

Rathdowney Parish Newsletter

6th / 7th November 2021

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sat. 8.30 pm Errill:

Anna Somers, Church Quarter, **Months Mind**

Sean Hetherington, Quigley Park

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

Sun. 10.30 am Rathdowney:

Tommy Fitzpatrick, **Months Mind**

Beaumont & Formerly Coolfin

Dan Delahunty, The Square

Paddy Loughman, Quigley Park

Rathdowney:

Mon No Mass

Tues 10am: **John & Mary Doyle**, Granstown

Wed. & Thurs at 10 am

Friday 10am: **Jim & Jean McDonald**, Church Street

Errill: **Wed 7.30pm:**

Anniversaries at this time

James & Annie Bowe, Rathdowney;

Kathleen Deegan, Johnstown Glebe; **Jeremiah O'Gorman**;

Mai Clancy, Rapla; **Mai Carroll**, Glosa;

Peggy & Andy Ryan, Kilcommon

Masses Next Weekend

Sat. 8.30 pm in Errill:

Mary Edwards nee Keane, Castlefleming

John & Teresa O'Dea, Clonmeen

Michael Doheny, Daly Terrace

Sun. 10.30 am in Rathdowney:

Patrick Creagh, Ballybuggy & deceased members of his family

Billy & John O'Brien, Donaghmore

Celsus McGovern, Conoboro Road

SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person

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Parish Representatives

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Rathdowney GAA Auction

Our annual auction will be held on Sunday 21st of November in Rathdowney GAA grounds. This auction has been a very successful fundraiser for the club for many years. On the day there will be the auction of sticks and turf. We hope to have Santa arrive at 1.45. There will be a cake sale with a lot of delicious home baking. Support for this event would be greatly appreciated.

Errill GAA Lotto Results

Numbers drawn: 6, 7, 19, 22 No Jackpot Winner

Match Three: Francis Carroll, Errill

Next Draw 8th November 2021 Jackpot €4,850.

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

Parish Office Opening Hours

Tuesday to Friday from 9.30 am to 2 pm

We welcome into our Parish Community

Evie Rita Bergin

Ódhran Seán Bergin

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.

Christ Jesus,

You understand the pain of loss,

the grief that seems to take

the air from my lungs.

You are the Resurrection

and the Life.

All our hope is in you.