Newsletter 22nd November 2020

Anniversaries:

Sunday 22nd November 11.00 am

Malachy & Mary Clancy Cooga & their children Teresa, Sean & David & Uncle Ned Hayes Anniversaries

Nonie & Tommy Treacy Glengar. Anniversaries.

Cillian Shanahan Shalee Nenagh 1st anniversary

Mrs Ellie Howard Assumption Terrace Months Mind

Sunday 29th November 11.00 am

We remember all who have died in our Parish since this time last year.

Weekly Envelopes:

A big thank you to all who continue to support your Parish through the weekly envelope. You may put them in the secure boxes in the church or put them in the letterbox of the parochial house. Donations may also be made on line by visiting the Parish Website doonparish.ie

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. (St Alphonsus de Liguori)

Church Opening Times:

The Church is open each day after Mass until 6pm for personal prayer.

November Masses for the Dead: Every November our thoughts and prayers turn to our loved ones who have died. Our faith tells us that our prayers and Masses can help them. The November envelopes are available in the Church. When collecting your envelope, if you know a neighbour or neighbours who would appreciate an envelope, please take one for them. Please return as soon as possible to the secure boxes in the Church or the parochial house.

A Prayer of Remembrance

God, Thank you for the special people in our lives whom we are remembering in a special way during the month of November. We thank you for being a compassionate God who walks with us in our dark moments of grief and loneliness. We are thankful for all who continue to love and support us through our grief. Lord, continue to be a light for us, giving us hope, direction and courage. May we now live our lives treasuring the memories of those special people we have known and loved and help us to bring light and hope to others. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Remember

Remember those who kept the Faith who always turned to pray, who showed the Love of Jesus in their lives from day to day. Remember those this special time, who live with God above, all Saints, all Souls and all our own who live with God in Love. Amen

November Cemetery Prayers:

Due to Covid 19 Level 5 restrictions it is not possible to gather as usual for cemetery prayers at 3pm each Sunday. Prayers will be said after 11.00 Mass each Sunday of November and will be broadcast on the Parish Radio.

Online Scripture Reflections:

A series of six weekly scripture reflections is being offered online each Monday evening 7:30-9pm Mon 2 Nov – Mon 7 Dec. The title is: 'Experiencing God's Word – allowing Isaiah's perspective to inform our lives.' Registration is essential. Further queries, email bibleincashelandemly@gmail.com. Please feel free to forward this invitation to others.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am – 8pm, by phoning 0818 222 024.

Team Hope - Christmas Shoebox Appeal 2020

The 2020 Christmas Shoebox Appeal is going to be run a little differently. Due to the effects of Covid-19 restrictions, it is not possible to send giftfilled shoe boxes from Ireland this year, so we're asking schools, families, friends, communities and businesses to #TeamUpForTeamHope by donating gift-filled shoeboxes online. These donations will allow our network of local partners in Africa and Eastern Europe to purchase items for shoeboxes, which will then be delivered straight into the hands of children affected by poverty. Often these shoeboxes are the only gift that a child will receive at Christmas and the joy that they deliver is incredible. Although this year may be different, the need for shoebox gifts is more important than ever. Each gift- filled shoebox is €20 and can be done in minutes by logging in to www.teamhope.ie where you can simply donate or if you wish you can build your very own personalised box. For those of you who would like to get involved but are not online savvy you can drop a donation through my letterbox and I will donate it for you. Any queries please give me a call. Norah 087 9384583.

Doon GAA Notes

To Any of Our Elderly or Vulnerable Members/Friends of Doon GAA Struggling to Cope at This Difficult Time With Social Distancing Measures in Place. The Doon Seniors Will be Available to Help With Grocery Shopping, Picking up Pescriptions etc. Please Contact us Through our Facebook Page or Doon GAA Phone - 085 8045223

Lotto Numbers Monday, November 16th 2020.

Lotto Tickets Can Be Purchased in Doon at O' Sullivan's Centra & Damien Richardsons Butchers.

Cut Off Time for Online Sales is 6pm Every Monday.

Jackpot €14,000

Numbers Drawn 2-5-8-20.

Five Match 3s @ €30 each

- 1. Nóra Treacy, Gurtavalla.
- 2. Paul Anderson, Doon South.
- 3. Michael Nolan c/o Ann
- 4. Dolores Coleman, Cappawhite
- 5. Helen Cummins, Carrigmore.
- 10 Lucky Dips at €20 each
- 1. Sinéad Holmes, Gurtavalla.
- 2. Seán Fox, Doon.
- 3. Paddy McGrath c/o Con
- 4. Cormac Ryan (B) Gurtnagara
- 5. Josie McGrath c/o Con
- 6. Mike Butler Bahagha
- 7. John Franklin c/o Niall Maher
- 8. Johnny Butler Carrigbeg
- 9. Ann Costello Cappawhite
- 10. The 5 Stapleton's c/o Eddie

Next week's Jackpot €14,200. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on November 23rd 2020

Doon CBS Notes

Old clothes collection from now until Christmas holidays. Bags of clothes can be dropped to the school shed at any time. Thanks for your support.

Doon Community Council Notes Doon Senior citizens Christmas Dinner:

Due to the corona virus restrictions the annual senior citizen's party will not be taking place this year but instead we will be doing home delivery of Christmas dinners on Sunday 13th December from 12.30pm onwards. If you wish to avail of a dinner and are over 65 and / or living on your own, please collect an invite or ask someone to collect one for you from either Centra, McNamara's Hardware, Richardson's Butcher, the Post Office or the Chemist. Please return it to any of the above mentioned businesses by Monday 7th December.