

Months Mind:

John Curran, Carlow Road, Mass on Sat 20th February @ 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge

1st Anniversaries:

Noel Kenna, St Lazerian's Tce & Graiguecullen, Mass Sat 13th at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge

Anniversaries:

John & Maudie Byrne, New Road
Kathleen Dermody, Ballinaboley & Carlow Road
Pierce Bergin, Craanluskey
Nora, Bill & John Watchorn, Craanluskey
Jack & Mai Dunne, Craanluskey
Katie Roche, Banagagole
Margaret Farrell, Craanluskey
Edward Nevin, Carlow Road
Patrick Foley, St Lazerian's Street
James, Margaret & Jimmy McDonald, The Ridge
Ronan Lawlor, High Street
William Pierce, Augharue
Vincent Pierce, Augharue & Sligo
Mary & John O'Dwyer, Moanduff
Mrs Brigid Byrne, Killenane



Notices

Carlow MABS Ltd: (Money Advice & Budgeting Service), 72d Tullow Street, Carlow
Tel: 076 107 2070. Free, independent and confidential, Money Management and Advice Service Assisting people in dealing with their existing debts and helping them to begin to manage their own resources. MABS offers free Debt Relief Advice under Personal Insolvency *options* Community Education Programmes provided for Transition/Leaving Cert Students & Community Groups.

Zumbathon in aid of Ballinabranna N.S. Sun 28th Feb 2016 in Ballinabranna GFC
11am-1pm. €5 per person/€15 per family on the day or €10 prepaid per family.
Refreshments served. Raffle and Door prizes. Special performances on the day - not to be missed. All are welcome, open to all ages. Contact Lesley on 086-3832084 or Nicola on 085-7796359.

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LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

14TH FEBRUARY 2016
1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

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Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge
Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11am
Mon, Tues, Weds
& Thurs 9.30am

Eucharistic Prayers
Fri 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday 2 - 5pm
Friday 5 - 9pm
Ballinabranna
Friday 7.30pm
Sunday 9.30am

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

LEIGHLIN PARISH FUND-RAISING DRAW.

Six Monthly Draws—Total Prize Fund €25,200

€60 per ticket or €10 per Draw.

Two Extra Draws In February For Promoters With

Full Card. Prize €250 each.

1st Prize €2,000, 2nd Prize €1,000,

3rd - 7th Prize €200.

The first draw will be held on Sun. 28th February and all remaining draws on the last Sunday of March, April, May, June & July.

Each draw will take place in the Parish Centre
after 11am Mass.

All enquiries to Leighlin Parish Centre. Tel 059 9722607

Draw cards can be collected in Parish Centre any day

during the week between

9.30am and 4.30pm

New promoters required.

This would help greatly to ease the work load.

God brings us through difficult experiences and always leads us to life. Depend on the Holy Spirit to guide you on the path of life.

(Luke 9:28-36)

<i>St Fintan's Church</i>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 21st 9.30 am	Seamus Marnane Confirmation Class	Anthony Walsh Elizabeth Hegarty
Altar Servers	James Lowry, Rós Dermody, Peter Mulleney, Paul Fitzgerald, Eddie Keating	
Church Cleaning	Angela Carter, Alice Fitzgerald	

<i>St Lazerian's Church</i>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 20th 7.30 pm	Mary Meaney (M) Siobhan Haughney	Jimmy Farrell Phil Meaney
Sun 21st 11 am	Ann Nolan Jennifer Harkin	Tanya D'Souza, Kathleen Cummins Noleen Doyle
Altar Servers	Sinead Raffry, Jenny Sawyer, Emmet Gough, Eoin Connolly, Michael Brophy, James McDonald	
Church Cleaning	Olive Townsend, Bridget Monaghan, Phil Byrne	
Church Flowers February	Betty Dowling Mary Clarke	Reader for Week Martin Nevin

Leighlinbridge Parish Lourdes Pilgrimage: 28th August - 02nd September 2016. Spiritual Director: Tom Lalor. Cost €729 per person sharing. Single Room Supplement €150. Full Religious Programme while in Lourdes. Deposit €200 p/p. To book contact Tully's Travel 059 9136100 or booking forms at Leighlin Parish Centre.

Disabled Drivers Association: collection at all Masses this weekend.



Day Care

Kathy Haughney
Margaret Kelly

G.F.C Lotto

Numbers:

Old Leighlin

No's 9, 12, 15, 23
No Winner

Jackpot € 10,000

Reserve € 1,850

Next week's draw

In The Pint Depot

Ballinabranna:

No's 2, 10, 14, 15

No winner

Jackpot €10,000

Reserve €3,750

Leighlinbridge:

No's 2, 6, 14, 25

One Winner

Jackpot € 1,000

Next week's draw in
Brennan's

Collections

07/02/16

Weekly Envelope

L/B €1,015

B/B €145

Offertory

L/B €596

B/B €205

Shrine

B/B €122

NOTICES

'Under the protection of the Most High God': Ethical and Theological

Perspectives on the 1916 Rising. At Carlow College, St. Patricks, 26 February 2016 from 9.30am to 5pm. A Conference to debate the significance of the 1916 Rising from ethical and theological perspectives. Keynote speaker: Francis Campbell, former ambassador to the Vatican and currently Vice-chancellor to St. Mary's University, London. Other speakers: Tom Morrissey SJ, Eunan O 'Halpin and John Scally (TCD), with Thomas McGrath, Helen Maher and Sarah Otten (Carlow College), and Padraig O'Snodaigh writer and raconteur.

Leighlinbridge Improvement Group:

Annual General Meeting on Thursday 18th February in Parish Centre at 8.15pm. A good attendance would be greatly appreciated.

Daffodil Day: takes place on Friday 11th

March. If anyone has an hour or two to spare leave names into the Parish Centre. Donations of fresh daffodils would be greatly appreciated.

Country Markets: in Leighlinbridge Friday mornings from 9am - 1pm. Homemade Seville orange marmalade, jams, cakes, buns etc.

Ballinabranna N.S is now taking enrolments for September 2016. The final date for applications is Friday 11th of March. Enrolments for classes other than Junior Infants applications will be taken until May 30th.

Friendship Group: "A Time for Yourself and a Bit of Pampering" course starting for 6 weeks on Thurs 11th Feb from 8-10pm in Parish Centre. All welcome. Contact the Parish Centre or Ann Kelly on 059 9722013.

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:

Meeting Monday 15th in Parish Centre at 2.30. Session 1 of Holistic Health course after refreshments. Membership fees due at this time. A trip to Barcelona is planned for 22nd May. JMG Travel Coach & Tour Operators will transport group to and from airport as well as arranging accommodation, plane and bus travel while abroad. Cost €725. Deposit and copy of passport needed by 26th February. For enquiries ring Frances 0868970394.

Naomh Brid Hurling Club: Jonny Byrne Memorial Match Sat 13th Feb 2016 @ 3pm in Superbowl Leighlinbridge.

Naomh Bríd Hurling Club: AGM Sat 20th Feb @ 8.30 pm in Parish Centre. All are welcome to attend.

Old Leighlin Ladies GFC will hold their registration night on Fri 4th March in Old Leighlin Hall at 8pm. The Club caters for Juveniles from U9s to Senior. Also training for U12's, U14's will resume on Sat 27th February, and U9's, U11's Sat 5th March. New members welcome.

Éist Cancer Support Centre: is now offering a group support programme called **CLIMB** (Children's Lives Includes Moments of Bravery) for children between the ages of 5 and 12 years who are coping with a cancer diagnosis within the family unit. This may be a parent, grandparent, sibling or indeed a carer. The groups are creative, using drama, art and play. They are also based on having fun and meeting new friends. CLIMB is run over six weeks, 1 hour in the evenings. Contact Eist by email info@eistcarlowcancersupport.ie or by phone on 059 9139684.