

DOORA BAREFIELD PARISH NEWSLETTE
Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - 15th November, 2020

Mass Times
Church of Our Lady, Roslevan:
Saturday 6pm
Daily Mass:
Monday to Friday 9.30am

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Deadline for Newsletter

Tuesday @ 3pm

Send items to

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**Current newsletter on parish web-
site at 1.00pm each Wednesday**

Doora Barefield GAA Lotto

Next weeks Jackpot: €9400

Venue: Clubhouse, Winners of €50



Sarah Coffey, Hillcrest

Ian Carolan, Spencilhill

Raymond Power, Creggaun

Colm Ryan c/o Jimmy McNamara

The Club Lotto is now available to
play online through the Club Website.

Your continued support is
greatly appreciated.

**Hope is being able to see
that there is light
despite all of the darkness.**

Archbishop Desmond Tutu



RIP



Remember In Your Prayers

Maureen Daly,

Birmingham

& Knockanoura, Tulla Rd.

**Goodbyes are only for those
who love with their eyes.**

**Because for those who love with
their heart and soul
there is no separation**

ANNIVERSARY MASSES

**Church of our Lady,
Roslevan**

Pat McGuire 1st Anniv.

Michael Lyons

In November, We Remember



This Sunday is **World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims** when we remember all those killed or seriously injured on our roads. We remember those bereaved and those recovering from injuries. We also acknowledge the work of dedicated emergency crews, Gardai and medical professionals, who deal daily with the traumatic aftermath of road accidents.

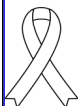
November Masses of Remembrance—Masses are being offered during the month of November for all who are on the list of the dead in our parish. We invite you to submit the names of those you would like to have remembered during those masses. Envelopes are available in our Church porches and can be returned to the Parish Office or Church. Masses will begin on Monday 2nd November All Souls' Day and continue on Friday 6th November, Tuesday 10th November, Wednesday 18th November, Thursday 26th November and Monday 30th November. Join us on parish webcam—www.doorabarefieldparish.ie/webcam.

Return of Tax Form - Tax Back Scheme for Eligible Charities - We would urge those who have not yet returned their Tax Form to the Parish Office to do so within the next five days to enable us to reclaim this Tax which now forms a very important part of our annual income. We thank parishioners for your continued generous donations to our Parish and your diligent completion of the necessary forms. Please return form to Parish Office on or before 18th Nov. Thank You.



St. Joseph's Doora Barefield GAA Club AGM will take place on Friday December 4th 7.30pm online due to Covid-19 restrictions. Any motions or nominations need to be submitted to secretary.stjosephsdoorabarefield.clare@gaa.ie by Friday November 27th.

**Eucharistic Adoration in St. Breacan's Church, Doora each Wednesday
6pm to 9pm. New and old members welcome.**



Remembrance Ribbon: Traditionally we gather at this time to pray for our departed loved ones and for all those suffering bereavement. Unfortunately at present we can't gather physically - however you're invited to tie a remembrance ribbon on the railing of Doora Church as a sign of support and solidarity with our faith community.

Parish Office open as usual - Monday & Tuesday 9am to 5pm; Wednesday 9am to 12.30 pm.
Mass Cards: Individual and Shared Novena Mass Cards available in Parish Office during Office Hours.

Bishop Fintan's latest publication "Peace Smiles", rediscovering Trappist Monk Thomas Merton can be purchased for €10 in Ennis Parish Office. Congratulations Bishop Fintan on his latest publication.

Diocesan Day of Remembrance

Because 2020 has been a year like no other, the Diocese of Killaloe, in collaboration with the Anglican Diocese of Limerick, Killaloe & Ardfer, has decided to hold a **Day of Remembrance** on November 20th for those who have died in 2020. This Day aims to acknowledge those who have died this year and those who have been bereaved through the death of loved ones. It includes the remembrance of those who have died as a result of the global pandemic, as well as those who have died from other causes during the year. The day will help us to remember our own beloved dead but also acknowledge and pray for those whose passing and mourning has been so cruelly affected by the COVID protocols in hospitals and nursing homes and around funerals. The focus of the Remembrance Day will be on short moments of prayer in which everyone can participate at home. These include the following:

- A short radio message and blessing from Bishop Fintan and Bishop Kenneth Kearon (Church of Ireland) will mark the beginning of the day's prayer. (This will also be available on diocesan and parish websites, on Facebook and other social media platforms).
- A Diocese-wide moment of silence and individual prayer at 12 noon to remember the dead and bereaved. The angelus bell will be a reminder of this moment.
- A short prayer time to be broadcast on Clare FM and Tipp FM on Friday evening around 7pm.
- People are invited to light candles and place them in the window in the evening as an act of remembrance.



Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction.

You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

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 Proverbs.

Pr. 31:10-13.19-20.30-31

A perfect wife - who can find her?

She is far beyond the price of pearls.

Her husband's heart has confidence in her, from her he will derive no little profit.

Advantage and not hurt she brings him all the days of her life.

She is always busy with wool and with flax,

she does her work with eager hands.

She sets her hands to the distaff,

her fingers grasp the spindle.

She holds out her hand to the poor,

she opens her arms to the needy.

Charm is deceitful, and beauty empty;

the woman who is wise is the one to

praise.

Give her a share in what her hands have

worked for and let her works tell

Her praises at the city gates.

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

Response:

O Blessed are those who fear the Lord.

O blessed are those who fear the Lord

And walk in his ways!

By the labour of your hands you shall eat.

You will be happy and prosper. **R**

Your wife is like a fruitful vine

In the heart of your house;

Your children like shoots of the olive,

around your table. **R**

Indeed thus shall be blessed

The man who fears the Lord.

May the Lord bless you from Zion

In a happy Jerusalem

All the days of your life. **R**

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians.

1 Th 5:1-6

You will not be expecting us to write anything to you, brothers, about 'times and seasons', since you know very well that the Day of the Lord is going to come like a thief in the night. It is when people are saying, 'How quiet and peaceful it is' that the worst suddenly happens, as suddenly as labour pains come on a pregnant woman; and there will be no way for anybody to evade it.

But it is not as if you live in the dark, my brothers, for that Day to overtake you like a thief. No, you are all sons of light and sons of the day:

we do not belong to the night or to darkness,

so we should not go on sleeping, as everyone

else does, but stay wide awake and sober.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Even if you have to die, says the Lord,

Keep faithful, and I will give you

The crown of life. Alleluia!

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Mt. 25:14-30

Jesus spoke this parable to his disciples:

'The kingdom of heaven is like a man on

his way abroad who summoned his servants

and entrusted his property to them.

To one he gave five talents, to another two, to a third one; each in proportion to his ability. Then he set out.

Now a long time after, the master of those servants came back and went through his accounts with them. The man who had received the five talents came forward bringing five more. "Sir", he said "you entrusted me with five talents;

here are five more that I have made."

His master said to him, "Well done, good and faithful servant; you have shown you can be faithful in small things, I will trust you with greater; come and join in your master's happiness."

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

To be near God is my happiness,

To place my hope in God the Lord.