Pray for:

Katie Woplin (née Nolan), London & formerly Tomard. Burial will take place in Leighlinbridge. Funeral arrangements later.

Months Mind:

Denis Flynn, Rathvilly, Mass on Saturday 24th June at 7:30pm in Leighlinbridge. Ciss (Margaret) Pender, Craan, Mass on Sunday 25th June at 9:30am in Ballinabranna.

<u>Anniversaries:</u>

Michael Kinsella, Craanluskey Sadie Corcoran, Raheendoran Eamon Farrell, Cloughna, Milford John Pender, Craanluskey James Earl Junior, Clogrennane Michael Glendon, St. Lazerian's Terrace William Lakes, Molaise Estate Julianne Lakes, Banagagole Eric Hayes, New Ross Patrick & Kathleen Byrne, Johnduffswood Mary Foley, Banagagole Michael Crosbie, Freshford

Joe Moore, Rathvinden & Cork Paddy Connolly, Ballygowan

Billy Delaney, his Parents Frank & Elizabeth & Frank (Gug) Delaney, 7, St. Lazerian's Tce

Notices

Leighlinbridge ICA: At present we are preparing for the Tullow Show on August 20th. Every year the ICA guilds in Carlow have a tent at the show and a competition between guilds, with a display of arts and crafts also on exhibition. There are five components to this year's competition, and the ladies will be flexing their creative and craft muscles in anticipation of competing for the coveted Rose Bowl. On Saturday Sept 2nd Leighlin will be having a Hats and Handbags sale. All proceeds of the sale will be given to Women's Aid in Carlow. There will be tea and refreshments as well, and a raffle. There are plans for a day trip to An Grianan in August, the ICA residential college in Termonfeckin County Louth. There will be various classes on offer during the day, and lunch is provided. New members are always welcome.

<u>Pioneer News:</u> As sixth class Boys & Girls are leaving Leighlinbridge National School, the Pioneer Committee would welcome them to join the Pioneers. Pledge and have a chat at least, till they are 18yrs or 21yrs. Committee meet First Friday's 7pm in Parish Centre.

Safeguarding: If you have an issue with Safeguarding in the Parish please contact the DLP at 085-8021633 or email dlp@kandle.ie Local safeguarding Reps are Fr Tom Lalor, Eileen Johnston, Michael Roche & Liz Dunne.

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<u>Leighlinbridge</u>
Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11am
Wednesday
9.30am

Eucharistic Prayers Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9.30am

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

<u>Ballinabranna</u>

Graveyard Mass Friday 30th June @ 7.30pm Sunday 9.30am

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

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25TH JUNE 2017 12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Thank You O Lord

I thank thee O Lord and to thee I must pray,

For all the blessings that have come my way,

I have a great family who help me along,

And give me encouragement if things go wrong,

My years are not many but are stuffed to the brim,

With life's pleasures, experiences and enjoyable things,

When God should out the talents, I got such a treat,

Cause I can sing, I can dance and I'm light on my feet,

Sometimes I think could I try something new?

But my time is so scarce with all the things I can do,

But two minutes is not long,

Just to kneel down and pray,

And thank for his kindness,

That he gives me each day.

"So do not be afraid; you ae worth more than many sparrows." God is always looking out for what's best for us.

St Fintan's Church			
	Readers	<u>Ministers</u>	
Sun 2nd July	Mary Dunne	Bridie Keating	
9.30am	Rita Keating	Daniel Pender	
		Killian Almond	
		Benny Almond	
Altar Servers	Ciara Kinsella, Paul Fitzgerald, Niamh		
	Fitzpatrick, Kerri Mulleney, Daniel Picovici		
Church Cleaning	Catherine Ayres, Mary Dunne, Mary Brennan		
Church Flowers	July	B O'Keefe & B Keating	

<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	Readers	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 1st July	Maura Devine	Seamus Somers
7.30pm	Siobhan Haughney	George Donoghue
		Jimmy Farrell
		Tommy Lawlor
Sun 2nd July	Mandy Ryan	Sister of Mercy
11am	Sister of Mercy	Kathleen McAufield
		Mary Clarke
		Anne Kelly
Altar Servers	Luke Barron, Rory O'Toole, Joey Byrne,	
	Aedan Byrne, Reni Shalomi, Frank Doran	
Church Cleaning	Mary Murphy, Peter Kelly, Lil Drea,	
	Eileen Johnson	
Church Flowers	Ber Irwin	Reader for Week
July	Breda Dermody	Martin Nevin

Day Care

Olive Townsend Bridget Monaghan

G.F.C Lotto

Old Leighlin

No's 2,11,14,18 No Winner Jackpot €10,000 Reserve €2,500 Next week's draw In Matty's

Ballinabranna:

No's 5, 6, 13, 27 No winner Jackpot €10,000 Reserve €7,250

Leighlinbridge:

No's 3,4,14,21 No Winner Jackpot €4,500 Next week's draw in Brennan's

> <u>Collections</u> <u>11/06/17</u>

Envelope

L/B €475 B/B €190

Graveyard Masses 2017

Ballinabranna - Friday 30th June, 7.30pm
Tomard - Friday 7th July, 7.30pm
Ballyknockan - Monday 17th July, 7.30pm
Killenane - Friday 21st July, 7.30pm
Leighlinbridge - Sunday 6th August, 7.00pm

Old Leighlin - Friday 25th August, 7.30pm **T.B.C**Clody - Monday 4th September, 7.30pm

Offertory

L/B €606 B/B €215

NOTICES

<u>Cards:</u> for all occasions now available in Parish Centre in support of Day Care. Only €1

Mr John Threadgold Principal of
Leighlinbridge N.S.: is taking up the position of Principal at Ballylinan N.S. in Sept 2017. To honour his departure from Leighlinbridge N.S. Fr Lalor & Fr Pierce Murphy will concelebrate Mass in Leighlinbridge Church at 7.30pm on Tues 27th of June. Parents, pupils, grandparents and everyone from the community is invited to come along and join in the celebration. Following mass everyone is invited to the Parish Centre for refreshments.

Leighlin Parish Lourdes Fund: Annual Church gate collection on Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th June at all Masses. Your support will be very much appreciated.

Family Picnic - An invitation from

Bishop Denis: Bishop Denis invites families and extended families to join him for a family picnic on Sunday, August 27th in Punchestown. A great afternoon of entertainment and fun is being planned so save the date and get your extended family to save it too!

Carlow PPN: will host its first Plenary Meeting of 2017 on Tuesday, 27th June in the VISUAL Centre for Contemporary Art, Carlow @ 7.30pm. The theme for this meeting is 'How to Participate to Influence Change in your Community'. Come along and hear how students from Carlow IT & I T Waterford explored creative regeneration and how design can be used to respond to a town planning challenge. Also Chis Chapman will host a workshop on 'participatory skills'. Registration begins at 7pm. Light refreshments will be served. All community groups welcome.

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:

Meeting Monday 26th in Parish Centre at 2.30pm. Refreshments followed by a Fun Quiz. Day Trip for members on Monday 3rd July to Walsh's Distillery, Royal Oak and Delta Centre Sensory Gardens, Carlow. For enquiries phone Jim 086 8116506.

Bowls Club: continues each Thursday & Friday from 2.30pm in the Parish Centre. New member and beginners especially welcome.

Ballinabranna Karate Club: 5K Fun Run/Walk Sunday 2nd July. Registration from 9.45am Ballinabranna GAA Clubhouse. Start 11am sharp. €5 entry €15 family. Prizes 1st/2nd/3rd Male & Female, 1st youth male & female & loads of spot prizes. Raffle & refreshments in clubhouse afterwards. All welcome. For more details contact Peter 087 6660130, Mary 087 9077808 or Ken 086 0456543. See you there!!!

Simply Clean: Headstone Cleaning, contact Michael Kelly on 087 7541001.

Rambling House: A night of music, dancing & story-telling in the Old School Hall in Ballinabranna on Thursday 29th of June at 8 pm.

Carlow Regional Youth Services:

Summer Camp July 10th-14th July (Mon-Fri). Ages 5-12.

Four venues in Carlow Town. €45 waged, €35 unwaged (proof of social welfare payment required). Register in Montgomery House, Athy Rd, Carlow. For more information phone 059 9130476

<u>Shredded Paper</u>: Available at the Parish Centre. It can be used as litter for Cats, Dogs, etc. Phone 059 9722607.