

## **Newsletter 9th April 2023**

### **Anniversaries**

#### **Saturday 8th April 6.30**

James Carew Main Street anniversary

#### **Sunday 9th April Easter Sunday 11.00**

John Anderson Coolbawn 3rd anniversary

#### **Saturday 15th April 6.30**

PJ Byrnes Ballycushown anniversary

Norman Beresford and Margaret Dunne St Fintan's Terrace anniversaries

#### **Sunday 16th April 11.00**

Jerry & Chrissie Cummins Carrigmore anniversaries

Chrissy O' Meara Toomaline anniversary

**Pray for** the repose of the Soul of Pat Allis Kilmoylan reposing in Whites Funeral Home Sunday evening from 6.30 with removal to church at 8.00. Funeral Mass Easter Monday at 11.30. Burial in Doon Cemetery. Sympathy to the bereaved.

### **Masses this week : 10th - 14th April**

**No Mass Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday**

**Please return Trocaire Donations and if possible convert coin to notes for ease of banking.**

### **Ministers of the Eucharist & Readers for next weekend:**

**Please refer to your rota.**

### **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.**

### **Weekly Envelopes:**

Your financial support for your parish is very much appreciated and every contribution makes a difference. Please make cheques payable to Doon Parochial A/C. Basket collection taken up at weekend masses. Donations can also be made via parish website. Collection last weekend €820.00. A sincere thanks to all who contributed.

**Clergy Collection:** The second collection of four in the year was last weekend. The first clergy collection was €2,751.00 thanks to all who contributed. These collections go to the common fund from which all priests in the Archdiocese active, retired and sick receive an allowance. Target for this parish is €20,460.

**Choir Practice every Tuesday at 7pm in the Church. New members will be most welcome.**

**Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration** Annual Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday April 23rd Bus from Pallasgreen Contact John O'Brien 086 8586304 for more details God Bless thanking you John O'Brien

**Doon Community Council Notes:**

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

**The following were elected at our recent AGM**

Chairman: Tim O'Brien, Vice chairman: Tom Hayes, Secretary: Trevor Anderson, Asst. Secretary: Michael McNamara, Treasurer: Tony Berkery, Asst. Treasurer: Denis Duggan, P.R.O. Michael McNamara, Hall Bookings Manager: Alan O'Brien

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

**Doon Badminton Club:** every Monday and Thursday 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.

**Doon Social Club:** next walk will be Saturday the 22nd, meeting at O'Briensbridge, Parteen weir, Co. Clare at 12pm. Walk is 4km long and approx 1 hour 15 mins to complete. Fairly flat. Over 18's only and dog friendly.

**Doon GAA Notes**

Lotto Numbers Monday, April 3rd 2023. 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 €3,000. Numbers Drawn 1-13-18-30. Two Match 3 @ €30 each.

1. Bryan, Emma & Declan Heavey, Knocklong. 2. Michael Carew, Glengar.

10 Lucky Dips at €20 each

1. Stephen Ryan (B), Oola. 2. Josephine Ryan, Doon (Online). 3. Emma Harris, Assumption Tce (Online). 4. Tim O'Brien, Carrigbeg. 5. Mike Keogh, Clonlusk (Online). 6. Lucie Walsh c/o Ollie Walsh. 7. James Nolan, Cooga. 8. Laura Denisha, Lisowen (Online). 9. Paddy Anderson, Lisnakella. 10. Séamie Hayes & Anna Treacy, Kilmoylan. Promoters Prize, €25: Centra.

Next week's Jackpot €3,200. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on April 10th 2023.

**Best wishes** to Darragh, Ritchie, Adam and Barry and the Limerick Senior Hurling team and management who play Kilkenny in the League Final this Easter Sunday.

**Doon GAA Hurling Nursery** Every Saturday From 10am -11am. Boys and Girls aged 4-7. Contact George Allis 0879637319, Denis Moloney 0877831637. Spread the Word. All Welcome.

**Save The Date** For Doon G.A.A Cul Camp 17th July - 21st July. The Camp is Not Available Yet To Book But Will Be Released Soon.

**World Youth Day.** "Aged 18-35? Do you want to be part of the adventure of a lifetime? Why not travel to Lisbon next August 1st-6th for the World Youth Day? For more information contact Fr Dominic Meehan 085-1111320 and Fr Vincent Stapleton 087-9747933

**Cashel & Emly Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** 17 - 22 June 2023 : 5 Nights

Hotel Agena €879 per person, Hotel La Solitude €899 per person, Hotel Padou €899 per person.

Booking Procedure: All bookings should be made through Joe Walsh Tours at 89 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2. Bookings are also accepted over the telephone 01-2410800.

**Special Assisted Section:**

PLEASE NOTE: There will not be a special assisted section with medical and care staff this year.

Hopefully this will resume for 2024. For this year all pilgrims should be able to make the pilgrimage independently or with the assistance of someone accompanying them and taking responsibility for their care.