Anniversaries

Saturday 2nd August 6.30

Nellie Fogarty Main St Months Mind

Sunday 3rd August 11.00

Pauline Collins late of Togher, Cork and Carnahalla 4th anniversary.

Mary Madden Gurtavalla anniversary

Saturday 9th August 6.30

Sunday 10th August 11.00

Mary Ryan Cooga 2nd anniversary

Mary Moloney Kilmoylan Months Mind

Recently deceased. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Sr Catherine Fitzgerald of The Sisters of the Incarnate Word Ohio USA and formerly Reenavanna who passed to her eternal reward on Monday 28th July. May she rest in peace. Sympathy to the bereaved.

<u>Masses this week</u> No Mass Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion on Friday 9.30. Fr Dick Browne Cappamore will cover emergency calls while Fr Jimmy is away.

Ministers of the Eucharist & Readers for next weekend: Please refer to your rota. As some of our readers have retired we are looking for some new readers if you would like to be part of this Ministry contact Fr Jimmy or John O Brien 086 8586304

Eucharistic Adoration:

Adoration 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 €1,080. Thank you to all who contributed.

Cemetery Mass Collection Sincere thanks to all who donated to this collection. The amount raised was €5,305. This will help to defray the costs of maintaining our cemetery to the high standards we have come to expect. Thanks to everyone who helped in any way to make our Cemetery Mass special. Thanks to Mary Murphy and her team for the upkeep of the Cemetery.

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 - 16:00) Friday's (10.00-14.00) Saturday's at Doon Social Farm. Donations to support farm upkeep and care of the animals. All are welcome.

<u>Community gardening course.</u> Join us starting the 15th of September for our community gardening course here in Doon Social Farm.

To apply, Contact Treacy at 061380808 or email us at office@ballyhourars.org

Doon and District Mens Shed

Monday, meet in the Shed at the Old Convent building at 8pm, followed by chat, cuppa, cards and archery. Two Pool tables available. Tuesday 7pm, Art in Shed. Wednesday 10am, woodwork in Shed, and 2:20pm, Music and Development, in Shed. Thursday 10am, walk around GAA pitch followed by cuppa in the Shed. Friday 8pm, Archery, cards and Pool. Friday and Monday 10am, Doon Gym. New members are always welcome. See Facebook and Google Maps for more details. Upcoming events include trips, breakfasts and visits to other Sheds.

<u>Year of hope pilgrimages to Medjugorje</u> Departing from Shannon on Aug 27. Contact John O Brien 086 8586304

Doon GAA Note

Lotto Numbers Monday, July 28th 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 €6,000. Numbers Drawn 2-11-19-25. No Jackpot Winner. Match 3 Winners 1. Beth c/o James O'Brien 2. Mike Sheehy, Cooga. 3. Mike & Maureen Ryan, Gurtavalla. Lucky dip. 1. T. Howard, Doon. 2. Mary Creagh, Ballycushowen. 3. Sarah Kennedy, Cooga. 4. Tina & Aidan O'Connell, Cooga. 5. Mike O'Donoghue c/o Con McGrath. 6. Kevin Lenihan, Doon.7. Pa, Johnny, Paddy & George c/o Christine O'Brien. 8. Fionn O'Brien c/o James O'Brien. 9. Christine Casey, Gurtavalla. 10. Gerry Richardson c/o Mike Ryan. Promoters Prize: Benji. Next week's Jackpot €6,200. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on Monday, August 4th 2025.

Doon GAA Club Nursery Hurling. Every Saturday at 10am - 10.45am. Contact: James Nolan 087-6420565 Mike Mc Kenna 087-9591858 Kevin Lenihan 087-9933759 Eddie Kiely 086-3506053

<u>Cllr Noreen Stokes</u> will be in the office at Doon Community Centre on the 1st Saturday every month from 11am-12, if you have any problems or questions

<u>Doon ICA Chair Yoga</u> in JS Fitness on Saturday morning at 9.00am . Please come along. All are welcome.

<u>Legion of Mary:</u> Our Lady Queen of Peace Praesidium Doon continues to seek new members. On behalf of Our Lady, you are invited to the weekly meeting. An hour spent in prayer and discussion might benefit you. We hope for a positive response to this invitation. The weekly meeting is held every Tuesday Evening at 7.30pm in the Pastoral Centre. All are welcome.

Dates for the Diary:

<u>Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock</u> will takes place this Sunday 3rd August. The Pilgrimage programme commences at 2pm with Rosary, 2.30pm Anointing of the sick, 3.00pm Concelebrated Mass followed by Eucharistic Blessing, Rosary Procession to the Shrine (weather permitting) and Blessing of Religious Objects. A bus will be organised if there are sufficient numbers stopping at O Sullivans Gort for Breakfast and evening meal. Contact John O Brien to book your seat 086 8586304

Crafters for Samaritans - Crafters for Samaritans*: Join us for Doon's first ever 24-Hour Crafting Marathon taking place in the Pastoral Centre from 1pm next Saturday 9th August until 1pm Sunday 10th August. There will be a Coffee Evening after Mass on Saturday and we will finish our Craftathon with a Coffee Morning after Mass on Sunday where the raffle will take place. All monies raised will go directly to The Samaritans. If you sew, knit, crochet, paint, do papercraft, scrapbooking or any form of craft we would love you to join us for some fun, some chats and a cuppa. Even if you don't do any crafts and might like to learn you will be most welcome so join us for an hour or two or the whole 24 hours and raise much needed funds for a very worthy cause. Contact Norah on 087 9384583 if you have any queries. Contact Norah on 087 9384583 if you have any queries.

<u>Installation of the restored Victorian Pipe Organ</u> Ó Riada Mass will be sung by the Parish Choir on Saturday, 16th August at 6.30pm, to celebrate the installation of the restored Victorian Pipe Organ to St Patrick's parish church.

Dun Bleisce Historical Society trip will take place in Lismore on Wednesday, 13th August. The day will include a guided walking tour of the town, a visit to the Castle Gardens, and a tour of a nearby period home. Leaving Doon community centre at 8am. All are welcome. Enquiries / Bookings to Luke Ryan 083 1024554 by the 10th August.