

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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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 26th June, 2022

A CALL TO COMMITMENT

The gospel message of this Sunday is about the failure of three men who offered to become disciples but could not let go of their attachments. It is a message that transcends all ages.

There is a story in the book of Elizabeth Brenner, entitled *Winning by Letting Go*. Brenner explains how people in India catch monkeys – and catch them alive. They cut a small hole in a box. Then they put a tasty nut in the box. The hole is just large enough for the monkey to put its hand through. But it's too small for the monkey to withdraw its hand once it has clutched the nut inside.

So the monkey has two choices. It can let go of the nut and go free, or it can hold on to the nut and stay trapped. Monkeys usually hold on to the nut. The monkey is a good image of us – in terms of behaviour. The nut represents certain things, vices and people, which we find difficult to let go of. Consequently, we are not really free.

Jesus is looking for commitment on our part; a direct call to become disentangled from the things that keep

us enslaved to materialism. The prospect of economic uncertainty shouldn't deter us. Following him is all about committing ourselves to basic Christian principles; being flavoured with this man Jesus Christ so that others can see goodness and taste worthwhile-ness in the message he has to offer.



When people believe in a cause, they are prepared to make sacrifices and not afraid to pay the price to help them achieve their goal. The tragedy though is that sometimes the goals they set are too great and so they settle for second best, a poor imitation of what they envisioned. We would

need to be careful lest we allow the same to happen to us with regard to our faith. The danger is that we could easily say we're not capable of reaching the ideal so we'll pick and choose what most appeals to us.

Perhaps we can never reach the ideal, but we can try. At the end of life's journey hopefully we will not be judged by results, but what we tried to do and tried to be to the best of our ability.

Priest on Duty 26th June, 2022.
Contact: Fr. Antun Pasalic - Tel. 6869098

Remembered in Masses this week

**CHURCH OF OUR LADY
 ROSLEVAN**

25th June: Margaret & John McTiernan
 & McTiernan & Ryan Families, Scariff.

2nd July: No intention booked.

ST. BRECAN'S CHURCH, DOORA

26th June: Kitty Reddan, Cappahard.
 Brigid O' Mahony, Monanoe.

3rd July: Michael & Mary Canny, Ballyglass.

**CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE
 CONCEPTION, BAREFIELD**

26th June: No intention booked.

3rd July: Kathleen Corry, Muckinish, Spencilhill. MM.
 Val Cosgrove, Ballyalla.

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

Finance Development Fund
 19th June, 2022

Barefield: €150; Doora: €52
 Church of Our Lady: €93; Development: €607
 Mile buíochas.



**Ministers of Eucharist
 & Readers**



This week:

COur Lady:	MMcGuire, MGardber/BBurke	Joe Dilleen
Barefield:	MWhyte/JDevitt	Bernie Murphy
Doora:	Sean Conlan	Anne Marie
Custy:		

Next week:

COur Lady:	PMockler/MDilleen/TBohannon	Joe Dilleen
Barefield:	CLeamy/MDowling	Seamus
Leamy:		



Doora Sacristan

26th June: Margaret Liddy
 3rd July: Mary Enright

Church of Our Lady Basket Collector

25th June & 2nd July: Joan O'Connor & James Reynolds.

Priests Summer Collection

Thank you to all who contributed to the Priests' Summer Collection. If you were away you can still contribute by using the envelope in your donation box or envelope available in porches of our churches.

You can also donate on line on our parish website.

Mile Buiochas to all.

Gardeners' Prayer



Help us, Oh God, to be ever mindful
 of the beauties around us.

May we grow with our flowers in gentleness, patience,
 courage, laughter and religion.

As we turn the brown soil and plant our seed,
 may we learn faith ... faith in the goodness of the earth,
 the clemency of the sun, the fullness of the clouds.

May we be grateful for the privilege of being co-workers
 with God in the creation of even one tiny flower;

And grant that we may know the great joy that comes
 from sharing with others. Amen



Because of Clare's involvement in the All Ireland Hurling Semi Final next Saturday evening 2nd July in Croke Park, it has been decided to move the 6pm Mass in Church of Our Lady, Roslevan to 4pm to facilitate those who wish to watch the game live from home on that evening.

AN CLÁR ABÚ

RIP

Remember in your prayers

Lena Doherty,
 Ballymaley, Barefield.

Teresa Dooley (nee O'Halloran),
 Cork, sister of the late Lott & Joe O'Halloran.

Tony O'Connor,
 Caherogan, Milltown Malbay, brother of Jim, Tulla Rd.

May choirs of angels welcome them.



Graveyard Masses

Annual graveyard masses will take place on Mon 27th, Wednesday 29th & Thursday 30th.
Mass will take place each evening at 7.30pm
All welcome to attend.



Templemaley

Monday June 27th
@ 7.30 pm

Doora

Wednesday June 29th
@ 7.30 pm

Kilraghtis

Thursday June 30th
@ 7.30 pm

On Passing a Graveyard

John O'Donohue

May perpetual light shine upon

The faces of all who rest here.

May the lives they lived

Unfold further in spirit.

May all their past travails

Find ease in the kindness of clay.

May the remembering earth

Mind every memory they brought

May the rains from the heavens

Fall gently upon them.

May the wildflowers and grasses

Whisper their wishes into light.

May we reverence the village of presence

In the stillness of this silent field.

First Friday Mass



First Friday Mass in Church of the Immaculate Conception, Barefield on Friday 1st July at 7pm.

If you or someone you know would like a First Friday call please contact Fr. Tom or the Parish Office with details.

Local Bus serving Barefield

TFI Local Link Limerick Clare run a weekly bus service from Barefield & surrounding areas to Ennis every Saturday.

It departs Hassetts bar at 12:02 and the drop off point in Ennis is Friar's Walk (Temple Gate Hotel).
Departure from Ennis is 14:45.

Availability of home pick-ups along the full route Crusheen to Ennis. Contact 065 6719101 quoting route number C13 and your Eircode to see if possible.

Adult single €1.50 Barefield-Ennis and Free Travel Pass accepted. www.localinklc.ie

Are you living in Ireland Undocumented?

Do you know someone who may be an undocumented migrant? Undocumented people can apply for a legal status now.

Applications for the new Government Undocumented Scheme are open until 31 July. Don't miss this life changing opportunity. To check your eligibility and get support to apply visit the Migrants' Rights Centre Ireland website www.mrci.ie or email info@mrci.ie or contact 083-0755387.

Synodal Pathway



The Diocese has completed the listening phase of our synodal process.

The feedback received has been collated into a 10 page document. If you would like to read this summary document it can be accessed on the Killaloe Diocese webpage

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg

Our Parish and Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg will take place from Monday 1st to Wednesday 3rd August.

The bus will leave from the Cathedral at 7am sharp. Total cost €130.

Early booking is recommended to secure a place. Contact Ennis Parish Office to book - Tel. 6824043.



Doora Barefield GAA Lotto Next weeks Jackpot €14,400



Winners of €50.00

T&E Keane, Gaurus,
Seamus Enright, Doora,
Greg Baker, Dublin
Ivan Kerins, Gort Rd

Thank you for your support.

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon

All peoples, clap your hands.
Cry to God with shouts of joy!

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 first book of the Kings 1 K 19:16.19-21

The Lord said to Elijah: 'Go, you are to anoint
Elisha son of Shaphat, of Abel Meholah, as
prophet to succeed you.'

Leaving there, Elijah came on Elisha son of
Shaphat as he was ploughing behind twelve
yoke of oxen, he himself being with the
twelfth. Elijah passed near to him and threw
his cloak over him. Elisha left his oxen and
ran after Elijah.

'Let me kiss my father and mother, then I will
follow you' he said. Elijah answered, 'Go, go
back; for have I done anything to you?'

Elisha turned away, took the pair of oxen and
slaughtered them.

He used the plough for cooking the oxen, then
gave to his men, who ate.

He then rose, and followed Elijah and became
his servant.

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

Response: O Lord, it is You who are my
portion.

Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.

I say to the Lord: 'You are my God'

O Lord, it is you who are
my portion and cup;
it is you yourself who are my prize. R.

I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel,
who even at night directs my heart.

I keep the Lord ever in my sight:
since he is at my right hand,
I shall stand firm. R.

And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad;
even my body shall rest in safety.

For you will not leave my soul among the
dead, nor let your beloved know decay. R.

You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence,
at your right hand happiness for ever. R.

A Reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians Gal 5:1.13-18

When Christ freed us, he meant us to
remain free. Stand firm, therefore, and do
not submit again to the yoke of slavery.

My brothers, you were called, as you know,
to liberty; but be careful, or this liberty will
provide an opening for self-indulgence.
Serve one another, rather, in works of love,
since the whole of the Law is summarised
in a single command: Love your neighbour
as yourself.

If you go snapping at each other and
tearing each other to pieces, you had
better watch or you will destroy the whole
community.

Let me put it like this: if you are guided by
the Spirit you will be in no danger of yield-
ing to self-indulgence, since self-
indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the
Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it
is precisely because the two are so op-
posed that you do not always carry out
your good intentions. If you are led by the
Spirit no law can touch you.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Speak Lord, your servant is listening:

You have the message of eternal life.

Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel accord- ing to Luke Lk 9:51-62

As the time drew near for him to be taken
up to heaven, Jesus resolutely took the
road for Jerusalem and sent messengers
ahead of him. These set out, and they went
into a Samaritan village to make prepara-
tions for him, but the people would not
receive him because he was making for
Jerusalem. Seeing this, the disciples

James and John said, 'Lord, do you want us
to call down fire from heaven to burn them
up?' But he turned and rebuked them, and
they went off to another village.

As they travelled along they met a man on
the road who said to him, 'I will follow you
wherever you go.' Jesus answered, 'Foxes
have holes and the birds of the air have
nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay
his head.'

Another to whom he said, 'Follow me,' re-
plied, 'Let me go and bury my father first.' But
he answered, 'Leave the dead to bury their
dead; your duty is to go and spread the news
of the kingdom of God.' Another said, 'I will
follow you, sir, but first let me go and say
good-bye to my people at home.'

Jesus said to him, 'Once the hand is laid on
the plough, no one who looks back is fit for
the kingdom of God.'

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 all within me, his holy name.