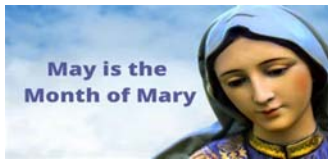


DOORA BAREFIELD PARISH NEWSLETTER

Mass Times

Church of Our Lady, Roslevan	
Daily Mass	9.30am
Saturday Vigil Mass	6pm
St. Breacan's Church, Doora	
Sunday	9.45am
Immaculate Conception, Barefield	
Sunday	11.15am
Tuesday	9.30am
www.doorabarefieldparish.ie/webcam	



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Third Sunday of Easter - 1st May, 2022

CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN, ALLELUIA!

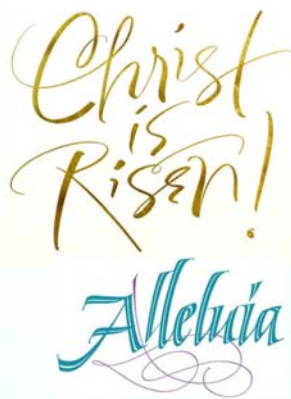
We can never sing or say that often enough, loudly enough or with sufficient faith and joy. At Mass today we hear the story of resurrection as told in the final chapter of St John's Gospel.

It is story of fishermen, a fish breakfast and of old friends reuniting. Jesus first met Peter and many of the other disciples when they were fishermen. They left all that behind to follow him. Now they had gone back to their boats and Jesus comes to them again. The circle is complete. This time it is not the flesh and blood Jesus with whom they had walked the roads of Palestine, climbed mountains, crossed lakes, sat with at table, heard preach and witnessed comfort the afflicted and defy the proud. This Easter morning they meet the risen Lord whom they had seen arrested, crucified and put to death.

What makes today's Gospel reading so striking is the ordinariness of it all. The Lord doesn't appear to the disciples with a display of power and glory. He comes among them as a friend. He waits for them on the shore. They first see him as a dimly lit figure on the shoreline. They weren't sure at first. But once they hear his voice, they soon realise that it could only be Jesus.



They had a poor night's fishing, but their disappointment vanishes when Jesus comes to them. The Lord prepares a fire on the lakeshore. Together, they cook and eat some of the fish that they had just caught. The disciples needed the company of their friend who had been taken from them just as they needed warm food after their long night on the lake.



The Lord comes into our hearts through the ordinary bits and pieces of our lives. Sometimes he might seem a distant, vague, dimly lit figure as we struggle to make sense of life. But there are also times when we feel the embrace of his presence and love.

There are moments when we meet the Lord as a companion at table, sitting beside us sharing in our joys, hopes, griefs and anxieties as friends do. Whether he seems near or far, the Lord is always present as our friend and saviour.

At Mass this Easter day, we hear the Lord's voice as his word is proclaimed. As we gather around the table of the Lord to receive his body we become united to him.

Christ the Lord is risen, Alleluia!

Priest on Duty 1st May, 2022.
Contact: Fr. Antun Pasalic - Tel. 6869098

Remembered in Masses this week

CHURCH OF OUR LADY
ROSLEVAN

30th April: Kathleen Egan, Tulla Rd.
Michael Reidy, The Willows, Oakleigh Wood, Tulla Rd.
7th May: No intention booked.

ST. BRECAN'S CHURCH, DOORA

1st May: No intention booked.
8th May: Marion Keane, Newpark.
Betty Cullinan, Knockanean, Tulla Rd.
Enright Family, Doora.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION, BAREFIELD

1st May: PJ Flannery, Ballymaley.
Patrick Conlon, Ballymacon.
8th May: Tess & Danny Malone, Templemaley.

9.30am Mass each Tuesday in Barefield Church.
Novena Mass in Church of Our Lady each Monday 9.30am

Finance Development Fund

24th April, 2022
Barefield: €24
Doora: €21.65
Church of Our Lady: €80
Development: €695.89
Míle buiochas.



**Ministers of Eucharist
& Readers**



This week:

COur Lady:	TBohannon/DLeahy/MO'Callaghan	Olive Harvey
Barefield:	MHassett/Liam Murphy	Tommy Duggan
Doora:	Maria Considine	Sean Considine

Next week:

COur Lady:	KMorris/NBecker/JO'Connor	Olive Harvey
Barefield:	CDeloughery/MClohessy	Teresa Nash
Doora:	Martha Neylon	Laura Burke



Doora Sacristans

1st May: Mary Hallinan
8th May: Mary Corry

Get Well & Mass Bouquet Cards

Get Well and Mass Bouquet Cards now available in Parish Office during Office Hours or in the porches of our three Churches. Shared and Full Sympathy Cards also available. Cards have images of each of our three Churches. Full Mass or Shared Novena Masses
Novena Mass offered each Monday in Church of Our Lady at 9.30am. Full Masses offered individually.

St. Joseph's Well: There has been vandalism and anti-social behaviour at St Joseph Well, Gort Road in recent days. The blue cross has been destroyed and bonfire lit at back of St Joseph statue and beer cans scattered everywhere. Those people who habitually frequent this "Oasis of Peace" are shocked at the abuse. It is important that all incidents or any suspicious activity are reported immediately to the Gardai.

RIP

Remember in your prayers

Mary Conway (nee Brennan),
Larchill.

Norah Lynch,
Kilbricken House, Clarecastle.

Margaret Kearns,
Eyrecourt, Galway,
Sister of Jimmy Kearns, Ballycarroll.

John Kelly,
Clahanes, Doonbeg
Brother of Mona Costelloe, Ballyalla
& Sr. Mairéad, Ennis.

May they rest in peace.

*Always Be Optimistic
in Jesus!*

Trust in the Son of God.
Trust in His divine power,
His divine providence, and
His divine intervention.

For Jesus has risen!
He has all power.
He is the Abundant Provider
for all who trust in Him!

**Don't let any thought distract you
from this truth!**

You belong to the Lord.
You are a child of God.
You have access to all that you need.
You have every reason to give
a smile,
a cheerful word, and
a hopeful look.
You have every reason to be

Optimistic in Jesus!

LOURDES 2022

After an absence of two years, due to the Covid pandemic our Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes resumes again this year from 28th June to 3rd July, direct from Shannon Airport. Sick or assisted pilgrims will not travel this year. Cost €739 to €759 depending on the choice of hotel, Agena or La Solitude. To reserve your place please contact

Joe Walsh Tours -Tel: 01-2410800, email: info@joewalstours.ie

Post: Joe Walsh Tours 69 O'Connell Street Dublin 1

The autumn pilgrimage will take place from 2nd to 7th October

2022. Enquiries to Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director 087- 2349816

or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

Invitation to Pilgrimage Day at Knock Shrine

Our annual pilgrimage to Knock Shrine takes place on 22nd May next. We are inviting new members from the Parish and community to consider attending. The day will include a tour of the grounds, a visit to the Museum, concelebrated Mass, and time to enjoy lunch and explore the beautiful Shrine grounds and services therein.



The Ark Children's Club at The HUB is available for those coming with small children (open Wednesday to Sunday). A bus will be organised by Brigdale Coaches 087 -2661333 (Contact Cian) and Noel O' Shea 087-2550155 (Contact Noel) Any questions Contact – Claire 065-6828638 Killaloe Diocesan Office. Visit www.knockshrien.ie for further details

Lough Derg Our Diocesan pilgrimage will take place from Mon 1st to Wed 3rd August. Details from Ennis Parish Office. Bishop Fintan will lead all three pilgrimages making them a Diocesan gathering for all parishes to participate.

South for Susan and Antoinette



Liam Duggan will take part in a Charity Cycle from Malin Head to Mizen Head in memory of two friends, Susan O'Neill, Ballyea and Antoinette Pender, Quilty who passed away from cancer in July and November last year. The cycle will be held from June 6th to 10th and the cyclists will raise funds for Sláinte an Chláir and Cancer Care West. There will be a Flag Day and Church Gate collection on Saturday April 30th. Anybody wishing to support Liam can by sponsorship cards or can donate by Bank Transfer to A.I.B. IBAN. IE71AI-BK93538757123183 or on the Go fund me page South for Susan and Antoinette <https://gofund.me/2a5f6549>.

Trócaire

Now that the Lenten Season has concluded we invite you to return your Trócaire box or offerings.

Your support for Trócaire is very much appreciated at these difficult times to respond to the cry of the poor in so many parts of the world



Doora Barefield Mothers & Others are training every Tuesday Night @ 7.30pm in Gurteen. Fitness & fun for Mums, Aunts, & Grannys. All welcome,

Queen of the May



Bring flowers of the rarest, Bring blossoms the fairest,
From garden and woodland and hillside and dale;
Our full hearts are swelling, Our glad voices telling
The praise of the loveliest flower of the vale!

*O Mary we crown thee with blossoms today!
Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.
O Mary we crown thee with blossoms today,
Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.*

O Virgin most tender, Our homage we render,
Thy love and protection, Sweet Mother, to win.
In danger defend us, In sorrow befriend us,
And shield our hearts From contagion and sin.

Healing Programme for People Bereaved by Suicide.

Are you finding it difficult to cope with the death by suicide of a family member or friend?

You could get help at a Healing Programme organised by Clare Suicide Bereavement Support at their premises in Innovation House (near Liddys), Roslevan Centre, Tulla Rd. Ennis, starting at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday May 12th. and continuing for eight consecutive Thursdays.

Please feel welcome to come for support and meet others in the same position as yourself.

For further information phone 086 0565373 Or 087 3698315.

www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com



*Pray, not only because
you need something
But because you have a lot
to be thankful for.*

Doora Barefield GAA Lotto
Next weeks Jackpot €12,600



Venue: Clubhouse: Winners of €50
Denis Meehan, Barefield
Edel Hassett, Online
Aine Nagle, Ballyalla
Tommy Keating, Doora
Thank you for your support

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth;
O sing to the glory of his name.
O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

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,
for give 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 glo-
ry of God the Father. Amen.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Acts 5:27-32.40-41

The high priest demanded an explanation of
the apostles. 'We gave you a formal warning',
he said 'not to preach in this name, and what
have you done? You have filled Jerusalem
with your teaching, and seem determined to
fix the guilt of this man's death on us.' In reply
Peter and the apostles said, 'Obedience to
God comes before obedience to men; it was
the God of our ancestors who raised up Je-
sus, but it was you who had him executed by
hanging on a tree. By his own right hand God
has now raised him up to be leader and sav-
iour, to give repentance and forgiveness of
sins through him to Israel. We are witnesses
to all this, we and the Holy Spirit whom God
has given to those who obey him.' They
warned the apostles not to speak in the name
of Jesus and released them. And so they left
the presence of the Sanhedrin glad to have
had the honour of suffering humiliation for the
sake of the name.

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

Response: I will praise you, Lord, you
have rescued me

I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me
and have not let my enemies rejoice over
me.

O lord, you have raised my soul from the
dead,
Restored me to life from those who sink into
the grave. R.

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Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love him,
give thanks to his holy name.

His anger lasts but a moment;
his favour through life.

At night there are tears,
but joy comes with dawn. R.

The Lord listened and had pity. The Lord
came to my help. For me you have changed
my mourning into dancing;
O Lord my God, I will thank you forever. R.

A reading from the book of the Apocalypse.

Apo 5:11-14

In my vision, I, John, heard the sound of an
immense number of angels gathered round the
throne and the animals and the elders;
there were ten thousand times ten thou-
sand of them and thousands upon thou-
sands, shouting, 'The Lamb that was sacri-
ficed is worthy to be given power, riches,
wisdom, strength, honour, glory and bless-
ing.' Then I heard all the living things in crea-
tion - every thing that lives in the air and on
the ground, and under the ground, and in the
sea, crying, 'To the One who is sitting on the
throne and to the Lamb, be all praise, hon-
our, glory and power, for ever and ever.'
And the four animals said, 'Amen'; and the
elders prostrated themselves to worship.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ has risen: he who created all
things, and has granted his mercy to men.

Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

Jn 21:1-19

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples.
It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it hap-
pened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called
the Twin, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee,
the sons of Zebedee and two more of his
disciples were together. Simon Peter said,
'I'm going fishing.' They replied, 'We'll come
with you.' They went out and got into the boat
but caught nothing that night.

It was light by now and there stood Jesus on
the shore, though the disciples did not realise
that it was Jesus. Jesus called out, 'Have you
caught anything, friends?' And when they
answered, 'No', he said, 'Throw the net out to
starboard and you'll find something.'

So they dropped the net, and there were so
many fish that they could not haul it in. The
disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the
Lord.'

At these words 'It is the Lord', Simon Peter,
who had practically nothing on, wrapped his
cloak round him and jumped into the water.
The other disciples came on in the boat, towing
the net and the fish; they were only about a
hundred yards from land.

As soon as they came ashore they saw that
there was some bread there, and a charcoal
fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, 'Bring
some of the fish you have just caught.' Simon
Peter went aboard and dragged the net to the
shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty-
three of them; and in spite of there being so
many the net was not broken.

Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.'
None of the disciples was bold enough to ask,
'Who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the
Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the
bread and gave it to them, and the same with
the fish. This was the third time that Jesus
showed himself to the disciples after rising from
the dead.

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, con-
substantial 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

Jesus said to his disciples: Come and eat.
And he took bread and gave it to them,
alleluia