MASSES THIS WEEKEND IN RATHDOWNEY PARISH

SATURDAY 19th July

Rathdowney 6pm: Michael White, his son Patrick, brother Silvie &

> parents Paddy & Elizabeth. Johnny Bowe, Mooreville

Nigel & Pearl Doheny & Elizabeth Brophy, Daly Tce.

Sunday 20th July

Errill 10am: Paddy Keane, Castlefleming

Followed by internment of Ashes in Errill Cemetery

Masses During the Week

Monday: No Mass

Tues to Thurs. Mass at 10 am

Friday 10am: Peg & Val Williams, Rossmore.

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY 26th July

Rathdowney 6pm: Mary Scott, Coolkerry

Caroline Bowe, Grogan

Paddy & Mary Carroll, Conoboro.

Sunday 27th July

Errill 10am: Christopher (Noel) Monahan, Months Mind

Paddy & Tess Campion, Levalley

Michael, John & Elizabeth Phelan, Glosha

Mary Madden, Clonmeen **Recent Deaths:**

Christopher Hanrahan, Cuan Bhride Anna Rose Keyes, School Rd, Errill.

Timmy Williams, Knockiel, Rathdowney **Anniversaries:**

> Sam Grogan, Knockardgannon Mary Tynan, Kyleahaw

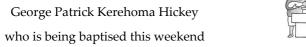
Collections Weekend 12th / 13th July 2025

Loose Plate - €319 Envelopes - €974

Errill - Adoration in Errill Church will resume at the end of August Rosary will continue each evening - Monday to Friday at 5.30pm on the Webcam

We welcome into Rathdowney Parish Community

George Patrick Kerehoma Hickey



Funeral Masses on our Website

In order to comply with GDPR regulations recordings of funeral masses from Rathdowney and Errill will be available on www.rathdowneyparish.ie website for one month only.

Copies of past funerals are available to family members on request. Contact the Parish Office re same.

Family Carers

Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs? A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit www.familycarers.ie.

Newsletter for the Parishes of **Durrow and Rathdowney** 19th / 20th July 2025

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastoral Council Members Rathdowney

Assumpta Casey; Helen Campion; Tony Holohan; Fran Doyle; Maureen Guilfoyle; Oliver Kennedy Mary Nolan, Mary O'Dea, Tadhg Keane; Sr Anita O'Leary; Fr. Martin Delaney

Durrow

Martin Lawlor; Mary Lawlor; James Walsh; Vicky Murphy; Margaret Murphy; Liam Kavanagh; Pádraig Kiely; Anne-Marie Kiely

Sr. Anita O'Leary; Fr. Martin Delaney

SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person Ailish Higgins - 085 802 1633 safeguarding@ossorv.ie Gardaí 1800 555 222 / TUSLA Laois/Offaly 044 935 3997 Towards Healing Helpline: 1800 313 416 www.towardshealing.ie Towards Peace Helpline: 01-505 3028 www.towardspeace.ie

Parish Representatives Rathdowney

John Casey & Helen Campion Durrow Michael Killeen & Sarah Brophy

We welcome into Durrow Parish Community

Caelon Thomas Dunne

who is being baptised this weekend



Parish Shops

Both parish shops have a new range of gifts in stock for First Communion, Baptism and other events. Candles, Rosary Bracelets, Crosses & Chains, Rosary Beads, Bibles, Grave Ornaments

Come in and have a look! We also carry a large range of signed Mass Cards and Mass Bouquet's for a variety of intentions.

Do you have a family member or friend in a nursing home?

Sr. Anita and I like to visit parishioners who are living in Nursing Homes or other Care settings.

If you have a relative or know of someone from the parish in any Nursing Home or long-term care centre please let us know. You can contact me, or Sr. Anita directly or alternatively leave the details in the Parish Office.

Fr. Martin

Durrow

Office Opening Hours for July & August

Rathdowney

Monday	Closed	Monday	Closed
Tuesday	9.30am to 1pm	Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday	Closed	Wednesday	10am to 1pm
Thursday	9.30am to 1pm	Thursday	Closed
Friday	9.30am to 1pm	Friday	10am to 1pm

25 Year Celebration Mass

Mass will be celebrated at the Grotto of Our Lady Queen of Peace, Ballinalacken Cross, Castlecomer (R32W665),

on Sunday 3rd August at 3pm to celebrate the 25th year of the statue. All welcome. For any enquiries contact Jacqueline Doheny on 086-230 4406

MASSES THIS WEEKEND IN DURROW PARISH

Saturday 19th July

Cullohill 7.30pm: John Collier, Prospect

Durrow 7.30 pm:

Sunday 20th July

Durrow 11.15 am: Eamon Dunphy, Erkindale Drive, Month Mind

> Joe Phelan, Knockanoran Mary Townsend, Swan Road

Masses During the Week

Monday to Friday: Mass in Durrow at 8.50am

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY July 26th

Durrow 11am: Liam White, Londan and formerly the Square, Durrow

followed by Burial of Ashes

Cullohill 7.30 pm: Paddy Dunphy, Cullohill Mountain, 1st anniversary

Seamus Rhatigan, Cullohill

Durrow 7.30 pm: Martin Murphy, Tinweir, Month Mind

Tom Woods, Carrigan St

SUNDAY July 27th

Durrow 11.15 am:

Collections Weekend 12th / 13th June 2025

Loose Plate - €225 Envelopes - € 780

Adoration

Adoration in Cullohill Church every Thursday morning from 8.50—9.50am, in Durrow directly after 8.50 am Mass (finishes at 11.30 am) on Mondays and on Fridays from 7-8pm.

Cemetery Plot Inquiry

From time to time, I am approached by someone looking to purchase a grave in the Parish section of the cemetery in Durrow.

I'm also aware that over the years, some graves have been reserved in Durrow by families from the Cullohill end of the parish. When the cemetery opened in Cullohill, many opted to be buried in this new cemetery instead.

What I'm trying to establish is whether there are plots reserved in Durrow which will not now be needed.

I would really appreciate it if you could contact me with any relevant information.

Fr Martin

Please Note

If you are including a cheque in any of your envelopes, please make the cheque payable to Rathdowney Parish or Durrow Parish as appropriate. These Cheques should not be made payable to Fr Martin or to the name of the Church itself.

Please DO NOT scratch out your envelope number.