

Anniversaries

Saturday 31st August 6.30

Sunday 1st September 11.00

John Joe & Cissie Ryan Cross Pallasgreen anniversaries

John & Mary Ryan Glengar anniversary

Josie O' Dwyer Muine anniversary

Andrew Ryan Doon South 1st anniversary

Saturday 7th September 6.30

Sunday 8th September 11.00

George Madden Gurtavalla 1st anniversary

Jim Barrett Cliggin anniversary

Recently Deceased: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Ron Ireland, Gouldavoher, Limerick. Sympathy to the bereaved

Masses this coming week. Fr Jimmy is away until the 9th of September. There are no morning masses. Fr Dick Browne will look after any emergencies that might occur.

First Friday Friday next is 1st Friday of September. Novena Prayers to Our Lady of Perpetual Help and devotions during 7.30pm Mass.

Missionary Appeal Brother Brian Johnson a Franciscan Monk who spoke to us at all Masses last weekend about their missionary work in Africa and he did ask for our prayers and financial help to support the work they do. He is most grateful to the people of Doon who responded to his appeal which amounted to €1,210. If you were not here and would like to donate please put your donation in an envelope marked Br Brian Johnson and it will be passed on to him.

Ministers of the Eucharist & Readers for next weekend: Please refer to your rota. We really need some New Readers. Please contact John O' Brien or Fr Jimmy if you would like to do this ministry for your parish. If you can encourage someone to read please do.

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 was €1005.00. Thank you to all who contributed.

Doon Community Council Notes:

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

Annual Coffee Morning & Cake Sale will be held on Sunday 1st September from 10am at Jack Ryan's Bar. Raffle on the day. Donations of home baking, firewood, spot prizes etc would be appreciated.

Ballyhoura Rural Services have provided drawings of what the future development of Doon Convent & former Convent Secondary School buildings will look like. These drawings are on display outside the main door of the community centre for public viewing.

New Community Café (10:00 - 14:00) Friday's Only at Doon Social Farm. Donations to support farm upkeep and care of the animals. All are welcome

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

Doon and District Mens Shed

Monday 8pm, meet in the Shed at the Old Convent building, followed by chat, cuppa, cards and pool. Tuesday 10am, walk around GAA pitch followed by cuppa in the Shed. Wednesday 12 noon, Art in the Shed. Thursday 2pm, workshop in the Shed. 2-4pm, Gardening in Cappamore Polyunnell. Friday 8pm, cards, pool and archery in the Shed. Monday and Friday 10am, Doon Gym €5 entry. New members always welcome. See Facebook and Google Maps for further details.

Doon GAA Note

Lotto Numbers Monday, August 26th 2024. Lotto Tickets can be purchased in Doon at Lenihan's Centra & Damien Richardson Butchers. Cut Off time for Online Sales is 8pm every Monday. Jackpot €2,200. Numbers Drawn 2-8-10-20.

Seven Match 3 @ €30 each. 1. Marie Carr, Donegal (Online). 2. Mandy Ryan, Doon (Online). 3. Dolores Buckley, Cappawhite (Online). 4. Michelle Butler, Carnahalla (Online). 5. Tony Foley c/o Eddie Stapleton. 6. Marian Murphy c/o Tom Murphy. 7. Nora Power c/o John Power. 10 Lucky Dips at €20 each. 1. Darren Lowry c/o Mike Ryan. 2. Lar Ryan, Hillview Grove. 3. Ruairí Ryan, Toomaline. 4. Niall & Tina c/o Whelans. 5. Millie Walsh c/o Ollie Walsh. 6. John Cummins, Carrigmore (Online). 7. Dan & Margaret c/o Margaret Griffin. 8. G & M Allis, Kilmoylan. 9. Gerdie McGrath, Kilmoylan (Online). 10. Marian Coughlan, Oola (Online)

Promoters Prize, €25: Centra. Next week's Jackpot €2,200. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on Monday, September 2nd 2024.

Pilates classes every Wednesday & Friday evening at Doon Community Centre. These classes are suitable for men and women of all fitness levels. Contact Denise on 086 2650513 to book your place.

Social Dance Classes: Every Wednesday in Doon Community Centre at 8pm. All levels welcome, covering old time waltz, foxtrot, quickstep, slow waltz, jive etc. For inquiries ring Phyllis at [0877675598](tel:0877675598). €10 per person per class,

Accord Thurles have weekend Marriage Preparation Programmes available on the following dates ...Book your place today on www.accord.ie September 13th / 14th, November 8th / 9th, November 22nd / 23rd.

Lourdes Pilgrimage in October: This pilgrimage is being organised from 10th to the 14th October 2024. The Ryanair Flight will leave Dublin Airport for Lourdes at 16:14pm on the 10th and return from Lourdes at 12:30pm on the 14th October. For information contact: Bridget O'Dea at 0866792754 or Fr Martin Murphy at 0863868877.

Visit of relics of St Bernadette Later this year, the relics of St Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage to Ireland for the very first time. This very special once in a lifetime event will provide an opportunity for people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes, in a church or cathedral near them. We are delighted to announce that the Relics will visit the Arch Diocese of Cashel and Emly Holy Cross Abbey on the 19th 20th September, 2024. More information coming soon.

Cllr. Noreen Stokes (Peace Commissioner) will hold a clinic in the Community Centre Doon on Thursday 19th September and every 2 weeks after that 7pm to 8pm. Please pop in no query too big or too small.

Doon Badminton Club: back Monday 2nd September from 8pm to 10pm in the main hall, community centre Doon (Just Mondays for the moment, Thursdays back October). New and old members welcome, as well as over 16's (must be accompanied by parent or guardian). €5 on the night. For more information, please contact/ text Simon at [0868221315](tel:0868221315) or check out our Facebook page.

Doon parish Journal: Articles, tributes, club reports, photographs (old and new), for possible inclusion in the 33rd Edition of 'Bleisce' must be with us by the 29th September so that it can be on sale in early December. Materials may be edited and can be given to Donal Anderson, Fr Donnelly, Peggy Sweeney or emailed to doonparishjournal@hotmail.com. Photographs to be sent in JPEG format. Please note photos from social media do not reproduce well and may not be suitable for inclusion.

Summer SeisDún & BBQ Fundraiser: Update on monies raised to date €2,829.76 and split between Chernobyl Children International Mulkear Outreach Group and Fr

Johnny Sweeney's Mission work in Argentina. Thanks again for your generosity its greatly appreciated.

Senior Alert Scheme: is still available locally for anyone over 65 years of age. The scheme is useful for anyone on their own, ill health or just a piece of mind. Installation, equipment and first year monitoring are free. if you anyone who might avail of the scheme, please phone/ text Mike at [\(087\) 6764345](tel:0876764345).

Save the date, Christmas In Doon: will take place from 30th November to 1st December at Doon Community Centre. Friday evening children's disco, Saturday cinema day and Santa/ craft fair will take place that Sunday. We are looking for help organise the event or on the weekend itself, so if you have a few hours to spare contact Michael at [0876764345](tel:0876764345), it would be really appreciated. Leading up to Christmas in Doon there will be a movie night held on the last Thursday of every month till December. The first movie will be a Shrek film, 7pm Fr. McGrath hall, €5 per child. Refreshments given on the night.

Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Knock Sunday 29 September. Bus pick up in Doon and Cappamore. All are welcome, fare €25. To book and for more details, please call Tony [087 9563493](tel:0879563493). Limited places, please book by Monday 23 September at the latest.