

Pray For:

Recent Deaths:

Margaret Landy (Née McNally), Nottingham, England and late of Craan.

Anniversaries:

Pa (Paddy) Nolan, St. Lazerian's Terrace
Dina Dreeling, Kyle, Gowran
Mary Monahan, Ballinaboley
Cis Miley, Coolnakeeran
Lawlor Family, Coolnakeeran
Kate Kelly, New Road
Martin & Kathleen Whelan, Mansfield & Tomard
Pascal Holmes, Upper Seskin
Katie Kavanagh, Monemore
Jackie Nevin, Closutton



Notices

Exhibition "St. Willibrord, Patron Saint of Luxembourg and his County

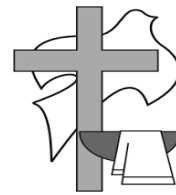
Carlow Connection": is a special exhibition in Carlow County Museum. St. Willibrord was trained and ordained in county Carlow in the 7th century and he is one of Europe's most important saints. Carlow County Museum, College Street, Carlow Town, has free admission, opened Monday - Saturday 10.00am - 4.30pm and Sunday 2pm - 4.30pm. (last admission half before closing).

The Irish Cancer Society: needs an extra 30 drivers for our Volunteer Driver Service in Carlow county to drive cancer patients to and from their chemotherapy appointments. We are looking for drivers with free weekday availability and who have a car available to them. Drivers should be able to commit to driving at least two full (week) days a month. All volunteer expenses are paid. If you would like to volunteer, please call Laura on 01 2310 594, email transport@irishcancer.ie for an application form.

Rosary Beads: found, please contact the 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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15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge

Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11am

Mon - Ballyknockan
7.30pm

Tues, Wed & Thurs
9.30am

Friday - Tomard
7.30pm

Eucharistic Prayers
Friday 9.30am

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

Ballinabranna

No Mass on Friday
Sunday 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday 2 - 3pm
Friday 6.30 - 7.30pm

What God Hath Promised

*God had not promised
Skies always blue,
Flowers – strewn pathways
All our lives through;
God had not promised
Sun without rain,
Joy without Sorrow,
Peace without pain.
But God hath promised
Strength for the day.
Rest for the labour,
Light for the way.
Grace for the trials
Help from above,
Unfailing sympathy,
Undying love.*

*Do what you know you can do today,
then trust God to do what you cannot do!*

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 22nd July 9.30am	Josephine Fitzgerald Betty Hughes	Catherine Ayres Sally Lawlor Anthony Walsh Elizabeth Hegarty
Altar Servers	Kerri Mulleney, Niamh Fitzpatrick, Anna Mulleney, Sarah Delaney	
Church Cleaning	Angela Carter, Alice Fitzgerald	
Church Flowers	July	Sally Lawlor
<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 21st July 7.30pm	Maura Devine Siobhan Haughney	Shauna Murphy Mary Meaney Tommy Lawlor Jimmy Farrell
Sun 22nd July 11am	Angela Roche Ailish Lynch	Sister of Mercy Kathleen McAufield Mary Clarke Anne Kelly
Altar Servers	Grace O'Dwyer, Jean Connolly, Matt Burke, Eoin Bambrick, Kady Kehoe, Ciara Dwyer, Amber Ryan	
Church Cleaning	Dolores Rea, Marie Roche, Mary Clarke, Kathy Haughney, Betty Dowling	
Church Flowers	July	Reader for Week Sister of Mercy
	Bernie Price	

Graveyard Masses 2018:

- Ballyknockan** - Monday 16th July, 7.30pm.
Tomard - Friday 20th July, 7.30pm
 Killenane - Friday 27th July, 7.30pm.
 Leighlinbridge - Sunday 5th August, 7.00pm.
 Old Leighlin - Friday 31st August, 7.30pm.
 Clody - Monday 3rd September, 7.30pm.

July Clergy Collection: next weekend July 21st & 22nd.

Day Care

Karen Dooley
Ann Ball

G.F.C Lotto

Old Leighlin

No's 4, 6, 9, 12
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €10,000
Next week's draw in
Mattie's

Ballinabranna:

No's 5, 13, 18, 22
No winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €10,000

Leighlinbridge:

No's 7, 11, 14, 23
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Next week's draw in
Brennan's

Collections

08/07/18

Envelopes

L/B € 605
B/B €190

Offertory

L/B €505
B/B €300



NOTICES

Leighlin Parish Lourdes Fund: annual Church gate collection on Saturday 14th & Sunday 15th July at all Masses. Your support will be very much appreciated.

W.M.O. F. 2018: Booking has now Closed for Final Mass in Phoenix Park!

Over 500,000 tickets have been booked for the Final Mass of WMOF2018, which will be celebrated by Pope Francis. All tickets have now been reserved and booking has closed for this event. The Mass will take place at 3pm in the Phoenix Park, Dublin on Sunday 26th August.

Requests for tickets for WMOF2018 have been overwhelming and we are delighted to announce that **each of the events is now fully booked.**

W.M.O.F. Mass on Sunday 26th August.

Bus travelling from Bagenalstown. Anyone interested in travelling (must have a ticket to gain entry to Phoenix Park) can contact Elinor on 059-9721154 BEFORE SAT 18TH AUG. to secure a place.

Ecumenical Outing: Thursday 19th July to Carlow @ 10.00am. Visiting - Carlow Museum, St. Patrick's College, George Bernard Shaw Theatre, St Mary's COI Church & Cathedral of the Assumption. Names to Parish Centre as soon as possible please. Fr Lalor.

St. Joseph's Young Priest's Society: will hold their annual Church gate collection at all Masses next weekend.

Old Leighlin Community Hall: A.G.M. on Monday 16th July at 8pm. All Welcome.

The Old Leighlin Tidy Towns Committee:

has been very busy this year and we would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has helped and supported us in so many ways: litter-picking, planting, weeding, signage, clearances, painting and many, many more tasks. Among the events we are hosting are a Pop-up Swap Shop and an Energy Education Hub: dates and details to follow! June is the month when the tidy towns marking occurs and the judges will arrive in the coming days and weeks. We would really appreciate if everyone could continue to support us by keeping your own area as tidy and clean as possible. Once again, many thanks for all the support you have given to our beautiful village.

Leighlinbridge Brass Band:

would like to sincerely thank all those who attended our recent concert on 25th June. Your generous support of the raffle in aid of the Band's Instrument Fund was much appreciated.

Drink Teas for MSD:

thank all who supported the recent fundraiser in aid of Motor Neuron Disease. With your kind donation of €615.15 has been donated to this very worthy cause. Many thanks again, Frances Clarke.

Ballinabranna Hall:

is available for meetings, activities & social events. The hall facilities 80 people with tea/coffee making facilities. Contact the Parish Centre on 059 9722607.

Portlaoise Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg:

bus leaves Parish Church car-park on Wednesday 18th July at 8am. Cost €115 inc bus. Places still available. Contact Michael on 086 8327844.