

**Rathdowney Parish Newsletter**  
**5th / 6th September 2020**  
**Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Parish Office: 0505-46282.**  
**Email: rathdowney@ossory.ie**  
**Fr. Martin Delaney 086 2444594**

**Sat. 8.30pm:** Mary Edwards & Trishia Button, Castlefleming  
Tony White, Castlefleming and  
Statia, Tommy & Liam White

**Sun. 11 am:** Sydney Kinsella, Johnstown Glebe

**Masses During the Week**

Tues 10 am

Wed. 10 am: Anna & Paddy Bergin, Kilbreedy

Thurs & Friday: Mass at 10 am

All Masses are streamed live on our Webcam

Mon to Friday: Rosary at 5.30pm

**Masses Next Weekend**

**Sat. 8.30 pm:** Joe Davy, Knockardgannon

Martha Ryan & Frances Phillips

Seamus Lee, Main Street, Rathdowney.

**Sun. 11 am:** Months Mind Michael O'Dea, Uxbridge and  
formerly Clonmeen

Bobby McGrath Clonmeen

Andy (1st Anniv) & Peg Bergin, Kilcoran

**Recent Death:** Marian Phelan, Garran Castle, Borris in Ossory

**Anniversaries:**

Anton Giltrap, The Square, Rathdowney.

Mick Cleary, Rossmore.

Stasia, Jack & Paddy Mahon, Harristown.

Jimmie Maher, Moore Street.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

**Rathdowney: Thursday 2 pm to 4 pm**

**Errill: Friday 10 am to 12 Noon**

The Committees of both the Local and Bealady Cemetery wish to acknowledge the kind donations made to them for the upkeep of the cemetery. Donations can be made through the Parish Office at any time or on the 'Donate' button on the website.

**SAFEGUARDING**

Designated Liaison Person

Mr Cathal Cullen—087 100 0232 / [dlp@ossory.ie](mailto:dlp@ossory.ie)

Gardaí 1800 555 222

TUSLA – Laois/Offaly 090 648 3106

**Parish Representatives - Helen Campion & John Casey**

**Parish Pastoral Council Members**

Assumpta Casey; Helen Campion; Josephine Campion; Fran Doyle; Maureen Guilfoyle; Oliver Kennedy;  
Mary Nolan; Mary O'Dea; Josephine Ryan; Fr. Martin Delaney

**Parish Covid Response Co-ordinator**

Antoinette Holohan

If you have concerns or questions about our Covid Response please contact the Parish Office

**Parish Mass Reservations**

**Contact Us on 085 142 9343**

Monday to Thursday from 10 am to 12 Noon

**Commencing on Monday 7th September we will take bookings from letters A to G.  
for the weekend Masses on 12th/13th September**

**If your surname is not from the A to G category and you would like to attend Mass this weekend  
Please contact us on Wednesday or Thursday (note change of days)  
and we will reserve a seat for you if we have not reached capacity**

To be fair to everyone please make your reservation only in the week preceding the Mass you wish to attend.

**This Weeks Concert**

After a wonderful Summer of Concerts by many friends of the Parish, we have sadly come to the end of the series.

Michael English will entertain us this week on Tuesday at 1 pm.

We sincerely thank all those who took part and we hope that there will be space in the 'new normal'  
for music and entertainment in the very near future.

*Concert is available live on our website [www.rathdowneyparish.ie/webcam](http://www.rathdowneyparish.ie/webcam)*

*Recordings of many of our previous concerts are also available on the website*

*Just click on the 'Video' Tab at the top of the home page*

