

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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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 31st July, 2022

WALKING TOGETHER

Pope Francis in announcing a Synod to be held in 2023 came as a surprise but also welcomed by the people of God at this particular time in history. He was evidently conscious of the welfare of people walking in the wilderness of confusion and searching for credible direction.

Questions have been asked on the lack of transparency in church leadership over the years and hopefully a new module will be found as a result of this Synod. Preparations are underway across the world engaging all Church leaders who are welcomed by Francis to share in this task.

Over the past few years notable changes have come about primarily a downsizing of attendance at church liturgies which has a detrimental effect on all areas of ministry specifically the shortage of priests and religious. Theologically, sociologically and politically the structures of power exercised in the churches of the past will have to be seriously discussed and a more credible pattern be undertaken.

The world is under severe pressure especially in Third World areas because of the exploitation of the poor and marginalised which has been sheltered

by the powerful and ruling classes in their own interests.

History has recorded that systems of injustice have created a huge dichotomy between the haves and have nots. Eventhough the churches have attempted to address some of these major issues little results have been evident.

Pope Francis will be specially remembered for his Encyclical Laudato Si which is his call to address climate change that has become an urgent matter not only for churches but for all corporate communities throughout the world.

More recently the radical changes in the weather patterns is really a wake up call. At the same time we have a serious lack of awareness amongst the general public about the implications of many of these political, economical and social issues.

As people of faith and deep rooted religious values we are asked to respond to the Pope's plea by journeying with him in the hope that new formulas for transparency, reconstruction of Church administration and the betterment of the world can be found.



Priest on Duty 31st July, 2022.
Contact: Fr. Pat Malone Tel. 6869098

Remembered in Masses this week

CHURCH OF OUR LADY
ROSLEVAN

30th July: No intention booked.

6th August: Colm Barron, Newpark.
John & Patricia Leahy.

ST. BRECAN'S CHURCH, DOORA

31st July: Mary O'Dwyer McMahon, Clooney.

7th August: No intention booked.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION, BAREFIELD

31st July: Laura Culligan, Rathangan, Co. Kildare
& Barefield. 1st Anniv.

John Butler, Ballymaley.
Nancy O'Brien, Ballyalla.

7th August: Francie & Dinny McNamara, Barefield.

9.30am Mass each Tuesday in Barefield Church.

Novena Mass in Church of Our Lady each Monday 9.30am

Finance Development Fund

24th July, 2022

Barefield: €96

Doora: €75

Church of Our Lady: €120

Development: €1171.70

Míle buíochas.



PARISH OFFICE HOLIDAYS

Parish Office will close for holidays
on week commencing 1st August
and re-open on Monday 8th August



**Ministers of Eucharist
& Readers**



This week:

COur Lady:	PMockler/MDilleen/TBohannon	Ciaran Redmond
Barefield:	CDeloughery/MClohessy	Carmel McGovern
Doora:	Mary Barry	Cillian Foley

Next week:

COur Lady:	DLeahy/MO'Callaghan/KMorris	Marie O'Driscoll
Barefield:	John Devitt/Mary Whyte	Teresa Nash
Doora:	Anne Mary Custy	Tom Meade



Doora Sacristan

31st July: Mary Corry
7th August: Seamus Enright.

Church of Our Lady Basket Collector

30th July: Dan Lenihan & Tom Heath
6th August: Michael Williams & Paul Mockler

Lourdes Pilgrimage

Sept 22nd –27th Franciscan Pilgrimage

October 2nd—7th Diocesan Autumn Pilgrimage

Both Pilgrimages direct from
Shannon Airport.



Details from the Friary or
Ennis Parish Office.

Lord Jesus, heal me.
Heal in me whatever
You see needs healing.
Heal me of whatever
might separate me
from You.

Heal my memory,
heal my heart, heal my
emotions, heal my spirit,
heal my body,
heal my soul.

Lay Your hands gently
upon me and Heal me
through Your love for me.
Amen



IRISH ASSOCIATION OF CARDIAC REHABILITATION

“It’s Cardiac Rehab’ – A podcast series bringing together experts in cardiac rehab and patients who have attended cardiac rehabilitation.

Topics included are exercise, medication, healthy eating and the psychological impact of living with heart disease.

If you have had a cardiovascular event such as a heart attack, coronary artery stenting or coronary artery bypass surgery – log onto <https://irishheart.ie/services-for-you/its-cardiac-rehab-podcast/> for information and suppo-

Tour de Munster - Down Syndrome Clare Branch

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.

Des Ryan requests that you leave old rosary beads, old spectacles, used stamps and brown coin at the receptacle in Doora Church poor.

These items are used to assist the poor of Tanzania. Thank you.

Doora Barefield GAA Lotto
Next weeks Jackpot €15,000



Marian Sheedy, Doora
Ronan Lambe, Tullamore
Harold Herlihy, Doora
Louise Corry, Barefield

Winners of €50
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

A Prayer for our Earth



*All powerful God,
you are present*

*In the universe
and in the smallest
of your creatures.*

*You embrace with your tenderness
all that exists.*

*Pour out upon us the power of your love,
that we may protect life and beauty.*

*Fill us with your peace, that we may live
as brothers and sisters, harming no one.*

*O God of the poor,
help us to rescue the abandoned
and forgotten of this earth,
so precious in your eyes.*

*Bring healing to our lives,
that we may protect the world
and not prey on it,
that we may sow beauty,
not pollution and destruction.*

*Touch the hearts
of those who look only for gain
at the expense of the poor and the earth.
Teach us to discover the worth of each
thing,
to be filled with awe and contemplation,
to recognize that we are profoundly
united with every creature
as we journey towards your infinite light.*

*We thank you for being with us each day.
Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle,
for justice, love and peace.*

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon O god, come to my assistance;
O Lord, make haste to help me!
You are my rescuer, my help;
O Lord, do not delay.

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 Ecclesiastes Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23

Vanity of vanities, the Preacher says. Vanity of vanities. All is vanity!
 For so it is that a man who has laboured wisely, skilfully and successfully must leave what is his own to someone who has not toiled for it at all. This, too, is vanity and great injustice; for what does he gain for all the toil and strain that he has undergone under the sun? What of all his laborious days, his cares of office, his restless nights? This, too, is vanity.

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm
 Response: O Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to the next.

You turn men back into dust and say 'go back, sons of men'. To your eyes a thousand years are like yesterday, come and gone, no more than a watch in the night. R

You sweep men away like a dream, like grass which springs up in the morning. In the morning it springs up and flowers: by evening it withers and fades. R.

Make us know the shortness of our life that we may gain wisdom of heart. Lord, relent! Is your anger for ever? Show pity to your servants. R.

In the morning, fill us with your love; we shall exult and rejoice all our days. Let the favour of the Lord be upon us: give success to the work of our hands. R.

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Colossians Col 3:1-5.9-11

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed - and he is your life - you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

That is why you must kill everything in you that belongs only to earthly life: fornication, impurity, guilty passion, evil desires and especially greed, which is the same thing as worshipping a false god; and never tell each other lies. You have stripped off your old behaviour with your old self, and you have put on a new self which will progress towards true knowledge the more it is renewed in the image of its creator; and in that image there is no room for distinction between Greek and Jew, between the circumcised or the uncircumcised, or between barbarian and Scythian, slave and free man. There is only Christ: he is everything and he is in everything.

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 Luke. Lk 12:13-21

A man in the crowd said to Jesus, 'Master, tell my brother to give me a share of our inheritance.' 'My friend,' he replied 'who appointed me your judge, or the arbitrator of your claims?' Then he said to them, 'Watch , and be on your guard against

of any kind for a man's life is not made secure by what he owns, even when he has more than he needs.'

Then he told them a parable: 'There was once a rich man who, having had a good harvest from his land, thought to himself, "What am I to do? I have not enough room to store my crops." Then he said, "This is what I will do: I will pull down my barns and build bigger ones, and store all my grain and my goods in them, and I will say to my soul: My soul, you have plenty of good things laid by for many years to come; take things easy, eat, drink, have a good time." But God said to him, "Fool! This very night the demand will be made for your soul; and this hoard of yours, whose will it be then?" So it is when a man stores up treasure for himself in place of making himself rich in the sight 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

You have given us, O Lord,
bread from heaven, endowed with all delights and sweetness in every taste.