DOORA BAREFIELD PARISH NEWSLETTER

Mass Times

Church of Our Lady, Roslevan

Daily Mass 9.30am Saturday Vigil Mass 6pm

St. Brecan's Church, Doora

Sunday 9.45am

Immaculate Conception, Barefield

Sunday 11.15am Tuesday 9.30am

www.doorabarefieldparish.ie/webcam



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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 24th July, 2022

World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly

On Tuesday 26th July we celebrate the Feast of St. Joachim and St. Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary and grandparents of Jesus.

The Sunday before the Feast is now designated as World Day of Grandparents and our Elderly.

- Make something special (e.g. a picture, a poem, a treat)
- 2. Ask them to pass on knowledge (learn to bake, cross-stitch, catch a fish, use a hammer)
- 3. Interview (ask questions about their lives)
- 4. Have a sleepover and watch a film together
- Play cards together (ask them to teach you how to play cards)
- 6. Make a family tree with photos or hand drawn images of family members
- 7. Offer to do tasks around the house and garden
- 8. Create a card and tell them you love them
- Share photo albums and tell the storiesbehind the pictures
- 10. Say a prayer together or ask them to teach you how to pray

Prayer for a Blessing on a Long Life

God of mercy, you have given your children the gift of long life, and they ask for your blessing.

Let them feel the tenderness and strength of your presence

As they look back to the past, let them rejoice in your mercy.

As they look to the future, may they persevere in hope that does not fade.

To you be praise and glory forever.



Prayer for Blessings of Grandparents
Lord God almighty,

bless our grandparents with long life, happiness and health.

May they remain constant in your love and be living signs of your presence to their children and grandchildren.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

Priest on Duty 24th July, 2022. Contact: Fr. Ger Jones Tel. 6869098

Remembered in Masses this week

CHURCH OF OUR LADY ROSLEVAN

23rd July: Fr. Michael McNamara. **30th July:** No intention booked.

ST. BRECAN'S CHURCH, DOORA

24th July: Daniel Hogan, Ballaghboy. 1st Anniv.Pat & Maureen O'Dwyer, Deerpark.31st July: Mary O'Dwyer McMahon, Clooney.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, BAREFIELD

24th July: Brendan Hassett, Trinaderry.
Eilish Hurley, Larchill
Mattie & Paddy McInerney, Ballymacahill.
Bridie Talty, Gort Rd.
31st July: Laura Culligan, Rathangan, Co. Kildare & Barefield. 1st Anniv.
John Butler, Ballymaley.

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

Nancy O'Brien, Ballyalla.

Finance Development Fund

17th July , 2022

Barefield: €115

Doora: €55

Church of Our Lady: €82

Development: €662

Míle buíochas.

PARISH OFFICE WILL CLOSE FOR ANNUAL HOLIDAYS on week commencing 1st August and re-open on Monday 8th August



RIP Remember in your prayers

Caitríona McMahon (nee Browne)

Clonteen, Ballyalla

Goodbyes are for those who love with their eyes.
Because for those who love with their heart and soul there is no separation



Ministers of Eucharist & Readers



This week:

COur Lady: Barefield: Doora: PMockler/MDilleen/TBohannon MHassett/LMurphy

Bernard Hallinan

Ciaran Redmond Nuala Galvin Owen O'Mahony

Next week:

COur Lady: Barefield: Doora: PMockler/MDilleen/TBohannon CDeloughery/MClohessy

Mary Barry

Ciaran Redmond Carmel NcGovern Cillian Foley



Doora Sacristan

24th: Mary Hallinan 31st July: Mary Corry

Church of Our Lady Basket Collector 23rd & 30th July: Dan Lenihan & Tom Heath.

Welcome Fr. Dariusz Zarebski.



On July 25th we welcome Fr Dariusz Zarebski from the Archdiocese of Miami, Florida who will be with us here in the parish for almost three weeks in the absence of Fr. Tom. Fr. Dariusz was born in Poland and ordained for the Salvatorian Fathers in 1990. In addition to Polish and English he also understands Russian.

From 1990 to 1994 he served as parochial vicar at several parishes in Poland. He then went to Canada, serving at various parishes there and working as a chaplain for young offenders until 1997, when he was named pastor of St. Ambrose in Coaldale.

From 1998 to 2006 he served as pastor of St. Peter's in Nanaimo, Diocese of Victoria; and from 2006 to 2010 he served as pastor of Holy Cross in Burnaby, Archdiocese of Vancouver.

Since arriving in South Florida in 2011, he has served at St. Ambrose parish in Deerfield Beach, where he is now the Pastor. We look forward to his visit and hope he enjoys his stay among us.

Lourdes Pilgrimage

Sept 22nd –27th Franciscan Pilgrimage October 2nd—7th Diocesan Autumn Pilgrimage Both Pilgrimages direct from Shannon Airport. Details from the Friary or Parish Office.

> Clarecastle Day Centre will be closed from Monday 1st August to the 7th. Re-opening Monday 8th August



Talk to us Walk with us Samaritans Ennis and Clare Branch.

Now that the pandemic restrictions have lifted, our volunteers will be walking 7 km around Ennis at 7pm on 24th July to make sure

people know that we are always available 24/7 and encourage our community to reach out for help.

It's been a challenging few years and we know that many people are still facing all kinds of pressure, however, we want to remind the public that they are not alone. It doesn't matter how great or small the problems feel, our volunteers are here at any time of day or night, whatever they are facing.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg

LOUGH Our Parish & Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg 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

Tour de Munster for Down Syndrome Clare Branch

The 22nd Annual, 600km "Tour De Munster" talks place this year from Aug 4th – 7th where over 150 cyclists will travel the length of Munster raising awareness and funds for our local Down Syndrome Clare branch. Bucket shaking in Ennis, Killaloe & Kilrush on Friday, Aug 5th and any volunteers who wish to help on the day can contact Laura Cahir on 087 2901892. Thanks in advance for your support.

Reek Sunday – 31st July, 2022



Holy Mass on the Summit 8am, 9am, 10am, 10am, 11am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm. Beidh an Aifreann ag 10am as Gaeilge. Confessions on the Summit 7.30am to 2pm.

For more information see www.westportparish.ie

Doora Barefield GAA Lotto Next weeks Jackpot €15,000



Winners of €50.00 Trishia Butler Tulla Rd Vera O'Connor Doora Gerry Clarke Lahinch Rd. Bernie O'Driscoll Doora

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Thought for the Week

Let us not tire of teaching the love of God for it is the force for peace that will overcome and save the world.

So pray now for
Peace before us,
Peace behind us,
Peace under our feet.
Peace within us,
Peace over us,
Peace through us,
Let all around us be peace...

May we all know this peace and feel the touch of the One we call by many names.

May you have the strength to meet the day's troubles.

May all your plans prosper.

May all your plans prosper.

May your victories bring goodness to those around you and those you work with and for.

To set yourself to these ordinary tasks is to take up the holy work of your life. Trust it—
money and possessions and glory;
These things come and go and

they will never make us feel secure.

Love, Serenity, Peace, Charity and Faith is the goal. It comes from living deeply in the gift of life doing the work of love, cultivating our gratitude, and noting the touch of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

Embolden us this day, Eternal God to live with eucharistic hearts open to the call of the Gospel today and everyday

In Jesus name. Amen

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon
God is in his holy place,
God who unites those who dwell in his house;
he himself gives might and strength to his peonle

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 glory of God the Father. Amen.

A reading from the book of Genesis. Gen 18:20-32

The Lord said, 'How great an outcry there is against Sodom and Gomorrah! How grievous is their sin! I propose to go down and see whether or not they have done all that is alleged in the outcry against them that has come up to me. I am determined to know. The men left there and went to Sodom while Abraham remained standing before the Lord. Approaching him he said, 'Are you really going to destroy the just man with the sinner? Perhaps there are fifty just men in the town. Will you really overwhelm them, will you not spare the place for the fifty just men in it? Do not think of doing such a thing: to kill the just man with the sinner, treating just and sinner alike! Do not think of it! Will the judge of the whole earth not administer justice?' The Lord replied, 'If at Sodom I find fifty just men in the town, I will spare the whole place because of them.'

Abraham replied, 'I am bold indeed to speak like this to my Lord, I who am dust and ashes. But perhaps the fifty just men lack five: will you destroy the whole city for five?' 'No', he replied, 'I will not destroy it if I find forty-five just men there'. Again Abraham said to him, 'Perhaps there will only be forty there'. 'I will not do it', he replied for the sake of the forty'.

Abraham said, 'I trust my Lord will not be angry, but give me leave to speak: perhaps there will only be thirty there'. 'I will not do it', he replied.

'if I find thirty there'. He said, 'I am bold indeed to speak like this, but perhaps there will only be twenty there'. 'I will not destroy it,' he replied, 'for the sake of the twenty'. He said, 'I trust my Lord will not be angry if I speak once more: perhaps there will only be ten.' 'I will not destroy it' he replied 'for the sake of the ten.'

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm Response: On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord.

I thank you, Lord, with all my heart, you have heard the words of my mouth. Before the angels I will bless you. I will adore before your holy temple.

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I thank you for your faithfulness and love which excel all we ever knew of you.
On the day I called, you answered; you increased the strength of my soul.

The Lord is high yet he looks on the lowly and the haughty he knows from afar.

Though I walk in the midst of affliction you give me life and frustrate my foes.

You stretch out your hand and save me, Your hand will do all things for me. Your love, O Lord, is eternal, Discard not the work of your hands.

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Colossians. Col 2:12-14

You have been buried with Christ, when you were baptised; and by baptism, too, you have been raised up with him through your belief in the power of God who raised him from the dead. You were dead, because you were sinners and had not been circumcised: he has brought you to life with him, he has forgiven us all our sins.

He has overridden the Law, and cancelled every record of the debt that we had to pay; he has done away with it by nailing it to the cross.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, alleluia!

The word was made flesh and lived among

To all who did accept him He gave power to become children of God. Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke. Lk 11:1-13

Once Jesus was in a certain place praying, and when he had finished, one of his disciples said, 'Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples.' He said to them, 'Say this when you pray:

"Father, may your name be held holy, your kingdom come; give us each day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins. for we ourselves forgive each one who is in debt to us. And do not put us to the test."

He also said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend and goes to him in the middle of the night to say, "My friend, lend me three loaves, because a friend of mine on his travels has just arrived at my house and I have nothing to offer him"; and the man answers from inside the house, "Do not bother me. The door is bolted now, and my children and I are in bed; I cannot get up to give it to you," I tell you, if the man does not get up and give it to him for friendship's sake, persistence will be enough to make him get up and give his friend all he wants.

'So I say to you: Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you. For the one who asks always receives; the one who searches always finds; the one who knocks will always have the door opened to him. What father among you would hand his son a stone when he asked for bread? Or hand him a snake instead of a fish? Or hand him a scorpion if he asked for an egg? If you then, who are evil, know how to give your children what is good, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!

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 never forget all his benefits.