongoing generous support and also many thanks to those who donate on line.



<u>**Priests' Easter Collection**</u> will be taken up at all Masses this weekend. Your continued support is very much appreciated.

Thank You Many thanks to all who helped prepare for and participated in all the ceremonies throughout Holy Week. Your help and co-operation is very much appreciated.

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

<u>**Trocaire Lenten Collection</u>** Please return all Trocaire boxes to the Parish Office. Many thanks for your continued kind and generous support.</u>

<u>Castleconnell Parish Hall</u> We are delighted to welcome the grant of €23,000 received recently towards the restoration of the facilities. A big thank you to all the members of the Hall Committee for their hard work and huge efforts in getting the facilities restored. This grant is most welcome and will ensure the centre will continue at the heart of the community in Castleconnell.

In the middle of every difficulty lies opportunity John Phayer will deliver a talk: "In the middle of every difficulty lies opportunity: Mary Anne O' Brien: How a Limerick City lady established the Convent of Mercy, Newport, Co. Tipperary." This lecture commences on 23rd April in the Lakeside Hotel, Killaloe @ 7:30pm. Admission is free and all are welcome.

<u>Blood Donation Clinic</u> Castletroy Park Hotel, Tues 22nd and Wed 23rd April, 4.50 – 8.10pm. New donors are welcome. Appointments can be booked at 1800 222 111

An Easter Blessing

May the Lord bless you this Easter time: Bless you with faith, guard you in doubt. Bless you with love, keep you from fear. Bless you with peace, calm you in trouble. Bless you with mercy, help you forgive. Bless you with joy, comfort you in sorrow, So your heart may rejoice in the Risen Lord.



<u>Mass Times</u>

St Joseph's, Castleconnell:- Mon – Fri 09.30, Sat 6.30 pm, Sun 11.30 am St Patrick's, Ahane:- Sun 10.00 am , St Vincent's, Lisnagry:- Sat 4.00 pm

MAY THE SEASON OF EASTER BRING YOU RENEWED HOPE AND BLESSINGS AND MAY THE JOY OF THE RISEN CHRIST BE WITH YOU ALL.