

Rathdowney Parish Newsletter
6th/7th February 2021
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
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Fr. Martin Delaney 086 2444594
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Sat. 7.30 pm: Jer Dowling, Months Mind & his wife Teresa
on her Anniversary
Bridie Begadon, The Conoboro

Sun. 11 am: Marc Pessers, Coolkerry
also **Sandy & Tessie Pessers**, The Netherlands
who died during the year.
Bernard (Barney) Mullin,
Aughnagar, Tyrone & Enfield, Middlesex
& deceased members of the Mullin family

Tuesday 10 am:

Wednesday 10 am: Mary & Mick Glendon, Crosspatrick
John & Mary Cahill, Crosspatrick

Thursday 10 am: Leslie Taplin, Raheny, Dublin.
John Geoghegan, Ballacolla

Friday 10 am: John Scully, Knock. 1st Anniversary

Anniversaries:

Joe Grogan, School Road, Errill
Margaret Loughman, Knockiel
Julie Whelan, Mooreville
Eileen Carroll, Daly Terrace
Billy & Jean Carthy, Moore St
Ann Ford, Daly Terrace
Nora Carney, Knockiel

Masses Next Weekend

Sat. 7.30 pm: James Bergin, Knockiel

Lizzie & Mixie Daly, Gloscha

Sun. 11 am: Joe Bolger, 1st Anniversary Slieve Bloom Heights
Mary Champion, Johnstown Glebe
Joan Holohan, Harristown

Pope Francis Prayer for protection from Coronavirus

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope.

We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick.

At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith.

You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need.

We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee,

joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love,

to conform ourselves to the Father's will

and to do what Jesus tells us:

He who took our sufferings upon Himself,

and bore our sorrows to bring us,

through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection.

Amen.

We seek refuge under your protection,

O Holy Mother of God.

Do not despise our pleas – we who are put to the test

– and deliver us from every danger,

O glorious and blessed Virgin.

Rosary will continue each evening

Monday to Friday at 5.30 pm available on the Webcam
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament continues in Rathdowney
on Thursday from 2 to 4 pm
And in Errill on Friday from 10 am to 12 Noon.

Rathdowney GAA Lotto

There was no winner in this weeks jackpot which was €19,300. The numbers drawn were 1, 6, 14, 22. The 10 winners of €15 were: Geraldine Stenson, Main St; Paddy Hetherington, Quigley Pk; Cillian & Liam c/o L Browne; Saoirse O'Neill, Errill; Sarah Bowe, Kilbreedye; Michael Cleere, Errill; Matt Fitzpatrick, Kilcoran; Colm, Claire, Aoife Keane, Mooreville; Lisa & Harry Phelan, The Glebe; Claire Dowling, Clonmeen. Next weeks jackpot will be €19,450.

SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person

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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; Sr Anita O'Leary; Fr. Martin Delaney

Our Videos

All our videos from throughout the year - Concerts, Cemetery Masses, etc are available to view at any time on the 'Video' tab at the top of the website home screen.

We also have some recent Funeral Masses which are uploaded with the permission of the Families.

Log in to
www.rathdowneyparish.ie

As you are aware, under the current restrictions attendance at Mass is not allowed.

All our services will continue to be streamed online via the webcam www.rathdowneyparish.ie/webcam

Both Churches will be open each day for private prayer and you are reminded to follow the signs re safe entry and exit.

Parish Office

Due to current level 5 restrictions the Parish Office will be closed to the Public until the end of the current restrictions

For enquiries, Mass Cards, Bookings etc please phone 085 1429 343 between 10 am and 12 Noon or 0505 46282 outside of these hours.