

Mases this Weekend

Sat. 8.30 pm Errill:

Mary Finane, Knockiel & George Finane, Ballycoolid
Mary & John Joe Delaney &
their deceased family members, Errill Village
Brother Tom Gorman

Sun. 10.30 am Rathdowney:

Kathleen & Trevor Meagher, Quigley Park
Sean & Johanna Curran, Ballycoolid
Margaret & Martin Finn, The Conoboro

Sun 12 Noon Errill: First Communion

Masses During the Week

Rathdowney

Tues to Friday: Mass at 10 am

Errill

Wed 7.30pm:

Masses Next Weekend

12 Noon Rathdowney: Sean Creagh, Mooreville Months Mind

Sat 8.30pm Errill:

Paddy Gaffney, Ballagh

Sun. 10.30 am Rathdowney:

First Communion for the Children of Scoil Bhríde

Recent Death: Joe Bowe, Greater London & formerly Moore St.

Anniversaries at this time:

Mick & Bridie Keyes, Poundshill, Errill.

John Delaney, Cullohill

Denis & Delia Gray, Daly Terrace.

Adoration

Adoration in Rathdowney on Thursday from 2 to 4 pm
And in Errill on Friday from 10am to 12 Noon

Collections Weekend 23rd/24th April 2022

Weekly Envelopes €468.50

Offertory €165

We welcome into our Parish Community
Ida Kate & Tommy Dylan Harding
who will be baptised this weekend



Rathdowney Parish Newsletter

30th April / 1st May 2022

Third Sunday of Easter

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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 4, 14, 17, 22. 10 winners of €15: Richard Cahill, Patrick Meehan, Anne Callaghan, Brian & Katie, Nelly Bergin, Judy Mahon, Mary Whelan, Saoirse Callaghan, Sharon Browne, Oisín Barry. Next week's jackpot €11,000.

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

Errill GAA Lotto Results

Numbers drawn: 2, 5, 8, 23

No Jackpot Winner

One Match 3: Geraldine & Lucy Fox, Village View.

Next week's Jackpot €8,300.

Rathdowney Library upcoming events for Bealtaine festival.

Rathdowney – email rathdowneylibrary@laoiscoco.ie or call 0505 46852 for more information or to book a place

Marbling Workshop with Caroline Keane.

Mon May 9th - 7:30pm. Booking Required.

Gardening Talk with Mary Keenan, editor of Irish Garden Magazine and owner of Gash Gardens. Tues 10th May - 3:30pm.

Talk on Fire Safety in the Home with Laois Fire Service.

Tuesday, 24th May at 3pm.

A Spirituality of our Times

This Conference will be on 14th May 2022

Venue: St. Patricks Parish Centre, Loughboy, Kilkenny

The speaker: **Jane Mellett**

Times: **10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m.**

Cost: €10 (bring your own lunch, tea/coffee provided)
pay on the door

Booking essential: Contact Sara or Catherina @ 056 7722870 9.00 am – 5.00 pm or email sara.bulfin@ssjg.ie before May 6th

You are invited!

Holy Face of Jesus vigil of prayer,

Sacred Heart Church Templemore,

Bank Holiday Monday 2nd May, 2.30pm to 5.30pm,

2.30pm: Devotions, adoration, hymns, confessions,

4pm: Mass,

5pm: Short talk on Holy Face devotion miracles & promises,

General blessing with Holy Face relic.

All welcome.

More info: 0852525612 HLI Ireland.

Third Age Charity's 'Failte Isteach' service is now available in the following venues, to facilitate, in an informal setting, improved English language skills for refugees. This service is free and run by local volunteers. Further information available at <https://www.thirdageireland.ie/failte-isteach/locations>

Portlaoise [in person & online]

Respond Community Centre, Mill Court, Green Mill Lane.

Portlaoise, Co. Laois, R32 F9X7. Mondays 2-3pm & Thursdays 10am-11.30am [all levels] / Thursday 7.30pm-8.30pm, online only [Intermediate/Adv. learners].

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