

Recent Deaths:

Anastacia (Anna) Lawler, of Coolnakeeran

Months Mind:

Jim Donoghue, Orchard, Mass on Saturday 29th October at 7.32pm in Leighlinbridge

1st Anniversaries:

Maggie Miley, Ballygowan, Mass on Sunday 30th October at 9.30am in Ballinabranna

Anniversaries:

John Flynn, Wells	Pat & Lil Whelan, Tomard
Tom Kennedy, Rathvinden	Margaret Hayden, Old Leighlin
Michael Meaney, Seskin Road	Pat Carter, Raheen
Brigid Flynn, Closutton	Michael & Margaret Watchorn, Milford
Mary & John Lawlor, Raheendoran	Cora Kelly, Parknakyle
John McClean, Coolnakisha & Birmingham	Martin & Mary Meaney, The Ridge
Theresa Breen Kavanagh, Dublin	

Acknowledgement

The family of the late Jim Donoghue, Orchard wish to extend their heartfelt gratitude to all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad loss. To those who attended the funeral Mass and all who sent cards and flowers A special thanks to Fr Lalor and to the staff and nurses at the Sacred Heart Nursing Home and St Luke's Hospital. Your kindness was very much appreciated.

Great news: The Ballinabranna/Milford/Raheendoran area has won the Water Conservation award at the 2016 Carlow Pride of Place awards. We have new water butts in Ballinabranna village. This is a great achievement and thanks to everyone for their ongoing work and commitment in maintaining and enhancing the area. Well done to Milford Park estate which won two prizes, one for anti-litter and the other as overall winner in the medium sized estate category. The overall winner this year is Rathanna.

Vale Wanderers: 1st Split the Pot of 2016/17 season is Clodagh Barron (Byrne). Tickets can be sourced from committee members, Jeanne Casey, Chris Collins, Eoghan Murphy and Gary Daly.

Special Announcement Braun Re-Union Night Out Due to Popular Demand a Re-Union "Night-Out" for present & former Employees their family & friends of Braun Ireland Limited on Saturday October 29th in the Seven Oaks Carlow. Music by "Sound Advice" Looking forward to seeing you on the night for Dancing, Singing and a bit of "Craic". There will be an entry cover charge of €5 per person to cover expenses incurred. We will run a raffle for numerous spot prizes and tickets will be sold on the night. Proceeds will be donated to Carlow Mental Health Association. Spread the word!! 8 till late.

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**MISSION
SUNDAY**

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Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge
Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11am
Monday Tuesday,
Wednesday &
Thursday 9.30am

Eucharistic Prayers
Friday 9.30am

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

Ballinabranna
Sunday 9.30am
Friday 7.30pm

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

LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

23RD OCTOBER 2016
MISSION SUNDAY

World Mission Sunday

'Every Christian is a Missionary'.

This Jubilee Year of Mercy marks the 90th anniversary of the first World Missionary Day which was approved by Pope Pius XI in 1926 and organised by the Pontifical Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

On Saturday 22 October, on behalf of World Missions Ireland, Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly of Cashel & Emly will lead the inaugural 'Miles for Mission' walk in Phoenix Park, Dublin, to raise funds for the Love and Hope Centre for people living with HIV/Aids in Nakuru, Kenya.

Bishops ask the faithful to support the country-wide collection for our missionaries which will take place on World Mission Sunday on 23 October.

Please see link to World Missions Ireland website. <http://www.wmi.ie/>

Be humble and allow God to do great things through you.
(Luke 18:9-14)

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 30th Oct	Josephine Fitzgerald Betty Hughes	Killian Amond Benny Amond
Tues 1st Nov	Tom O'Keeffe Padraig Farrell	Betty Hughes Dorel Picovici
Altar Servers	Ciara Kinsella, Paul Fitzgerald, Niamh Fitzpatrick, Kerri Mulleney, Daniel Picovici	
Church Cleaning	Catherine Ayres, Mary Dunne, Mary Brennan	
Church Flowers	October	Mary Daly
<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 29th Oct	Family Readers	George Donoghue Mary Meaney (B)
Sun 30th Oct	Benny Mills Barbara Kinsella	Margaret Lawlor Agnes Kavanagh Maisie Mills
Mon 31st Oct	Mary Meaney (M) Margaret Purcell	Mary Meaney (M) Tommy Lawlor
Tues 1st Nov	Gearoid Doheny Aoife Doheny	Paddy O'Brien Peter Kelly
Altar Servers	Aoife Stanford, Caitlin Earl, Ellie Myles, Konrad Slewa, Daragh Fitzgerald, Daniel Roche	
Church Cleaning	Margaret Purcell, Margaret Foley, Hannah Sieber, Mary Sullivan	
Church Flowers	Betty Dowling Mary Clarke	Reader for Week Mary Hanley
October		

Mission Collection: takes place at all Masses this weekend.

Annual Bereavement Mass: will take place on Friday 4th November @ 8.30pm in St Lazerian's Church, Leighlinbridge.

Day Care

Karen Dooley
Agnes Kavanagh

G.F.C Lotto

Numbers:

Old Leighlin

No's 2, 20, 25, 26
No Winner
Jackpot €7,250
Next week's draw in Pint Depot

Ballinabranna:

No's 7, 16, 18, 21
No winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €5,550

Leighlinbridge:

No's 3, 5, 6, 18
One Winner
Jackpot €1,000
Next week's draw in Brennan's

Collections

16/10/16

Weekly Envelope

L/B €440

B/B €155

Offertory

L/B €530

B/B €210

NOTICES

Tuesday Day Care Annual Fundraiser:

Our Sale of Work/Craft Sale Saturday 5th Nov 7pm - 9pm & Sunday 6th Nov 11am - 3pm in the Parish Centre. Donations of unwanted gifts, bric a brac, books etc. would be gratefully received. Also, cakes, buns, would be very welcome. Items can be left into the Parish Centre. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Celebrating the Feast of St Willibrord

Patron Saint of Luxembourg & His Carlow Connection: in St. Lazerian's Cathedral, Old Leighlin Mon. 7th Nov. Starting at 7pm with 'Vespers of Saint Willibrord', an ecumenical service led by the Right Reverend Michael Burrows, Bishop of Ossory, Cashel, Ferns, Lismore, Waterford and Leighlin and the Most Reverend Denis Nulty, Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin. At 7.45pm: Lecture 'Light to the World: Clonmelsh, Willibrord, and Carlow's Contribution to the Anglo-Saxon Mission on the Continent in the 8th Century', by Prof, Dáibhí Ó Cróinín, Dept of History, NUI Galway. All welcome, Free Admission. Joint Diocesan Pilgrimage from Co. Carlow to Echternach, Luxembourg, June 4th – 7th 2017.

Carlow/Kilkenny Pro Life: talk and training on "How to argue the case for the Pro Life Amendment" with Kate Bopp, Paddy Manning and Michael Dwyer of Family & Life on Monday October 24th in the Springhill Court Hotel, Kilkenny at 7:30pm. All welcome.

Carlow Regional Pioneer Dinner

Dance: to take place in Seven Oaks Hotel, Carlow on Friday 4th November. Tickets available from local centres and regional secretary Mary 086 6027751. Music by Cúpla.

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:

Meeting Monday 24th in Parish Centre at 2.30. Refreshments followed by Line dancing. Don't forget Halloween Dance in Seven oaks hotel Wednesday 26th at 2pm. Back after their break in Killarney the Bowls club meet each Thursday and Friday in Parish Centre also at 2.30. New members welcome.

Childcare Vacancies:

Carlow Early Years Training Scheme CLG, are recruiting for a Childcare Assistant in Little Orchard, Leighlinbridge. We provide you with quality work experience and training. Hours of work: 19.5. CE Rates. To be eligible you need to be in receipt of a social welfare payment and be over the age of 21. Please contact Eileen on 087-1952980 or 059-9134996.

Person Required: for homework club Scoil Molaise, Old Leighlin to help another lady who currently runs the club. Person required for 2 hours every day from 2pm to 4pm Monday-Friday. Must be willing to be Garda vetted. Applications to Chairperson, Board of Management, Scoil Molaise, Old Leighlin.

Little Chance Basketball:

Coach: Ross Brennan. 3 day Halloween basketball Camp in Old Leighlin community hall. Kids 4 – 13 yrs. 1st, 2nd & 3rd Nov 10am to 2pm. Cost €35 per child, concessions for siblings. To Reg. call or text 087-4409476.

LEGO for the Leg: Sarah Baldwin is selling her LEGO collection to raise money for foster dog Tommy's leg operation. The fundraising event will take place in Ballinabranna GAA Clubhouse on Sunday 30th October from 10.30am until 1pm. All LEGO sets sold with instructions & as seen on the day. Money raised will go to "A Dogs Life" for Tommy. Raffle & refreshments on the day. Not to be missed! For more details contact Sue 086 3707535.