

Months Mind:

Jackie Foy, Rathellen, Mass on Sunday 4th December at 11am in Leighlinbridge.

1st Anniversaries:

Jim Costello, Orchard, Mass on Saturday 10th December at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge

Anniversaries:

John Monaghan, St Lazerian's Terrace
Patrick & Bridget Flynn, Killenane
Mary & Tom Connolly, Moanduff
Jack Lowry, Clogrennane
Teresa Glendon, 18 St Lazerian's Terrace
Niall Dermody, Clogrennane
Ned Sheehy, Banagagole
Molly Dunne, Dublin Rd, Carlow
Paddy & Kathleen Lennon, St Brigid's Crescent
Edward, Mary & Lazerian Kelly, Johnduffswood
Betty Kane, Moone



Acknowledgement

The Foy Family wish to thank all those who sympathised with them on the recent death of Jackie. Thanks to all those who called to the house, sent Mass cards or helped in any way. We thank Fr Lalor, Fr Declan & Deacon Roche for the lovely Mass. Deep gratitude also to the Folk Group for their beautiful music which was very meaningful to all present. Our family are truly grateful to all who joined us in the celebration of Jackie's life. Thanks also to undertaker Liam Somers and those who prepared the grave. We will never forget the goodwill & warmth of friends and neighbours who journeyed with us during Jackie's illness - giving us support and comfort. To those who sustained us with nourishing food, we will never forget your kindness. A special word of thanks to Dr O'Dea & Dr Coffey, the Homecare Team, Public Health Nurses and all the wonderful carer's who ensured Jackie was comfortable at all times, thank you so so much. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

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Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge
Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11am
Monday & Tuesday,
9.30am
Wednesday 7.30pm
Thursday 8th 11am
Eucharistic Prayers
Friday 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday 2 - 5pm
Friday 5 - 9pm

Ballinabranna
Sunday 9.30am
Thursday 8th 7.30pm
Friday 7.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday 2 - 3pm
Friday 8 - 9pm

LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

4TH DECEMBER 2016
2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Special Invitation

To

Senior Citizens

The Christmas Party

will take place in

The Lord Bagenal Hotel

Sunday December 4th at 1.30pm sharp!

For many years the senior citizen's committee organised the distribution of the invitations to parishioners who are eligible to attend the Christmas Party.

It is now proving very difficult to reach everybody, so we have decided to extend an

Open Invitation

to all parishioners over 60 years of age to come along and enjoy the celebrations. Please leave names into the Parish Centre 059 9722607 or any committee member before December 1st as we will need to let the Lord Bagenal know final numbers.

<i>St Fintan's Church</i>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Thurs 8th Dec 7.30pm	Josephine Fitzgerald Betty Hughes	Bridie Keating Pat Carter Killian Amond Benny Amond
Sun 11th Dec	Tom O'Keeffe Padraig Farrell	Betty Hughes Dorel Picovici Mary Quinn Josephine Fitzgerald
Altar Servers	Leah Connolly, John Lawlor, Oisín Pagnier, Aisling Walsh, Zac Gladney Brennan	
Church Cleaning	Angela Carter, Alice Fitzgerald	
Church Flowers	December	Kathleen McNally
<i>St Lazerian's Church</i>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Wed 7th Dec 7.30pm	Martin Nevin Sharon Tuite	Mary Meaney (M) Len Roche Kathleen Lawlor Anne Kelly
Thurs 8th Dec 11am	Angela Roche Ailish Lynch	Sr of Mercy Kathleen McAufield Mary Clarke Christine Thompson
Sat 10th Dec	Maura Devine Siobhan Haughney	Seamus Somers George Donoghue Jimmy Farrell Tommy Lawlor
Sun 11th Dec	Mandy Ryan Sr of Mercy	Marie Roche Breda Aylward Kathleen Cummins Noleen Doyle
Altar Servers	Michael Brophy, James McDonald, Grace O'Dwyer, Amber Ryan, Jean Connolly, Tadhg O'Neill	
Church Cleaning	Margaret Purcell, Margaret Foley, Hannah Sieber, Mary Sullivan	
Church Flowers December	Peg Rice	Reader for Week Martin Nevin

Day Care

Olive Townsend
Margaret Kelly

G.F.C Lotto

Numbers:

Old Leighlin

No's 12, 18, 26, 27
No Winner

Jackpot €8,150
Next week's draw
in Carey's

Ballinabranna:

No's 7, 13, 15, 21
No winner

Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €5,850

Leighlinbridge:

No's 8, 16, 26, 28
No Winner

Jackpot €1,600
Next week's draw in
Brennan's

Collections

27/11/16

Weekly Envelope

L/B €1055
B/B €285

Offertory

L/B €485
B/B €190

Nov Dead List

L/B €320

Priests

L/B €700
B/B €75

NOTICES

Invalids: will be attended on Monday 5th December and Wednesday 7th December in the usual order.

Food Collection: Collection boxes in aid of St Clare's Hospitality Kitchen are now again in both Churches & Schools. Last year was a great success and hopefully this year we can achieve the same result.

St Joseph's Young Priests Society: Monthly meeting in Parish Centre Wed 7th Dec @ 8.15pm

Needy Collection: takes place on weekend of 10th & 11th December.

November Dead List: is now being finalised. Any remaining envelopes should be handed in as soon as possible.

Ballinabranna ICA: meeting Monday 5th December at 7pm.

Lourdes Invalid Fund: Our annual Christmas draw takes place this Monday 5th Dec. in Meaney's.

Meeting: of all Daffodil Day volunteers on Monday 5th December @ 7pm in the Parish Centre.

Leighlinbridge Church Choir: New members very welcome. Please come along to any Sunday Mass @ 11am.

Christmas shopping day trip to Cork: Sat 10th Dec. Organised by Leighlin Craft Club. Names for the bus to Jennifer 087 8318156

Old Leighlin basketball Club: clothes collection old clean clothes, bed linen, towels, shoes paired can be left into Old Leighlin hall Monday 6-8, Thursday 5.30-9 Friday 6-9 or Saturday 1-4 . Check out our Facebook page for match updates.

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:

Committee Meeting Monday 5th December in Parish Centre at 2pm; Members Meeting 2.30. Refreshments followed by Fun- quiz. 16 of us enjoyed a day trip to "The National Crafts and Design Fair" in the RDS last Wednesday.

Indoor Hurling and Camogie: every Sunday morning in Old Leighlin Hall. New young stars are always welcome. U6s & U8s play from 10-11, Hurls & Helmets are provided. Why not try out the game before the 2017 season begins! U10s & U12s take to the hall 11-12, running a mini league. Cost €1 per child per week to cover Hall Costs.

Carlow Choral Society: Mozart's Requiem - Saturday 3rd December at Carlow Cathedral at 8pm. We will be joined by the Wexford Festival Singers, and directed by Blanaid Murphy, with the City of Dublin Chamber Orchestra. Tickets €20 from www.carlowchoralsociety.net or from choir members.

Found: If you are missing a Black/Grey Cat please contact 086 8899087

A pre-Christmas treat: - "An Aspiro Christmas" - Sunday 11th December, St Mary's Church, Castle Hill, Carlow at 4pm. Tickets €10 available, at the door. Children Free
Fresh Holly Wreaths for sale - €9 each. Orders taken now. Contact Marguerite Gaughan on 086 3275291.

Foróige group: registration in Ballinabranna Old School Hall from 7.30pm to 8,30pm Tues 6th Dec. Age 12 to 18 Contact Gerard on 087-7930633 or Martin on 087-2706307

Carlow Neuromuscular Clinic: For muscular pain, sciatica, frozen shoulder, disc injuries, fallen arches etc. Contact Tony Devine 0863566180