

CHURCH NEWS: Readers Rota: Saturday Evenings: November 19th: Martin Lawlor; November 26th and December 3rd: Ann Vaughn. Sunday Mornings: November 20th: Deirdre Moore; November 27th and December 4th: Kevin Kelly.

Church Cleaning Rota - December 2016: Maeve Thornton, Eileen Keenan, Brigid Traynor and Angela Drennan.

Eucharist Ministers Rota - December 2016: Saturdays - Mai Bowe and Pius Hennessy; Sundays - Ann Palmer and Edmund Kenny.

SYMPATHY is extended to the Moore family, Tubberboe and the O'Dea family, Rath, Durrow, on their recent bereavement.

WHIST: The next Whist will be held on Thursday, November 24th at 8.30pm in the Parochial House, Cork Rd, Durrow.

HSE STAFF CHRISTMAS DINNER: The Annual HSE Christmas Dinner will be held in the Killeshin Hotel, Portlaoise on Tuesday 13th of December at 2pm. All grades are welcome along. For more details and/or to book a place contact C. Griffin on (087) 2068974 or B. Coaley on (086) 8812228 before Tuesday 6th December to assist in finalising numbers for the event.

CULLOHILL ICA: The Next meeting will be held in Cullohill Community Centre on Tuesday December 6th at 2pm in the afternoon.

DURROW COMMUNITY CENTRE: The committee wish to thank everyone who supported the Clothes Collection recently. Our next collection date will be in early January. More details in a later issue.

BRIDGE: Durrow Bridge Club continue their Bridge Club meetings every Sunday night at 7.45pm in the Presentation Centre, Durrow. The winners on November 2nd were as follows: First - Babe Duggan and Jimmy Ryan; Second - Nora Fitzpatrick and Teresa Phelan; Third - Phil Kingston and Paddy Purcell.

MONSTER BINGO: A Monster Bingo afternoon with €5,000 in prize money will be held on Sunday 27th November at Mountrath Community School from 3.00pm. All are most welcome.

CULLOHILL COMMUNITY CENTRE: Progressive 25 Card games are held in the hall every Sunday night at 8.30pm sharp followed by tea and sandwiches. Please support!

CONGRATULATIONS to Aoife Phelan, Knockanoran, Durrow and Shane Rothwell, Abbeyleix, on their recent marriage.

Congratulations to Danny Donohue, Bishopswood, Durrow and Natalie Burke, Lucan, Co. Dublin on their recent marriage.

Congratulations to John and Teresa Kennedy, Castlewood, Durrow, on the birth of a daughter Judith.

Congratulations to Derek and Cathriona Phelan, Tubberboe, Durrow, on the birth of a daughter Emma.

KATES HAIR STUDIO, DURROW: Catherine Creagh will relocate to Ballygarvan, Ballacolla from this Tuesday, 22nd November. A mobile hairdressing service will also be available. You can contact Catherine on (087) 7942679 and also on Facebook. .

CHRISTMAS ARTS & CRAFTS WORKSHOP: A Christmas Arts and Crafts Workshop will be held on Saturday 3rd of December from 2pm until 5pm in the Presentation Centre, Durrow. Ages 7 to 12 years old will cost €20 per child, family discounts available. Contact: Aisling 086 0706363 Helen 087 2360678.

INFORMATION WORKSHOPS FOR NEW LEADER PROGRAMME: information workshops will be held in advance of the official call for Expression of Interests (EoI) for funding under the new LEADER Rural Development Programme (2014 – 2020). It will be important to attend this workshops if you intend to apply for funding under the LEADER programme. A workshop will be held on Tuesday, 22nd November at 8.00pm in St. Joseph's National School, Borris-in-Ossory, Co. Laois. All are most welcome.

Durrow Parish Lotto Results

Monday 7th November 2016:

There was no jackpot winner of €10,250.

Numbers: 02 09 10 26

The small draw winners were:

€30: Bridie Donohue.

€25: Quinn Family, c/o Our Lady's Meadow School

€20: MSC O'Rourke, c/o The Angling Club.

Monday 14th November 2016:

There was no jackpot winner of €10,400.

Numbers: 13 14 19 25

The small draw winners were:

€30: The BC+LC+IF+JQ Syndicate at Bob's Bar.

€25: Paul Clooney, Erkindale Drive, Durrow, Laois.

€20: Stephanie+David Bergin, Grennan, Attanagh

Next Draw: 9.30pm on Monday, November 21st in O'Connells Bar, Cullohill. **Jackpot: €10,550**

Important: Tickets must be handed in by **9.30pm SHARP** on draw night.