

MASSES THIS WEEKEND IN RATHDOWNEY PARISH

SATURDAY 10th August

Rathdowney 6pm Imelda Ryan, Daly Terrace
John Delaney, Quigley Park
Michael Whelan, Cuan Bhríde and all deceased members of the Whelan family, Kilbreedy
Darren Hickey, Coolfin

SUNDAY 11th August

Errill 10 am: Errill Cemetery Mass
Patrick James Dunne, Monamondra
Hans, Gunther & Boetie Crous and John Joe Kavanagh

MASSES DURING THE WEEK

Monday - Rathdowney No Mass
Tuesday - Wednesday: Mass at 10am
Thursday **Feast of the Assumption**
Mass at 7.30 pm in Grogan Church, Celebrated by Bishop Martin Hayes
Friday: Mass at 10am

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY 17th August

Rathdowney 6pm: Vincent & Mary Cleere, Harristown
and all deceased members of the Cleere family
John Feeley, Quigley Park
Maura Daly, Bealady

SUNDAY 18th August

Errill 10 am: Theresa Nolan, Cuan Bhríde
Agnes Delaney, Graigueavalla
John Bowe, Newtownperry

Collections Weekend 3rd / 4th August 2024

Loose Plate - €377 Envelopes - € 640.50

Adoration

Adoration will resume in September

Rosary will continue each evening - Monday to Friday at 5.30pm on the Webcam

We welcome into Rathdowney Parish Community

Harry Myles Delaney

and

Caelan Thomas Phelan

who are being baptised this weekend



SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person - Ailish Higgins - 085 802 1633

safeguarding@ossory.ie

Gardaí 1800 555 222 / TUSLA – Laois/Offaly 044 935 3997

Towards Healing Helpline: 1800 313 416 / www.towardshealing.ie

Towards Peace Helpline: 01-505 3028 / www.towardspeace.ie

Parish Representatives

Rathdowney - John Casey & Helen Campion

Durrow - Michael Killeen & Sarah Brophy

Newsletter for the Parishes of

Durrow and Rathdowney

10th / 11th August 2024

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Grásta

Preparing for Marriage? Weekend residential course available 20-22 September 2024. Details: www.grasta.org or at info@grasta.org

Errill GAA Lotto Results

Winning Numbers 5-12-20-25

No Jackpot Winner

No Match 3

5 x €20—Fiadh Kennedy, Village View; Paddy Purcell, Clonmeen; Mena Bergin, Errill; Ann Dowling, Rathdowney & John Purcell, Clonmeen
Next weeks jackpot €3,950

Rathdowney GAA Lotto Results

Numbers drawn 2-7-12-24

No Winner.

€15 winners

Geraldine Browne, Daly Tce; Evan Treacy, Erkina Court; Owen Fitzpatrick, c/o Kay Holohan; Megan Carroll, Quigley Park; Annie Dollard c/o M Hennessey; Jack Bowe, Ballacolla; Saoirse Callaghan c/o Patrice; Nicola Ryan, Mooreville; Hilda Finance c/o Card Stand; Tim Barry, Barney
Next weeks Jackpot €5,450

Laois Abú

We wish the very best of luck to the players from St Brigids, Harps and indeed all the Laois Camogie Players, in the All Ireland camogie final this Sunday in Croke Park.

Culture Night in Rathdowney 2024

Join us for drumming and visual art workshops, during Aug – Sept, in preparation for a joyful Culture Night event on 20 Sept 2024. The Arts Office, Laois Co. Council and Music Generation Laois welcome individuals and groups of all ages to take part. For Info: www.laois.ie / E: arts@laoiscoco.ie / T: 057 866 4033

Pastoral Council Members

Rathdowney

Assumpta Casey; Helen Campion; Tony Holohan; Fran Doyle; Maureen Guilfoyle; Oliver Kennedy; Mary Nolan; Mary O’Dea; Tadhg Keane; Sr Anita O’Leary; Fr. Martin Delaney

Durrow

Martin Lawlor; Mary Lawlor; James Walsh; Carmel Ruane; Mary Ryan; Vicky Murphy; Margaret Murphy; Seamus Clancy; Sr. Anita O’Leary; Fr. Martin Delaney

Relics of Saint Bernadette of Lourdes

The Diocese of Ossory will host a visit of the Relics of Saint Bernadette of Lourdes on the weekend of Saturday and Sunday 21st/22nd September 2024 in St. Mary’s Cathedral, Kilkenny. This is an initiative to bring a small piece of Lourdes to Ireland and make it possible for more people to experience something of what is close to the hearts of those who travel on our diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes each year.

Parish Office Summer Opening Hours

Rathdowney

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

9.30am to 1pm

Durrow

Wednesday & Friday

Funeral Masses on our Website

In order to comply with GDPR regulations, recordings of funeral masses will be available on our website for one month only. All previous funeral masses have been removed. Copies of past funerals are available to family members on request. Contact the Parish Office re same.

Cemetery Mass Schedule

Sun 1st September Durrow Cemetery 11.15 am

MASSES THIS WEEKEND IN DURROW PARISH

SATURDAY 10th August

Cullohill 7.30 pm: Cemetery Mass
Durrow 7.30 pm: Mary & Danny Mooney, Derry Road

SUNDAY 11th August

Durrow 11.15 am: Richard Dempsey

Durrow

Monday - Friday: 8.50am

Saturday: 11am

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY 17th August

Cullohill 7.30 pm: Patrick & Ellen Spencer, Rapla

Durrow 7.30 pm:

SUNDAY 18th August

Durrow 11.15 am:

Recent Death:

Anniversaries: Tom Connelly, The Square

Collections Weekend 3rd / 4th August 2024

Loose Plate - € 280 Envelopes - € 911

Adoration

Adoration in Cullohill Church every Thursday morning from 8.50—9.50am, in Durrow directly after 8.50 am Mass (finishes at 11.30 am) on Mondays and on Fridays from 7-8pm.

If you wish to have the name of your deceased family member included in our weekly newsletter, please contact the parish office in person / by email durrow@ossory.ie / rathdowney@ossory.ie or phone (Durrow) 085 26 25 033 / (Rathdowney) 0505 46282 by midday on Thursday.

Church Cleaning Cullohill & Durrow

Thank you to Gurteen & Ballybooden for cleaning the church in

Cullohill in July

This month it falls to Rapla & Aughmacart.

In Durrow, Team D will clean the church during the month of August.

Towards Healing

A confidential and free counselling service, Phone 1800 303 416. They provide face to face counselling, structured phone counselling, family counselling and a counselling helpline for people who have experienced institutional, clerical or religious abuse in Ireland.

