



DOORA BAREFIELD PARISH NEWSLETTER
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time — 3rd October, 2021



Mass Times
 Doora: Sunday 9.45am
 Barefield: Sunday 11.15am
 Church of Our Lady Roslevan
 Saturday 6pm
 Daily Mass: Mon to Fri 9.30am

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

Finance Development Fund
26th Sept. 2021
 Barefield: €15
 Doora: €55.95
 Church of Our Lady: €55.65
 Development: €970.06
Míle Buíochas

Doora Barefield GAA Lotto
 Next weeks Jackpot: €6,800
 Venue: Clubhouse.
 Winners of €50
 Brian Gillespie, Corofin.
 Micháel Conlon, Barefield.
 Sarah McMahon, Doora.
 Mairead O'Loughlin, Toureen
Thank you for your support

Congratulations



The Sacraments of First Holy Communion & Confirmation have now been administered to the three schools in our parish. .

Congratulations and blessings to all the pupils who received the Sacraments. Thank you to their parents, teachers and Fr. Joy for preparing them.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Sunday 3rd October at Doora.
 Paddy & Pat Cullinan, Deerpark, Doora.

Sunday 3rd October at Barefield.
 Philomena Nugent, Chipfield, Barefield. MM.

Sunday 10th October at Barefield.
 John Cleary, College Rd.



Ministers of Eucharist & Readers

This week:
 COur Lady: SGarvey NCollins HHerlihy Olive Harvey
 Barefield: MDowling/RConlon Bernadette Murphy
 Doora: Marie Considine Tom Meade

Next week:
 COur Lady: SGarvey NCollins HHerlihy Claire Cremin
 Barefield: MWhyte/JDevitt Nuala Galvin
 Doora: Patricia Hassett Noreen O'Connor



Rosary on the Coast: for life and faith. We join in with many countries from around the globe. Sunday 10th October at 2.30pm—St. Joseph's Well, Gort Road, Ennis. All welcome.

Autumn Priests Collection this weekend Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd October. Envelopes are available in the porches of our three churches or you can use your own envelope You can also donate on line in a safe and secure way via our parish website using the Donate tab. We thank you for your continued support throughout the pandemic.



Welcome to Fr Tom Fitzpatrick
 This weekend we welcome Fr. Tom to our parish and the Abbey Pastoral Area. Fr Tom is no stranger to the parish , in the past while ministering in Ennis Community College he did weekend ministry in the parish. A native of Doonbeg, Fr Tom studied for the priesthood in St Patrick's College Carlow and was ordained a priest in Doonbeg in June 1983. After Ordination , his first appointment was as curate in Sixmilebridge and in 1987 he was appointed to then Ennis Vocational School , later to become Ennis Community College where he worked for 19 years. In 2006 he became Parish Priest of Newmarket-on-Fergus and for the past 15 years he has given very faithful service to that parish. He comes among us now at a time of new beginnings and we wish

him every blessing as he gets to know us in the parish of Doora Barefield while also serving the Abbey Pastoral Area. Fr Tom will reside in the presbytery at 3 The Woods Cappahard.

Céad Míle Fáilte

Mary's Meals International school feeding charity, Mary's Meals, have announced that they are now feeding more than 2 million children every school day, in 19 of the poorest countries around the world. To celebrate this wonderful achievement, Mary's Meals Ireland is hoping to raise enough funds to feed ALL of the children, for one day. It costs just 9c to provide a nourishing meal in school, and so, a little goes a long way. To find out more, or to donate, please visit their website www.marysmeals.ie, or call Patricia Friel on 086 314 0814.

Cois na hAbhna, Galway Road, Ennis - Mike Mahoney's Advanced Set Dancing Class for Adults returns Wednesday October 6th, 8.30pm - 10.30pm - Entry only with Covid Vaccination Certificate. For details of all other classes please see website www.coisnhabhna.ie, phone - 065 68 24276, email eolas@coisnhabhna.ie

Restore Communication, Renew Commitment and Rekindle Romance. This is an online experience (using Zoom), starting on Friday evening at 8pm and ending on Sunday afternoon at 2:30pm. Details <https://www.marriagecounter.ie>

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will.

For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

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 2:18-24

The Lord God said, 'It is not good that the man should be alone. I will make him a helpmate.' So from the soil the Lord God fashioned all the wild beasts and all the birds of heaven. These he brought to the man to see what he would call them; each one was to bear the name the man would give it. The man gave names to all the cattle, all the birds of heaven and all the wild beasts. But no helpmate suitable for man was found for him.

So the Lord God made the man fall into a deep sleep. And while he slept, he took one of his ribs and enclosed it in flesh. The Lord built the rib he had taken from the man into a woman, and brought her to the man. The man exclaimed:

'This at last is bone from my bones, and flesh from my flesh!

This is to be called woman, for this was taken from man.'

This is why a man leaves his father and mother and joins himself to his wife, and

They become one body.

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

Response: May the Lord bless us

All the days of our life.

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 will be 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!

May you see your children's children.

On Israel, peace!

R.

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

Heb 2:9-11

We see in Jesus one who was for a short while made lower than the angels and is now crowned with glory and splendour because he submitted to death; by God's grace he had to experience death for all mankind.

As it was his purpose to bring a great many of his sons into glory, it was appropriate that God, for whom everything exists and through whom everything exists, should make perfect, through suffering, the leader who would take them to their salvation. For the one who sanctifies, and the ones who are sanctified, are of the same stock; that is why he openly calls them brothers.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Your word is truth, O Lord,

Consecrate us in the truth.

Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Mk 10:2-16

Some Pharisees approached Jesus and asked, 'Is it against the law for a man to divorce his wife?' They were testing him. He answered them, 'What did Moses command you?' 'Moses allowed us', they said 'to draw up a writ of dismissal and so to divorce.' Then Jesus said to them, 'It was because you were so unteachable that he wrote this commandment for you. But from the beginning of creation God made them male

and female. This is why a man must leave father and mother, and the two become one body. They are no longer two, therefore, but one body. So then, what God has united, man must not divide.' Back in the house the disciples questioned him again about this, and he said to them, 'The man who divorces his wife and marries another is guilty of adultery against her. And if a woman divorces her husband and marries another she is guilty of adultery too.'

People were bringing little children to him, for him to touch them. The disciples turned them away, but when Jesus saw this he was indignant and said to them, 'Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. I tell you solemnly, anyone who does not welcome the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it.' Then he put his arms round them, laid his hands on them and gave them his blessing.

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

Though many, we are one bread, one body for we all partake of the one Bread and one Chalice.