

## Rathdowney Parish Newsletter

30th / 31st October 2021

**31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

### Parish Office

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### Sat. 8.30 pm Errill:

**William & Margaret O'Dea, Clonmeen**

### Sun. 10.30 am Rathdowney:

**Margaret & John Meehan, Grogan**

### Feast of All Saints - Monday 1st November

**Rathdowney 10 am - Patricia Sheeran, Cuan Bhride**

### Feast of All Souls - Tuesday 2nd November

**Rathdowney 10 am - Sheila Rafter,**

Cuan Bhride & formerly Harristown

### Rathdowney:

**Wed. & Thurs at 10 am**

**Friday 7.30 pm: Mass of Remembrance No morning Mass**

### Errill:

**Wed 7.30pm: Jack & Mary Maguire**

**& deceased members of the Maguire family.**

### Recent Death:

**Sr Mary (Pascalina) Spain, Kinnitty & late of St Anne's Roscrea**

### Anniversaries at this time

**Paddy Kelly Snr. Knockardgannon**

### Masses Next Weekend

#### Sat. 8.30 pm in Errill:

**Anna Somers, Churchquarter Months Mind**

**Sean Hetherington, Quigley Park**

**Lar Finn, Clonmeen & his parents Mary and Matt**

#### Sun. 10.30 am in Rathdowney:

**Tommy Fitzpatrick, Beaumont & Coolfin Months Mind**

**Dan Delahunty, The Square**

**Paddy Loughman, Quigley Park**

### SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person

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**Parish Representatives**

**Helen Campion & John Casey**

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### Rathdowney GAA Lotto Results

No jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 1, 20, 24, 26.

10 winners of €15: Robert Purcell, Betty Whelan,

Patrick Campion, David Campion, Pat Joe Ryan, Matt

Fitzpatrick, Eimear Moynan, Paul Hickey, Nelly

Bergin, Aiden Browne. Next weeks jackpot €7,250.

Tickets can be purchased in all shops or from any local promoter.

### Errill GAA Lotto Results

Numbers drawn: 11, 17, 27, 28 No Jackpot Winner

5 Match 3 €20: Timmy William, Grogan; Orla

Wynne, Lisduff; John Purcell, Clonmeen; Johnny

Kelly, Birr; Ged Dowling & Ruth c/o Rays Bar.

Next Draw 1st November 2021 Jackpot €4,700.

### Castle Fleming Community Alert

Sergeant Graham Kavanagh,

Crime Prevention Officer will be offering advice in relation to recent scams and burglary prevention on 3rd November in Ray's Bar at 8pm. All welcome.

### **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 Church on Friday**

**from 10 am until 12 noon**

We welcome into our Parish Community

**Keegan Darren Burke**

**Rhys Neil O'Brien**



who are being baptised this weekend

### 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

### Free Online Digital Skills Course.

Would you like to be able to use the internet with confidence? Ballycommon Training Centre are running FREE online computer and basic internet skills classes via zoom with full tutor support.

This course runs one morning a week for five weeks.

This course is aimed at citizens with little or no experience of using the internet and will cover a wide range of topics including internet safety.

Pre-booking is essential. Call 05793-53177 to book your place.

### Gaeilge

Classes in spoken Irish for adults will recommence as follows:

Monday 1st Nov in Scoil Bhride, Rathdowney

Class 1 7.00—7.40 pm: Class 2 7.40—8.20 pm

Class 3 8.20—9.00 pm

Tuesday 2nd Nov in Gaelscoil, Ballaghmore

Class 1 7.00—7.40 pm: Class 2 7.40—8.20 pm

Class 3 8.20—9.00 pm

Organiser / Facilitator: Paud O'Reilly

Further information/queries:

Rathdowney 0505 46546

Ballaghmore 0505 41810

Classes are free apart from a small donation to the school for heat/light etc. Sessions offer opportunities to the complete beginner and also the more advanced speaker. Emphasis will be on speaking the language and using the Irish we might already know.

Our annual Mass of Remembrance

for those who have died during the past year will take place

**on Friday 5th November at 7.30 pm**

If you wish to have a candle presented at this Mass

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.