



DOORA BAREFIELD PARISH NEWSLETTER

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 4th February 2018



MASS TIMES

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

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**Deadline for Newsletter
 Tuesday @ 4.00pm**

**Send items to
 doorabarefieldparish@eircom.net
 Current newsletter on parish website at
 1.00pm each Wednesday**

Church of Our Lady Basket Collector
 3 Feb: Bernard Keane/Annette Reidy
 10 Feb: M Dooley/Angela O'Halloran

Doora Church Sacristan
 4th Feb: Anne Marie Custy
 11th Feb: Martha Neylon

Finance Development Fund
 Barefield: €155.12
 Doora: €92.37
 Church of Our Lady: €347.65
 Development: €1139.99
Mile Buiochas – Many Thanks

Doora Barefield GAA Lotto
 Next weeks Jackpot €11,000
 Venue: Shibeen
 Winners of €50
 Moya Moloney, Skehanagh
 Mary Leyden, c/o Tony O'Loughlin
 Declan Meehan, Ballymacahill
 Patrick Crowe, Ruan

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje 14th June 2018
 Spiritual Director Fr Paddy Conway
 Contact Bernadette 0861634553



RIP

**Mary Conlan,
 Drim, Quin**

**PJ McMahon,
 Connolly & Wexford, brother of
 Michael McMahon, Ballymacahill**

Remembered in Masses

C Our Lady:	Ger Hoey	3rd Feb
C Our Lady:	Patrick Hannon	3rd Feb
C Our Lady:	Pat Nihill MM	3rd Feb
Doora:	Patrick McNamara	4th Feb
Doora:	Con Keane	4th Feb
Doora:	Tom Hallinan	4th Feb
C Our Lady:	Joe O'Halloran	10th Feb
Doora:	John Ciune	11th Feb
Barefield:	Joe Whyte	11th Feb
Barefield:	Seán Griffin	11th Feb
Barefield: 3pm	Mark Hogan	11th Feb

Martin Tobin from Monument Cross in Newmarket On Fergus will hold an exhibition of his work in the Maguire Suite in the Old Ground Hotel on Friday night 23rd February from 8.00pm to 10.00pm. Martins exhibition in association with the Shannon Camera Club will show Martin's work as a photographer and will also show his work on the big screen of the lives of three local people Paddy Keane and Fr John Murphy from Lemenagh. N.M.F and Martin Kennedy the Poet from Violet Hill in Broadford. Donations on the night will go to the **RNLI Lifeboats.**

**Ash Wednesday Masses
 14th February 2018
 Church of Our Lady 7.30am
 Barefield: 9.15am
 Doora: 7pm**



Ministers of Eucharist & Readers

This week:

C Our Lady:	MGardner/HHerlihy/B O'Driscoll	Catherine Purcell
Barefield:	Bernie Murphy & Laura Rowland	Danielle O'Brien
Doora:	Bernie O'Grady	Teresa Grogan

Next week:

C Our Lady:	MGardner/HHerlihy/B O'Driscoll	Carherine Purcell
Barefield:	Nuala Kennedy & Morgan Rowland	Nuala Kennedy
Doora:	Una Chandler	Seamus Enright

RNLI Fund Raiser: Soroptimists International, Ennis & District are hosting "Valentines Jazz Brunch" in the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis on **Sunday 11th February from 12 noon**; Music by Jazz Lite; Guest appearance by The Three Fivers. Tickets from Soroptimist president Pamela Clancy: 087-833900 & Jenny Shaw: 086-8317611

Diary Date - Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: The annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock this year will take place on Sunday 29th July 2018, led by Bishop Fintan Monahan. Save the date – specific details will be announced at a later date.

Alzheimer Society of Ireland Annual Burren Walk takes place on Sunday 11th February. Registration at O'Donoghues Pub, Fanore from 11am to 1pm followed by refreshments and entertainment. Contact office 065 6868621 for further information.

Clare Archaeological and Historical Society. 'Irish Traditional Music in Ennis 1950 - 1980' - a talk by Dr Geraldine Cotter. Lecture takes place on Tuesday 13th February in the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis, at 8pm. Lectures are free to members, €5 for non-members. New members are always welcome. Hope you can join us. Enquiries to fogorman51@gmail.com Tel 087 2262259

HurleyHoey 2018—The sixth annual staging of the HurleyHoey will take place on Saturday March 10th in Gurteen, Doora. Remember 50/30km Cycle starts at 10am and 10km Run/Walk at 11am with all proceeds going to two local charities - Clare Suicide Bereavement Support and the Clare Alzheimer's Society. Online registration is now open.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes Next Sunday 11th February World Day of Prayer for the Sick is the 160th anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Lady to St. Bernadette in Lourdes. This year's Diocesan Pilgrimage will leave Shannon on Tuesday June 26th, returning on Sunday July 1st. The cost this year is €705 per person sharing. €10 discount for online booking at www.joewalshstours.ie Booking forms can be obtained from: Joe Walsh Tours, 143 Lower Baggot Street, Dublin 2. Telephone: (01) 2410810 A limited number of sick or assisted pilgrims will be accommodated in the Sanctuary of Lourdes at a cost of €611. Applications for sick pilgrims only to Fr. Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director, SS John & Paul Presbytery, Shannon, Co. Clare. Telephone: (061) 364133 Families or individuals often sponsor a family member, parents, or a friend on the occasion of an anniversary or Jubilee with a visit to Lourdes. Sponsorship for sick people is always welcome. For more details, see poster in Church porch and on the Killaloe Diocese website www.killaloeocese.ie

The Irish Cancer Society operates a free transport service for patients attending hospital for chemotherapy treatment. Volunteer Drivers pick the patient up at the door of their home, drop them at the hospital door, then when finished treatment, will pick them up and drop them home. Volunteer expenses are paid. Patients wishing to avail of this free service should contact their healthcare professional, visit the Society's website at irishcancer.ie or contact the Irish Cancer Society for more information on 01 2310 522.

Prolife Meeting will be held next Thursday 8th February, 8 p.m. in the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis on Prolife/Loveboth Campaign. The meeting will be addressed by Senator Ronan Mullen and Ms. Katie Ascoug, former Student Union President, UCD

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon

O come, let us worship God
and bow low before the God who made us,
for he is the Lord our God

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 Job.

Jb 7:1-4.6-7

Job began to speak:

Is not man's life on earth nothing
more than pressed service,
his time no better than hired
drudgery?

Like the slave, sighing for the shade,
or the workman with no thought but his
wages,
months of delusion I have assigned to
me,
nothing for my own but nights of grief.
Lying in bed I wonder, "When will it be
day?"

Risen I think, "How slowly evening
comes!"

Restlessly I fret till twilight falls.
Swifter than a weaver's shuttle my days
have passed, and vanished, leaving no
hope behind.

Remember that my life is but a breath,
and that my eyes will never again see
joy.

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

Praise the Lord who heals the brokenhearted.

Praise the Lord for he is good;
sing to our God for he is loving:
to him our praise is due. **R**

The Lord builds up Jerusalem
and brings back Israel's exiles,
he heals the broken-hearted,
he binds up all their wounds.

He fixes the number of the stars;
he calls each one by its name. **R**

Our Lord is great and almighty;
his wisdom can never be measured.

The Lord raises the lowly;
he humbles the wicked to the dust. **R**

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul

to the Corinthians.

1 Cor 9:16-19.22-23

I do not boast of preaching the gospel, since
it is a duty which has been laid on me; I
should be punished if I did not preach it! If I
had chosen this work myself, I might have
been paid for it, but as I have not, it is a
responsibility which has been put into my
hands. Do you know what my reward is? It is
this: in my preaching, to be able to offer the
Good News free, and not insist on the rights
which the gospel gives me.

So though I am not a slave of any
man I have made myself the slave of
everyone so as to win as many as I could.
For the weak I made myself weak. I made
myself all things to all men in order to save
some at any cost; and I still do this, for the
sake of the gospel, to have a share in its
blessing.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the light of the world, says the Lord,

anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

Mk 1:29-39

On leaving the synagogue, Jesus went with
James and John straight to the house of
Simon and Andrew. Now Simon's mother-in-law

had gone to bed with fever, and they told
him about her straightaway. He went to her,
took her by the hand and helped her up. And
the fever left her and she began to wait on
them.

That evening, after sunset, they
brought to him all who were sick and those

who were possessed by devils. The whole
town came crowding round the door, and
he cured many who were suffering from
diseases of one kind or another; he also
cast out many devils, but he would not
allow them to speak, because they knew
who he was.

In the morning, long before dawn,
he got up and left the house, and went off
to a lonely place and prayed there. Simon
and his companions set out in search of
him, and when they found him they said,
'Everybody is looking for you.' He
answered, 'Let us go elsewhere, to the
neighbouring country towns, so that I can
preach there too, because that is why I
came.' And he went all through Galilee,
preaching in their synagogues and casting
out devils.

**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

**Let them thank the Lord for his mercy,
his wonders for the children of men
for he satisfies the thirsty soul,
and the hungry he fills with good things.**