Rathdowney Parish Newsletter
11th / 12th October
Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
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<u>Sat. 8.30 pm:</u> Jimmy Bergin 1st Anniversary and his wife Lucy, Knockardgannon

<u>Sun. 11 am:</u> Daniel & Margaret Hickey, Ossory Street & deceased members of the Hickey Family.

# **Masses During the Week**

Tues to Friday: Mass at 10 am in Rathdowney

All Masses are streamed live on our Webcam

Monday to Friday: Rosary at 5.30pm

## Masses Next Weekend

Sat. 8.30 pm: Fr Joe Camion, Lisduff

Patsy Kelly, Knockardgannon Jackie Cahill Mooreville

& deceased members of the Cahill family

Sun. 11 am: Bridget Phelan, Quigley Park, Months Mind

Edward (Ned) Stenson

& deceased members of the Stenson Family

## **Recent Deaths:**

John Campion, New Jersey, USA

(Son of the late Miko Campion, Lisduff and Cork)

Anna Connolly (formerly Bowe) Johnstown.

**Anniversaries** 

Arthur McNicholas, Barnsley, Yorkshire

Tom & Bridie Carroll, Glosha

Jim & Nancy Kelly, Knockardgannon & Dublin

Jerry Behan, Errill

Margaret Nolan, Errill

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Rathdowney: Thursday 2 pm to 4 pm Errill: Friday 10 am to 12 Noon

### **SAFEGUARDING**

Designated Liaison Person Mr Cathal Cullen—087 100 0232 / <u>dlp@ossory.ie</u> Gardaí 1800 555 222

TUSLA – Laois/Offaly 090 648 3106

Parish Representatives - Helen Campion & John Casey

# A prayer as I put on my mask

Holy Father,
as I prepare to go into the world,
help me to see the sacrament
in the wearing of this cloth let it be "an outward sign
of an inward grace" a tangible and visible way of living
love for my neighbours,
as I love myself.

Christ,
since my lips will be covered,
uncover my heart,
that people would see my smile
in the crinkles around my eyes.
Since my voice may be muffled,
help me to speak clearly,
not only with my words,
but with my actions.

Holy Spirit,
As the elastic touches my ears,
remind me to listen carefully and full of care to all those I meet.

May this simple piece of cloth be
shield and banner,
and each breath that it holds,
be filled with your love.
In the name of the Father,
And of the Son,
And of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



### **Parish Pastoral Council Members**

Assumpta Casey; Helen Campion; Josephine Campion; Fran Doyle; Maureen Guilfoyle; Oliver Kennedy; Mary Nolan; Mary O'Dea; Josephine Ryan; Sr Anita O'Leary; 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

### **Rathdowney Review 2020**

No one from the Review will be calling at your door for photo's, articles or information.

Anyone who had a bereavement, a new baby, a graduation, a wedding or any special event is asked to forward a photo and information by email to <a href="mailto:rathdowneyreview@hotmail.com">rathdowneyreview@hotmail.com</a>.

All items must be received by Monday October 26th.

#### **Memorial Mass**

We are currently planning the annual
Mass of Remembrance
for those who have died during the past year.
If you wish to present a candle
in memory of your deceased relative
please contact the Parish Office
0505 46282 or email rathdowney@ossory.ie
Candles will be supplied by the Parish.