#### **Anniversaries**

## Saturday 18th January 6.30

Teresa Kennedy Assumption Terrace 1st anniversary

Brian Butler Carrigbeg anniversary

Andy & Nora Mai Murphy Lacka anniversaries

## Sunday 19th January 11.00

Marie Horrigan Glasha Talann anniversary

Tommy Richardson Monastery Rd and his sister Peg anniversaries

Mike Gooley Glasha Talann Months Mind

## Monday 20th January 9.30

Sr Imelda Bowers 1st anniversary

## Saturday 25th January 6.30

Jackie & Mary McGrath Carrigmore & Kilmoylan anniversary

Rita & Matt Ryan Reenavannah anniversaries

Tommy and Tomás Maher Gurtavalla anniversary

Philip Ryan Foildearg & Carnahalla 75th anniversary

Denis Annie & Margaret Reale Glengar anniversaries

Rodger Hanley Cooga 10th anniversary

## Sunday 26th January 11.00

Patrick Gunning Bilboa anniversary

John & Johanna Maher Toomaline anniversaries

**Recently deceased:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Michael Hayes Cooga whose funeral took place last weekend. Sympathy to the bereaved.

# Masses this coming week:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9.30. Friday 9.30 Prayer Service.

**Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion.** On Friday's except on a First Friday Deacon Tom Anderson will lead a Liturgy of the Word with distribution of Holy Communion. If you would like to help or would like to lead a service in the future please contact Fr Jimmy or Deacon Tom and training will be provided.

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

### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Wednesday in the parish church from 3 p.m. to 7p.m.

## **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 €1,260. 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.

<u>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, January 13th 2025. 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 €3,200. Numbers Drawn 10-20-24-26. One Match 3 @ €30 each.1. Deirdre O'Meara, Grawn, Toomevara (Online). 10 Lucky Dips at €20 each. 1. Mary Morris c/o Benji. 2. Shane Ryan, Reenavanna (Online). 3. Anna Moore, Main Street. 4. Cian Coleman, Doon. 5. Sheila Treacy, Roesboro (Online). 6. Paul Maher c/o Moores. 7. Con McGrath, Doon. 8. Seán & Kathleen O'Dwyer, Cappamore. 9. Christine O'Brien, Coonagh Court (Online). 10. Mike Foley c/o Mike Ryan. Promoters Prize, €25: Denis Kennedy. Next week's Jackpot €3,400. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on Monday, January 20th 2025.

**Doon GAA Victory Dinner Dance** Sunday 2nd February 2025 at the Radisson Hotel Limerick. Music by Traffic and DJ.. Tickets €100 are on sale now contact Mike Ryan 087 6771005, Declan Ryan 087 9051942 Audrey Crowe 086 6189946 to book your seat at this momentous event.

**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.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is 18th-25th January. The year 2025 marks the 1700th anniversary of the first Christian Ecumenical Council, held in Nicaea, near Constantinople in 325. This commemoration provides a unique opportunity to reflect on and celebrate the common faith of Christians, as expressed in the Nicene Creed, which traces its origins to the Council of Nicaea. The Council of Nicaea led to the adoption of the Nicene Creed as an expression of the common faith of Christians. The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2025 offers an invitation to draw on this shared heritage and to enter more deeply into the faith that unites all Christians. To mark the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, the parish of Knockainey and Patrickswell have organised an Ecumenical Worship Service, next Saturday 25th January at 12 noon in Saint Mary's Church, Knockainey. All Christian faiths welcome.

**<u>Doon CBS Notes:</u>** Winter is the perfect time to clear out those unwanted clothes in your wardrobes. Drop your bags of unwanted clothes and shoes to the school shed in Doon CBS at any time. Your generosity would be greatly appreciated.

2nd class Enrolment September 2025 Open Evening at 7p.m. Contact <u>principal@dooncbs.com</u> for an Enrolment form.

<u>Ballyhoura Rural Services</u> -Befriending Service are seeking a person eligible to be part of a Community Employment Scheme. The role is visitation of people in their homes to people who may be lonely and providing support for carers .Person must have good communication skills and be fully Garda vetted. Contact details: Ballyhoura Rural Services.086-7754202 <u>amcmahon@ballyhourars.org</u>