

Rathdowney Parish Newsletter

12th / 13th February 2022

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sat. 8.30 pm Errill:

Joseph, Lillian & Thomas Ryan, The Square

Sun. 10.30 am Rathdowney:

Teresa Cahill, Mooreville 1st Anniversary

James Bergin, Knockiel

Bridie Begadon, The Conoboro

Masses During the Week

Rathdowney:

Mon No Mass

Tues to Fri: Mass at 10 am

Errill:

Wed. Mass at 7.30 pm

Masses Next Weekend

Sat 8.30 pm: Errill

Kathleen & Martin Morrissey, Castlefleming

Lizzie & Mixie Daly Gloscha Road

Sonny O'Dea Clonmeen & Cuan Bhríde

Sun. 10.30 am Rathdowney:

Catherine Walsh, The Old Rectory 1st Anniversary

Seamus Carroll, Kilbreedy

Theresa Delaney

Anniversaries at this time:

Joe Bolger, Slieve Bloom Heights;

William Campion, Ballybuggy

Timothy & Mary Barber, Mill Street

Margaret Loughman, Knockiel

Teresa & Jer Dowling, Knockardgannon

Val Williams, Rossmore

Adoration

Adoration takes place in Rathdowney on
Thursday from 2 to 4 pm

And in Errill on Friday from 10am to 12 pm
Rosary continues each evening at 5.30 pm

SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person

Kathleen Sherry – 085 8021633

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Parish Representatives

Helen Campion & John Casey

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Towards Healing confidential and free counselling service, Ph. 1800 303 416. They provide face to face counselling, structured phone counselling, family counselling and a counselling helpline for people who have experienced institutional, clerical or religious abuse in Ireland.

Rathdowney GAA Lotto Results

No Jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 8, 10, 11, 12. 10 winners of €15: Oisín Barry, Teddy Kearns, Louise Kirwan, Lucy Maher, Sarah Bowe, Katie Ryan, Olga Nolan, Lisa Stokes, Kevin Keane, Terence Jacob.

Next week's jackpot €9,350. Tickets can be purchased in all shops or from any local promoter.

Errill GAA Lotto Results

Numbers drawn: 2, 5, 18, 26

No Jackpot Winner

4 Match 3 €25: Kathleen Martin, Errill; Mary Delaney, Cappalanan; Mairéad Bergin, Johnstown Glebe; Gráinne Aylward, Ballycoolid.

Next Draw 14th February Jackpot €6,650.

Concert

Tickets for our 'Concert of Concerts' on Friday March 18th are available in the Parish Office
Price €20

Mary Kennedy will join us to act as compere and many of the singers & musicians who took part in our Summer Series of Concerts in 2020 will entertain us on the night.

We will not be allocating specific seating for each ticket to allow those attending to sit where they are comfortable (as far as possible).

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

Collections Weekend 29th/30th January 2022

Weekly Envelopes €1399.30

Errill Celebrations

The Final Celebration for the fiftieth anniversary of the opening and dedication of Our Lady Queen of the Universe Church in Errill has been rescheduled for Saturday Evening 5th March when Bishop Denis Nulty Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Ossory will come to preside at Mass and join us for refreshments afterwards.

Anyone who has items of memorabilia may leave them into the Parish Office to be included in the display on the night.

Celebration - The Sisters of St John of God

The Sisters of St John of God celebrated 150 years of Ministry in 2021.

To mark the occasion and acknowledge the contribution which the Sisters have made to our Diocese, there will be a celebration in St Fiacc's Church, Loughboy, Kilkenny on Thursday 10th March at 5pm
Keeping in mind the long tradition of the Sisters working in this parish, it is hoped that we will be well represented at this celebration.

Anyone interested in travelling should contact the Parish Office and we will arrange transport if necessary.

Rathdowney Active Retirement Association

Activities will resume

on Tuesday 22nd February 2022 in Cuan Bhríde at 2.30 pm.

All are welcome.