

Newsletter 8th May 2022 (4th Sunday of Easter Vocations Sunday)

Anniversaries

Saturday 7th May 6.30

Michael & Mary Horrigan Cooga anniversaries

Jimmy Ryan Post Office anniversary

James Carew Main Street anniversary

Sunday 8th May 11.00

Saturday 14th May 6.30

Con Ryan Luke Glengar 1st anniversary

Catherine Quigley Toomaline anniversary

Sunday 15th May 11.00

Recently deceased: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Billy Duggan Croughmarka whose funeral took place during the week. Sympathy to the bereaved.

World Day of Prayer for Vocations, also known as Vocations Sunday or Good Shepherd Sunday, will be observed on this Sunday 8 May 2022.

The purpose of this day is to pray for vocations to priesthood and religious life and to reflect on these vocations of witness, love and service. We are all invited to “Pray the Lord of the harvest to send labourers into his harvest” (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2); that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord’s call to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life.

More information on vocations to the priesthood and diaconate can be found on www.vocations.ie. For religious life see www.vocationsireland.com

Masses this week :

Fr Jimmy is on leave recovering from surgery. Emergency Calls will be dealt with by Fr Dick Browne & Fr Joe Tynan. Fr Jim O’ Connor will cover weekends. There will be no weekday Mass during this time. Daily Mass in Cappawhite 9.30, Cappamore at 10.00am. Oola 10.00am Monday and Tuesday. Solohead 10.00am Thursday and Friday.

Mass is available each day live streamed from churchservices.tv. or churchcamlive.ie

Readers

A new rota is been drawn up if you were a previous reader and would like to continue with the ministry of the word please contact John O Brien [086 8586304](tel:0868586304)

Eucharistic Ministers next weekend. 14/15May

6.30 Nora Treacy **11.00** Eilín Uí Chuimín

Cleaning of Pews after Mass

We will continue to clean pews after Masses. Many hands make light work. If you can help please do and don’t leave it to the few.

Eucharistic Adoration Adoration each Wednesday from 3pm until 7pm. If you can give some of your time in Adoration please contact John O’ Brien, Marcia Mooney or Mary McLeod who will include your name on the Rota.

Congratulations

To the boys and girls of our primary schools who made their First Holy Communion today Saturday 7th May.

Dates for the Diary.

Cemetery Mass

Friday 29th July 2022 8pm. Please let family and friends know. A collection is taken up on the night to help defray the costs of the upkeep of our Cemetery.

The Legion of Mary: Weekly meetings will now take place in the Pastoral Centre at 7:30pm on Tuesday. Please note the new time for the duration of the summer.

The annual Acies ceremony will be held in Holy Cross Abbey at 7:30pm on Wednesday 11 May. All members and Auxiliary members are invited to attend.

The Rosary will be recited in the Church every Sunday of the month of May (1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th) at 6pm. All are welcome to join us. A bus is being organised from Doon to Knock for the 100th Anniversary of the founding of the Legion on 25th September. More details later.

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

Your financial support for your parish is very much appreciated and every contribution makes a difference. If a box is not delivered to you and you would like one please contact Fr Jimmy.

Please make cheques payable to **Doon Parochial A/C**. Basket collection taken up at weekend masses.

Doon Community Council Notes:

Split the Pot fundraiser continues every second Saturday and helps to raise vital funds for the running of the community centre. Tickets cost €2 each and are available from local businesses. Your continued support is much appreciated.

For bookings of hall or Astro Turf pitch: please text/phone 085 755 7318. Bookings must be made in advance.

Line Dancing: every Friday at 8.30pm in Doon Community Centre. Booking by text. Contact Pat 087 2577761.

Local taxi service: covering Cappamore, Doon, Cappawhite, Pallasgreaan etc. Limerick junction train transfers, Hospital appointments, g.p. visits, shopping, limerick city, Tipperary town. Phone 0851001381.

Doon Breakfast and after school club

Doon Breakfast & After School Club are now taking new bookings for the 2022/2023 school year.

We currently cater for children attending both primary schools in Doon. If your child attends a primary which we do not currently collect from please contact Jane on 085 7150087 & we'll discuss options

Doon GAA Notes

Lotto Numbers Monday May, 2nd 2022. Lotto Tickets can be purchased in Doon at O'Sullivan's Centra & Damien Richardson Butchers. Cut Off time for Online Sales is 8pm every Monday. Jackpot €16,800 Numbers Drawn 14-18-19-22.

Two Match 3 @ €30 each

1. M. Dunne, Lacka. 2. Nóra Power c/o John Power.

10 Lucky Dips at €20 each

1. Georgie Allis (Snr), Kilmoylan. 2. Denis Forrest, Gurtavalla. 3. Tim Fogarty, Doon.

4. Finn Holmes, Cappamore. 5. Paddy Allen, Carrigmore. 6. Mary Hourigan c/o Con McGrath.

7. Barry & Sheila Allis c/o Centra. 8. Michelle Butler, Carnahalla (Online).

9. John Horgan c/o Lorraine Ryan. 10. Tom Butler, Liscaugh.

Promoters Prize, €25: Caroline Coleman

Next week's Jackpot €17,000. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on May 9th 2022.

Well Done to Our Club Players Adam English, Chris Thomas, Cian O'Donovan & Eddie Stokes members of the Limerick U20 Panel who won the Munster Championship on Wednesday evening.

Best wishes to Ritchie, Darragh, Pat, Barry and Adam who play Tipperary on Sunday 8th May in The Munster Championship in the Gaelic Grounds.

Clothes collection closing the end of May.

Doon G.A.A's Annual Clothes Collection is Going Really Well. Any Items of Clothing, Shoes Belts, Bed Sheets Curtains etc would be welcomed. Bags Can Be Dropped Anytime at the Clubhouse Door Until The End of May. Mile buíochas as bhur dtacaíocht.

U7 & U9 Indoor Training. Saturday's at 9.00am. Nursery Training at 10.30am all in the Community Centre. Helmet, Hurley, Runners & Own Water Required. Assistance in helping out in any way would be appreciated. New children are always welcome.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje Departing from Shannon to Mostar September 7th to 14th. Half board accommodation full religious programme operated by Marian pilgrimages. Details from John O'Brien Group Leader Doon Co Limerick 086 8586304

Doon Badminton Club: every Monday from 8pm to 10pm in the main hall, community centre Doon. new and old members welcome, as well as over 16's (must be accompanied by parent or guardian). €5 on the night.

Foot care services available: Toenail cutting and filing, removal of ingrown and corns, reduction of callus and thickened nails. Treatment of verruca and fungal infections and diabetic foot care. Both male and female welcome. House call service available. Contact Josephine on 061 -381944/ 086-3972426.

Found

Set of car keys found in Doon graveyard. Please contact 087 6370080.

St. Michael's Day Care Centre Fundraising Concert.

Featuring Brendan Shine and special guests in the Community Centre, Cappamore on Friday, 27th May at 8 o'clock. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Tickets available from Peggy Sweeney, at the Day Care Centre (061 381034) or at the door on the night. Raffle for amazing hampers/prizes. Admission €20

Grean Drama Productions presents 'Da' by Hugh Leonard in Pallasgreen Community Centre on May 20th & 21st at 8pm and May 22nd at 3pm. Tickets €12.00. Over 12's only