Anniversaries Saturday 9th November 6.30 Richard Ryan Lisgaugh 8th anniversary Sunday 10th November 11.00 John Walsh Toher Creamery anniversary Saturday 16th November 6.30 Eamon O' Donovan Main Street anniversary Mary Coleman Hillview Grove anniversary Thomas & Annie McLoughlin & their sons Tommy & Mikie and their grandson Shane McLoughlin anniversary's Sunday 17th November 11.00 Lizzy Hennessy 2 Glasha Talann Months Mind Maura & John Hayes Bank Place anniversaries

Masses this coming week: Monday & Tuesday 9.30. Wednesday Evening 7.30.

**In November We Remember.** Envelopes for Holy Souls are available now. Loved ones will be remembered in masses throughout the month of November. Cemetery Prayers at 3pm on Sunday. **Remembrance Mass** for those from our parish who have returned to God in the past year will be celebrated on Wednesday 20th November at 7.30.

**Fundraising Coffee Morning & Raffle** The Fundraiser for Fr. Johnny Sweeneys work in Argentina was a great success. Thanks to all who helped in any way, those who baked, served the beverages, prepared the venue and the sound, facilitated the presence of the County Cup, and contributed to the raffle prizes. The amount to date is 3,500 euro. Thank you all for your generosity. Up Doon.

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.

## 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  $\in$ 1,630. Thank you to all who contributed.

**Invitation to join the Parish Choir**: 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 evenings 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.

Annual Christmas party set for Sunday 8th December. Further details later.

<u>New Community Café</u> (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

Lotto Numbers Monday, November 4th 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 €2,000. Numbers Drawn 19-20-25-28. No Match 3 @ €30 each. 12 Lucky Dips at €20 each. 1. Caitlin & Ciara O'Grady c/o Mary Jo. 2. Caroline Thompson, Castleknock (Online). 3. Mike Nolan c/o Ann. 4. Martina Lenihan, Muine (Online). 5. Mary Butler & Tadgh O'Connor, Doon. 6. Maura O'Connell, Gurtavalla. 7. Tom & Margaret O'Brien, Glengar. 8. Elaine Ryan Maher, Cliggin. 9. Lee c/o Barry Murphy. 10. Anne Whelan, Bank Place. 11. Seánie Fox c/o The Local. 12. Johnny Butler, Carrigbeg. Promoters Prize, €25: Ann McPartland. Next week's Jackpot €2,200. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on Monday, November 11th 2024.

Social Dance Classes: 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.

Accord Thurles have weekend Marriage Preparation Programmes available on the following dates ...Book your place today on www.accord.ie 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> Just under 4 weeks to go to our Christmas in Doon event. Friday 29th nov: kids disco 6.30 to 8pm. Cinema day Saturday 30th nov: 12.30 muppets christmas carol, it's a wonderful life 8pm., Sunday 1st Dec: christmas fair and Santa 12 to 5pm. If anyone would like a stall please contact 0876764345.

**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 and Richardsons Butchers for viewing.

<u>**Table Quiz</u>** in aid of St Michael's day care centre, Friday 15th Nov 2024 at O'Dwyer's bar, main st Cappamore V94DT38 @ 8:30PM. Tables of four - €40..</u>

<u>Hillview Grove Defibrillator</u> is temporarily out of order. We will update when it is back in use. Thanks Hillview Grove residents association.

**Doon Historical Society** talk on Monday 18th Nov at 8pm in the Community Centre by Sarah McCutcheon, Local Authority Archaeologist for Limerick City & County Council, titled 'All things Graveyard!' All welcome.

**Progressive 45 Drive** in aid of Doon Convent National School Parents Council Friday 15th Nov in Moores at 8pm, €10 per person, raffle on the night with many great prizes. All support welcome.

**<u>Bilboa National School</u>** Annual Christmas Sale of work will be held on the 17th of November at 2pm. A fun family day event for all will be held at Cappamore Community Centre. There will be games, Santa will be in good spirits, bric a brac, raffle prizes and homebaking to mention a few.

<u>Clare's Wish Foundation</u> are delighted to Bring the Joe Dolan Tribute Show to Red Deer Bar Pallasgreen on Friday 22nd November 2024 as a Fundraiser. Tickets only €12 on Sale now from venue

**Engineers from Limerick County Council** will be at Doon Community Centre at 3pm on Tuesday 12th November to discuss the Doon Public Realm Plan and proposed changes to junctions, footpaths and parking in the village. All welcome.