



DOORA BAREFIELD PARISH NEWSLETTER

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 24th July 2016



MASS TIMES

Doora: Sunday 10.00am
 Barefield: Sunday 11.00am
 Daily Mass: Mon/ Tues/Wed 9.15am
 Church of Our Lady Roslevan
 Saturday 6.00pm
 Daily Mass: Wed, Thurs, Fri 9.30am

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Deadline for Newsletter

Tuesday @ 5.00pm

Send items to

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Current newsletter on parish website at 1.00pm each Wednesday

Finance Development Fund

Barefield: €264.70

Doora: €87.45

Church of Our Lady: €264.79

Development: €802.05

Mile Buiochas – Many Thanks

Doora Barefield GAA Lotto

Next weeks Jackpot €15000

Venue: Shibeen

Winners of €50 :

Thomas O'Donoghue, Ruan
 Seamus Geoghan c/o Shibeen
 Aidan Whelan Barefield
 Dara O'Malley Barefield

Church of Our Lady Basket Collectors

23 July: Bernard Keane/Anette Reidy

30 July: Mary Dooley/Angela O'Halloran

Priests' Summer Collection

Many thanks to parishioners who have contributed to the Priests' Summer Collection. Your generosity is much appreciated. Envelopes can still be returned at all Masses or at Parish Office. *Mile Buiochas*



REST IN PEACE



Maura Murray, Killarney,

Sister of **Louise Corcoran**,

Barefield

Remembered in Masses

C Our Lady:	Fr. Michael McNamara	23 July
C Our Lady:	Paddy & Olive Mangan	23 July
Barefield:	Brendan Hassett	24 July
Doora:	Mary Keary 1st Anniv	24 July
Doora:	Pat & Paddy Cullinan	31 July
Barefield:	Eilish Hurley	31 July
Barefield:	John Butler	31 July
Barefield: 7.30pm	Francie McNamara	5 Aug
C Our Lady:	John & Elizabeth Gibson, Carmel	6 Aug
	Chapman & Michael Clooney	7 Aug
Barefield:	Jack McDonagh	7 Aug
Barefield:	Jimmy McDonagh	7 Aug
Barefield:	Bernie Kenny	7 Aug



Ministers of Eucharist & Readers



This week:

C Our Lady:	Mary Gardiner /Harold Herlihy	Olive Harvey
B/Field Sun:	Rory Kennedy & Angela Synott	Daniel Lynch
Doora Sun:	Martha Neylon	Marie Flanagan

Next week:

C Our Lady:	Mary Gardner/Harold Herlihy	Olive Harvey
B/Field Sun:	Monica O'Loughlin/B .Murphy	Siobhan Conlon
Doora Sun:	Mary Kennedy	Brid Kennedy

Trocaire Emergency Appeal :The worst drought in decades has left approximately 60 million people, ten times the population of the island of Ireland, facing hunger across the developing world. Trócaire has launched an emergency appeal to get relief to people in Ethiopia, Malawi, Zimbabwe, Honduras and Guatemala. To donate log on to www.trocaire.org, call 1850 408 408.

Killaloe Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes: The autumn pilgrimage from the Killaloe Diocese to Lourdes will leave Shannon Airport on Sunday 2nd October returning on Friday 7th October. Fare €667 per person sharing with €10 discount for online bookings. Limited capacity so early booking is advisable. Contact www.joewalshstours.ie or ring (01) 2410810



Local girl **Katie Laws** is representing Doora Barefield in the annual Rose of Clare Festival in Cooraclare/Cree from Sat 30th July - Fri August 5th. Katie will be interviewed on stage by Ger Sweeney on Tuesday 2nd August. Tickets available from the Ticket Office in Cooraclare hall Wed 20th & Thursday 21st July 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm or by contacting Breda on 086) 8575433. Tickets €12 each/€20 for both nights.

Tax Back Scheme for Eligible Charities - Our Parish is an Eligible Charity within this Scheme. All donations of €250 and over from both PAYE Tax Payers and Self-employed Persons now qualify for a Tax Refund of 31%. This Tax Refund can now only be claimed by a qualifying Charity. In 2014 a Tax claim form was completed by many eligible Parishioners and this form extends for a five year period. We have sent out a Tax Claim form to all Parishioners who are eligible this year or may not have returned the completed form in 2014. **We would urge those who have not returned their form yet to do so as soon as possible as this reclaimed tax forms a very important part of our annual income.** We thank our parishioners for their continued generosity.

Fundraising Events - Help needed: Tour De Munster cycle will take place **from 4th to 7th August**. Funds raised between these dates are vitally important to the Clare Branch to offer support to families with Down syndrome members throughout the county. Come and take part! The cycle and bucket shaking will be in Killaloe on Thursday the 4th, on Friday the 5th bucket shaking in Miltown Malbay, Ennis and Kilrush. Cyclists will be coming through Ennis and Kilrush before heading to Kerry via the ferry in Killimer. Please come and show your support by cheering the cyclists on along the route or bucket shaking. Volunteers should email downsyndromecclare@gmail.com More information can be found on Down Syndrome Clare Facebook page

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon

**God is in his holy place,
God who unites those who dwell in his
house;
he himself gives might and strength to his
people.**

PENITENTIAL RITE

P. Have mercy on us, O Lord

C. For we have sinned against you.

P. Show us, O Lord, your mercy.

C. And grant us your salvation.

P. May almighty God have mercy on us,
forgive us our sins, and bring us to
everlasting life.

C. Amen.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace
to people of good will. We praise you, we bless
you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you
thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly
King, God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the
world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are
the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus
Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God
the Father. **Amen**

A reading from the book of Genesis.

Gen 18:20-32

The Lord said, 'How great an outcry there is
against Sodom and Gomorrah! How grievous is
their sin! I propose to go down and see whether
or not they have done all that is alleged in the
outcry against them that has come up to me. I
am determined to know'.

The men left there and went to Sodom
while Abraham remained standing before the
Lord. Approaching him he said, 'Are you really
going to destroy the just man with the sinner?
Perhaps there are fifty just men in the town. Will
you really overwhelm them, will you not spare
the place for the fifty just men in it? Do not think
of doing such a thing: to kill the just man with
the sinner, treating just and sinner alike! Do not
think of it! Will the judge of the whole earth not
administer justice?' The Lord replied, 'If at
Sodom I find fifty just men in the town, I will
spare the whole place because of them.'

Abraham replied, 'I am bold indeed to
speak like this to my Lord, I who am dust and
ashes. But perhaps the fifty just men lack five:
will you destroy the whole city for five?' 'No', he
replied, 'I will not destroy it if I find forty-five just
men there'. Again Abraham said to him,
'Perhaps there will only be forty there'. 'I will not
do it', he replied, 'for the sake of the forty'.

Abraham said, 'I trust my Lord will not be

angry, but give me leave to speak: perhaps
there will only be thirty there'. 'I will not do it', he
replied, 'if I find thirty there'. He said, 'I am
bold indeed to speak like this, but perhaps there
will only be twenty there'. 'I will not destroy it',
he replied, 'for the sake of the twenty'. He said,
'I trust my Lord will not be angry if I speak once
more: perhaps there will only be ten.' 'I will not
destroy it' he replied 'for the sake of the ten.'

The Word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

**Response: On the day I called,
you answered me, O Lord.**

I thank you, Lord, with all my heart,
you have heard the words of my mouth.
Before the angels I will bless you.
I will adore before your holy temple. **R**

I thank you for your faithfulness and love
which excel all we ever knew of you.
On the day I called, you answered;
you increased the strength of my soul. **R**

The Lord is high yet he looks on the lowly
and the haughty he knows from afar.
Though I walk in the midst of affliction
you give me life and frustrate my foes. **R**

You stretch out your hand and save me,
Your hand will do all things for me.
Your love, O Lord, is eternal,
Discard not the work of your hands. **R**

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Colossians. Col 2:12-14

You have been buried with Christ, when you were
baptised; and by baptism, too, you have been
raised up with him through your belief in the pow-
er of God who raised him from the dead. You
were dead, because you were sinners and had
not been circumcised: he has brought you to life
with him, he has forgiven us all our sins.
He has overridden the Law, and cancelled every
record of the debt that we had to pay; he has
done away with it by nailing it to
the cross.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

*The word was made flesh and lived among us;
To all who did accept him He gave power to
become children of God. **Alleluia!***

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke. Lk 11:1-13

Once Jesus was in a certain place praying, and
when he had finished, one of his disciples said,
'Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his
disciples.' He said to them, 'Say this when you
pray:

'Father, may your name be held holy

your kingdom come;
give us each day our daily bread,
and forgive us our sins,
for we ourselves forgive
each one who is in debt to us.
And do not put us to the test."

He also said to them, 'Suppose one of
you has a friend and goes to him in the middle of
the night to say, "My friend, lend me three
loaves, because a friend of mine on his travels
has just arrived at my house and I have nothing
to offer him"; and the man answers from inside
the house, "Do not bother me. The door is bolted
now, and my children and I are in bed; I cannot
get up to give it to you," I tell you, if the man
does not get up and give it to him for friendship's
sake, persistence will be enough to make him
get up and give his friend all he wants.

'So I say to you: Ask, and it will be given to
you; search, and you will find; knock, and the
door will be opened to you. For the one who
asks always receives; the one who searches
always finds; the one who knocks will always
have the door opened to him. What father
among you would hand his son a stone when he
asked for bread? Or hand him a snake instead of
a fish? Or hand him a scorpion if he asked for an
egg? If you then, who are evil, know how to give
your children what is good, how much more will
the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those
who ask him!

The Gospel of the Lord

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible
and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the
Father before all ages. God from God, Light from
Light, true God from true God, begotten, not
made, consubstantial with the Father; through
him all things were made. For us men and for
our salvation he came down from heaven, and
by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin
Mary, and became man. For our sake he was
crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death
and was buried, and rose again on the third day
In accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended
into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the
Father. He will come again in glory to judge the
living and the dead and his kingdom will have no
end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the
giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and
the Son, who with the Father and the Son is
adored and glorified, who has spoken through
the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and
apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the
forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the
resurrection of the dead and the life of the
world to come. **Amen.**

Communion Antiphon

**Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and never forget all his benefits.**