#### **Anniversaries**

## Saturday 26th October 6.30

Timothy Ryan Smith Cooga 7th anniversary & his sister Kathleen Ash Somerset England 5th anniversary

## Sunday 27th October 11.00

Bernadette Mair Toomaline 1st anniversary, John P Hayes Donegal 1st anniversary, Joan Hayes Toomaline 35th anniversary.

# Friday 1st November 7.30

Amanda Shanahan Horgan Months Mind

## Saturday 2nd November 6.30

Deceased members of the Ryan family Croughmakeen and the Hayes family Croughfoil anniversaries

Tom O' Sullivan Assumption Terrace anniversary

## Tony Curtin Carnahalla 1st anniversary

## **Sunday 3rd November 11.00**

Ned Power Moanduff & his daughter Sheila anniversaries

## Masses this coming week:

Friday 1st November All Saints Day Mass 11.00 & 7.30pm. Saturday 2nd November All Souls Day Mass 11.00 & 6.30

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

Fr Jimmy is away from until 31st of October. Any emergencies which might occur will be looked after by Fr Dick Browne Cappamore.

**In November we Remember.** Envelopes for Holy Souls are available now. Loved ones will be remembered in masses throughout the month of November.

# Remember the clocks go back 1 hour Saturday 26th October

Ministers of the Eucharist & Readers for next weekend: Please refer to your rota.

**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.

October month of Holy Rosary. Please note change of Day. Rosary in the Church on Bank Holiday Monday at 6 O Clock all are welcome.

## **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 €950. Thank you to all who contributed.

<u>Invitation to join the Parish Choir:</u> You are cordially invited to join the Doon Parish Choir. Preparation for a mass for the Holy Souls in November and for Christmas will commence on Monday November 4th at 7.30 in the Parish Church.

## **Doon Community Council Notes**:

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

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

#### **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 Polytunnell. 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**

We wish the Senior Team and management the very best of luck in the County Final v Na Piarsaigh.

Lotto Numbers Monday, October 21st 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 €3,800. Numbers Drawn 16-17-21-25. Two Match 3 @ €30 each. 1. Joan Richardson c/o Mike Ryan. 2. Joanna & Nicola c/o Joanna @ The Local. 10 Lucky Dips at €20 each. 1. The Murphy Family c/o Tom Murphy. 2. Paul Carr, Coonagh Court (Online). 3. James Carew c/o Mike. 4. Conor Hayes, Lisowen (Online). 5. Frankie, Jaxon, Riley & Luke c/o James Nolan. 6. Mary Buckley c/o Mary Jo. 7. Esther Slattery c/o Rocky. 8. Melissa Coughlan, Oola (Online). 9. John Cummins, Carrigmore (Online). 10. Mairéad McKenna, Cappamore (Online). Promoters Prize, €25: Mary Butler. Next week's Jackpot €4,000. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on Monday, October 28th 2024.

<u>Social Dance Classes:</u> Wednesdays. €10 per person per class, Doon Community Centre. All levels welcome, covering old time waltz, foxtrot, quickstep, slow waltz, jive etc. For inquires ring Phyllis at 0877675598.

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

<u>Cllr. Noreen Stokes</u> (Peace Commissioner) will hold a clinic in the Community Centre Doon on ever second Tuesday beginning 1st Oct from 7pm to 8pm. Please pop in no query too big or too small.

**Doon Badminton Club:** Doon badminton club Mondays and Thursday's, 8 to 10pm, Doon Community Centre. New and old members welcome, as well as over 16's (must be accompanied by parent or guardian). €5 on the night.

<u>Save the date for Christmas</u> in Doon 30th November- 1st December in Community Centre. More information in the coming weeks.

**<u>Doon Tidy Towns</u>** used clothes collection every Sunday in October at the Pastoral Centre from 9am to 12 noon. All Donations Welcome

October is Safeguarding month in the Archdiocese of Cashel & Emly In the Diocese we have a safeguarding committee, made up of lay members and Diocesan personnel, they meet approx. 4 times a year and work alongside the Director of safeguarding in ensuring safeguarding standards are maintained in the parishes as well as producing and updating policy, plans, guidance and a report to the Archbishop on Safeguarding Practices within the Archdiocese. On the safeguarding page of the Diocesean website you will find our safeguarding plans, policies and guidance. https://cashel-emly.ie/safeguarding

<u>Cabragh Wetlands</u> will be running a free event for parish representatives or people of faith in parishes in the diocese who have an interest in the environment around us or who would be interested in learning more about the environment or how we can become part of the movement to protect the environment. It will take place in Cabragh Wetlands, Holycross, E41T266, on Friday Nov 1st from 12 to 3pm with lunch provided. If you wish to book a place, you can do so by emailing assistantpastoral.office@cashel-emly.ie or texting 086 1033763 with your name, parish and phone number.

Fundraising Coffee Morning & Raffle together with some music in aid of Fr Johnny Sweeney's Mission Work in Argentina will be held in the Pastoral Centre on Sunday 3rdNovember from 11:30am. All donations of baked goods would be very welcome. Fr Johnny will shortly be returning to his parish in Argentina having enjoyed his time back home. Your support as always is greatly appreciated.

**Doon Public Realm Plan:** Limerick County Council has published its public realm plan for Doon. It contains details of proposed changes to junctions, footpaths, parking etc for the village. These plans are available to view online at https://

planning.localgov.ie/en/part-8/application/c5a6078c-8007-11ef-b30e-00505688841d -- A hard copy of the plans has been left in the main porch of the community centre for viewing. Feel free to drop in to the community centre any time it is opened to take a look.