

Anniversaries

Saturday 28th February 6.30

Liam Ryan Mahoney 10th anniversary and Sean Ryan Mahony Main St 16th anniversary.

Christine (Diane) Hoban Cooga 2nd anniversary

Bridget, Con, & Mick Hayes Lisowen anniversaries

Sunday 1st March 11.00

Kay O' Byrne nee Hayes Raheen, Ballyneety, and formerly Kilmoylan 1st anniversary.

Simon Ryan Cliggin & Paddy Ryan Muine anniversaries

Ann Ryan Glengar 8th anniversary

Saturday 7th March 6.30

Mary Ryan (Putter) nee O'Brien Carnahalla, Doon & The Quay, Annacarty 12th anniversary & her husband Patrick 29th anniversary

Mike Crowe Cooga & his parents Morgan and Katie anniversaries

Ciara McKenna Hillview Grove anniversary

Sunday 8th March 11.00

John & Mai Mulcahy Toomaline anniversaries

Margaret Richardson Cliggin & Ned O Flynn Cliggin anniversaries

Recently deceased. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Carmel Fitzgerald Edmonton England and Cavan wife of the late Tom Fitzgerald Reenavanna and St Fintan's Terrace and Sister in law of Sr Eileen Fitzgerald Cleveland Ohio. Sympathy to the bereaved.

Masses this week

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9.30. Friday at 7.30

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

A Thought for Lent: Judge Less Forgive more. Forgiveness asks more of us, but it frees us far more deeply. "Do not judge, and you will not be judged; forgive, and you will be forgiven." Luke 6:37.

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

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 was €1095. Thank you to all who contributed.

Community Café (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.

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 Table Quiz In aid of Doon Community Centre, Astroturf Pitch & Playground Saturday 21st March @ 9pm in Moore's Bar, Whelan's Bar and G.D.'s Bar. Team of 4 - €40. Raffle and great prizes on the night.
All welcome

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.

Doon GAA Note This week's Lotto numbers.15,19,26,28. Jackpot €4,800. No Winner. Lucky dip. 1. Pa Hynes, Moanduff (Online). 2. Kate Ryan, Gurtavalla (Online). 3. Fiachra O'Grady, Oola. 4. Miriam Hayes, Toomaline. 5. Eamon Richardson, Doon. 6. Eilish Stokes, Oola (Online). 7. Niall Ryan c/o Eddie Stapleton. 8. Bernie Anderson, Cappawhite (Online). 9. Séamus Buckley c/o Mary Jo. 10. Lisa Lonergan, The Forts (Online). 11. Eileen Aherne, Tipperary Town (Online). 12. Claire Holmes, Gurtavalla (Online). Promoters Prize:John Cummins. Play our Club Lotto online and be in with a chance to win €5,000 next week! Lotto Tickets can also be purchased in Doon at Lenihan's Centra & Damien Richardson Butchers.

Legion of Mary: Our Lady Queen of Peace Praesidium Doon continues to seek new members. Lent will soon be upon us. This year why not be positive, and TAKE up something instead.The Legion of Mary are seeking new

members, so why not sacrifice some time and attend a meeting. It might well be the answer to what you are seeking from life. Meetings every Tuesday evening in the Pastoral centre from 6.30 to 7.30. All are welcome.

Cllr Noreen Stokes 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.

Pilgrimages to Medjugorje Departing from Shannon May 20th to 27th
Sep 2nd to 9th For more details Contact John O'Brien 086 8586304

Old Clothes Collection 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 at anytime. Money raised will help the pupils at Doon CBS. Your generosity would be greatly appreciated. Parents Association Doon CBS

Dates for your Diary 2026

Confirmation Day Tuesday 24th March 2026, First Holy Communion Saturday 9th May 2026, Cashel & Emly Lourdes Pilgrimage 12th - 17th June, Cemetery Mass Friday 31st July 2026.

Village Voices Choir Every Thursday from 7-8pm in the Fr. McGrath Hall New members welcome What's App Mary Claire on 083 4813518

Doon Badminton Club Badminton takes place every Monday and Thursday from 8-10pm in the hall. €5 per night.

Cashel & Emly Archdiocesan Pilgrimage To Lourdes: Takes place this year from Friday 12th to Wednesday 17th June. Booking can now be made through Joe Walsh Tours at 01-2410800 or www.jwtttravel.ie. **Assisted Pilgrims** contact Fr Joe Tynan 0872225445 email: lourdesassistedpilgrims@cashel-emly.ie **New Helpers** contact Jacqueline on 089 4913351 email: lourdespilgrimage@cashel-emly.ie

Lenten talks: The Knights of Columbanus Area 6, Limerick, invite you to a series of Lenten talks entitled "The Best is yet to come because?" Each Tuesday evening from 7.30 pm to 8.30 pm during Lent, six sessions led by Fr. Joe Hayes, S.J., in the Holy Rosary Parish Hall, Ennis Road, Limerick. The sessions will begin on Tuesday, February 24th. and end on Tuesday, March 31st. Open to all who are interested in exploring our Catholic faith together. Information 087/410 6025

Come and see day. Pallottine Centre Thurles Thurles Co. Tipperary E41A271

Saturday 11th April: 11am - 4:30pm (including Eucharist) a day to explore priesthood: talks, time for prayer, answering your questions, discerning a vocation. Booking through National Vocations Office. For more information contact: **carol.king@vocations.ie**

In Ireland today, over 45,000 people live with epilepsy. For further information, please visit www.epilepsy.ie. Purple Day (or Epilepsy Awareness Day) will take place on Thursday 26th March.

West Limerick Independent Living are currently hiring Personal Assistants to provide support to people with disabilities in the Doon, Cappamore & Pallasgreen areas. Apply now via the Jobs section at www.limerickcil.com

"Chair yoga classes continue to be held in Doon Community Centre on Tuesday mornings 10am with Stephen Lappin. Fee €5. Call Stephen on **085 8812815** for more information"