

Rathdowney Parish Newsletter

15/16 May 2021

The Ascension of the Lord

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Sat. 7.30 pm: **Áine Hetherington**, Portlaoise & Harristown
Mary Dunne (nee Brophy) & Sarah Redmond (nee Brophy)

Sun. 11 am: **John Murray**, Daly Terrace Months Mind
Peggy Delaney, Cappalinan
McNicholas & Taylor families

Monday: No Mass

Tues. to Thurs. 10 am:

Fri. 10 am: **Iris Bannon**, California

Recent Deaths:

Liam Walsh, The Old Rectory, Johnstown Glebe

Martin Gibbons, Cullohill

Anniversaries at this time:

Dan & Maureen Phelan & their son Gerard, Daly Terrace

Joe Campion, Mooreville

Christy Fitzpatrick, Newtownperry

Masses Next Weekend

Sat. 7.30 pm: **Mick Mockler** Months Mind

Thomas O'Brien, Templetouhy

Sun. 11 am: **Martin Bergin**, Donaghmore & deceased
members of the Bergin & Cuddy Families.

Kieran Phelan, Raheen, Donaghmore

Eddie Lowry, Cappalinnan

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.

SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person

Mr Cathal Cullen—087 100 0232 / dlp@ossory.ie

Gardaí 1800 555 222

TUSLA – Laois/Offaly 090 648 3106

Parish Representatives

Helen Campion & John Casey

Rathdowney GAA Lotto Results

No jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 6, 7, 8, 28.

10 winners of €15: Lucy Maher, Aileen Fogarty,
Catherine Whelan, Dermot Wallis, Aiden Browne,
Joseph Whelan, Eileen Fitzgerald, Anne Callaghan,
Olive Ryan, Adelaide Leahy. Next weeks jackpot
€3,650. Tickets can be purchased in all shops or from
any local promoter.

Errill GAA Lotto Results

No Jackpot Winner. Numbers drawn: 18, 21, 25, 27

Match 3 Winners: €20 each

Mary T. Murray, Errill; Geraldine Mullins; Nellie
Bergin; Lisa & Cathal O'Neill; Gillian Dann

Next Draw 19th May 2021 Jackpot €14,350

Webinar

Gratitude, Compassion, Hope

Journeying with God in the Present Moment

The speaker: **Dr. Jessie Rogers**, Dean of Theology,
St. Patrick's College, Maynooth.

When? **May 28th 2021**

Times: **10.30a.m. – 4.00p.m.** Dr Jessie will offer 4
sessions of 35 minutes each throughout the day,
beginning at 10.30; 12.00; 14.00 & 15.15. After each
session there will either be time for quiet
reflection/ for Q&A and also
a coffee and lunch break.

To book: E-mail sara.bulfin@ssjg.ie before **May 26th**.

She will send you the link prior to the Webinar.

This webinar is free.

We welcome into our Parish Community

Kitty Niamh Kearns

who is being baptised this week



NOW HIRING

DIOCESAN NURSE

(Part-time / 20 hours per week)

This role is working with clergy in the Ossory Diocese which covers
Kilkenny, Laois and Offaly, providing an advocacy and support service to
priests in the community. This is a fantastic opportunity to work within a
growing, community client focused organisation.

The ideal Candidate must be:

- » A Registered General Nurse (ideally with community experience)
- » Have the ability to co-ordinate care planning in the community
- » Be self motivated and have the ability to work on own initiative
- » Possess excellent communication and time management skills

Please contact **Colette Ryan** via email to apply:

crvan@carebright.ie

Closing date is the **28th May 2021**

CareBright

Errill NS Parents Council Bag Collection

We will be collecting for the Clothes collection in Rays bar
To allow for more time and distance, we will be collecting on

Saturday 22nd from 10am - 11am

Wednesday evening (26th) 7pm - 8.30pm

Thursday morning (27th) 8.30am- 11.30am

Marian Pilgrimages

Schedule for 2021 & 2022 to Lourdes, Medjugorje, Fatima, Italy &
Holy Land now available. For more information or to register
your interest please visit

www.marian.ie or ring Marian Pilgrimages on (01) 878 8159

Online Theology Open Day, is this for you?

The Priory Institute provides online Theology courses
to degree level. Attend Saturday lectures in Tallaght or from the
comfort of your own home. See www.prioryinstitute.com to find
out more about our Online Open Day on 12 June

Welcome Back

It has been great during this past week to see so many people
return to Mass each day.

Next weekend those whose surname is in the N to Z category are
welcome to come and there is no need to book. Those who have
anniversaries booked for a particular mass will be welcome
irrespective of surname.

Beginning on Wednesday May 26th at 7.30 pm we will return to
having Mass in Errill Church. No booking necessary.