

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 17th Nov 2019

RAHEEN PARISH LOTTO

Wednesday 13th Nov 2019

Numbers: 12-16-19-20

One €20,000 Winner - Michael Dowling,

Mountmellick

23 match 3s win €44

Two local Winners.

Rita Ryan c/o Fr. Michael Kelly, Mary Hogan c/o Joseph Butler.

An evening of preaching, teaching and healing with Br Johnson Sequeira on Friday 22nd Nov from 6pm to 9pm at Dalton's Colt. eircode R32W14F

All welcome. For more info contact **0876318203**

Raheen Church Cleaning Rota -

A new cleaning rota for St. Fintan's Church, Raheen is being created.

Please contact Maureen on 087-9602899 to join this ministry in our parish.

Tobar an Léinn Enrolment 2020

Enrolment for Tobar an Léinn N.S for 2020 is now formally open. An enrolment form can be collected from the office or alternatively you can e. mail office@tobaranleinn.ie

CASH FOR CLOBBER -

Turn old clothes and shoes into cash with "Cash for Clobber". Please donate unwanted clothes & textiles to raise funds for **TOBAR AN LÉINN**. Any RE WEARABLE clothes, paired shoes, belts, handbags, curtains, towels, bedlinen, toys are accepted. **PLEASE DROP OFF ITEMS TO THE SCHOOL BEFORE FRIDAY 29TH NOV 2019.**

Colt GAA CLUB- Lotto Results

08/11/2019

Winning Numbers: 02-23-30

NO Jackpot Winner:

4 x '20: *AnnMarie Sinnott v/o Dan Sinnott, Tommy Keegan c/o B. Keegan, Deirdre Holland c/o B. McGill, Ellie Brennan c/o A. Duff*

Next Weeks Jackpot 2,300

Shanahoe Church cleaning rota

We are looking for more people to help with the church cleaning. If you can help out contact Emer on 086-7737373 for more info. If you are already on the rota and can no longer help please let Emer know.

Apple Tart & Jam SALE

on next Saturday night 23rd Nov after 7.30pm Mass in Raheen

Please support in aid of Senior Citizens Party.

Shanahoe Folk Group

would like to welcome new members to the group. We practice every Tuesday evening in the Church from 7.30-8.30pm. All are welcome.

Tobar an Léinn Mass-

Mass for First Holy Communion & Confirmation Children will take place next Sat evening 23rd Nov at 7.30pm.

We are never too poor to give to God - unlock your heart.

In the times of our lives

when we feel weak and discouraged, we feel we have little to give to God - or to others.



After failing an exam, loosing a job, finding out we are very ill, or near to death,

when love has gone wrong

or our children have turned to crime, we may feel we have little to offer.

He looks on us,

Like a mother looks on a child who is making awkward efforts to help her.

As he praised the poor woman, for her contribution to the temple.

Jesus, like God our Father, sees the intentions of the heart, and values what we offer.

St. Fintan's Parish, Raheen, Abbeyleix, Co. Laois

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This Weekend Masses 16th & 17th Nov

- Raheen:** Saturday 16th Nov Mass at 7.30pm
 - *Teresa Burke Months Mind & deceased members of Burke family.*
 - *Mary Dowling, Clonad & her Parents Margaret & Matthew Costigan.*
 - *Michael & Margaret Holland, late of Coolnacarte.*
 - *Jimmy Hearn, Corbally & deceased family members.*
 - *John & Ann Delaney, Grandson Dara Delaney & Son in Law Pat Carr.*
 - *Eilish Hearn, Coft.*
 - *John Mulhall, Coolnacarte & his Mam Liby Mulhall, Coolnacarte.*
 - *Nora Lawler, Coft.*
 - *John & Catherine Parkinson, Trumera & late of Roskefton*

Shanahoe: Sunday 17th Nov Mass at 9.30am

Weekday Masses this Week

Raheen: Friday 22nd November Mass at 10am

Weekend Masses 23rd & 24th Nov

- Raheen:** Saturday 23rd Nov. Mass at 7.30pm
 - *Jim Connor, Roskefton*
Shanahoe: Sunday 24th Nov Mass at 9.30am
 - *William & Mary Ann Kirwan & their daughter Mary.*
 - *John & Brigid Lalor & their daughters Mary, Breda & Carmel.*

Thank you for your contributions to Parish Funds

10th Nov 2019

Raheen:
 Offertory Collection: €178.90
 Weekly Envelope: €1023.60 (39 houses)
Shanahoe:
 Offertory Collection: €304.00
 Weekly Envelope: €278.50 (18 H)

NOVEMBER

Remembering our loved ones.

RAHEEN: Saturday evening 16th November at 7.30pm

SHANAHOE: Sunday morning 17th November at 9.30am

All our loved ones will be remembered in a special way in these Masses. Families who's loved one died during the year are invited to bring a candle remembering them to the altar during Mass. Please let your family members know.



Baptism Dates-

December:

Raheen: Sunday Dec. 8th
Shanahoe: Sunday Dec 15th



November, Month of the Faithful Departed

IN NOVEMBER WE REMEMBER

That time of year again - when we remember all those who have gone before us. Ours is not an empty remembering but is filled with hope. Hope in him who said **'I am the resurrection and the life'**

Envelopes are available at the back of the Church during the week. Please take one to have your loved ones remembered in Masses and prayers during the month of November. The lists of names will be placed before the altar. Those whose names are written on the lists will be remembered before God each day of November.

List of Gospel Readings For The Week:

Sat Nov 16th Jn 18:1-08
 Sun Nov 17th Lk 21:5-19
 Mon Nov 18th Lk 18:35-43
 Tues Nov 19th Lk 19:1-10
 Wed Nov 20th Lk 19:11-28
 Thurs Nov 21st Lk 12:46-50
 Friday Nov 22nd Jn 19:45-48
 Sat Nov 23rd Lk 20:27-40



Night Vigil to Knock

on Saturday 7th December. Leaving Lyster Square, Portlaoise at 7pm. Contact Maura on 086-3344722

YOUTH 2000

CHRISTMAS REVREAY

You are invited to the **Youth 2000 Christmas Retreat** in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare from the 6th - 8th December. Booking is now open and we have free busses running from all Ireland. For more info www.youth2000.ie



Dates for 2020

Confirmation Day for Raheen Parish is on Sat 28th March.

Raheen at 11am

Shanahoe at 1pm

First Holy Communion Day for Raheen Parish is on **Saturday 2nd May.**

Raheen at 11am

Shanahoe at 1pm

You are also invited to place the names of your loved ones on our memorial tree

