

Months Mind:

Mary Foley, (née Kelly) Ballyhane, Mass on Saturday 28th July at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge.

James Doyle, Castledermot & formerly St. Lazerian's Terrace Leighlinbridge, Mass on Sunday 29th July at 11am in Leighlinbridge.

1st Anniversaries:

Paul Matthews, England & formerly Fonthill, Mass on Sunday 29th July at 9.30am in Ballinabranna.

Jimmy O'Keeffe, Barntown, Co. Wexford.

Anniversaries:

Sheila Bolger, New Road

Joe Earl, Rathellen

Jim Hickey, Monemore

The Honohan Family, Rathellen

Liam Kelly, Clogrennane

Angela & Marc Sheehy, Askea Lawns

Michael Dermody, Oldtown, Nurney

Elizabeth Brennan, Crettenclough

Josie Breen (nee McEvoy), Bunclody

Fr. Aiden Kennedy, Graiguenamanagh

Hannah & Billy McGrath, Rathellen

Deceased members of the Earl Family, Rathellen

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 2310594, email transport@irishcancer.ie for an application form.

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

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29TH JULY 2018

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Live Webcam

www.leighlinparish.ie

Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge

Saturday 7.30pm

Sunday 11am

Mon, Tues, Wed

& Thurs 9.30am

Eucharistic Prayers

Friday 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 2 - 5pm

Friday 5 - 9pm

Ballinabranna

Friday 7.30pm

Sunday 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 2 - 3pm

Friday 6.30 - 7.30pm

The First Day of the Week

Sunday the first day of the week is "D day" for Christians.

Christians are called upon to gather weekly to pray & celebrate the Death & Resurrection of Christ - in Mass.

This has been the honoured practice

since the time of the Apostles.

The Irish name, De Domhnaigh - The Lord's Day

- captures well its spirit.

It is a day when we are willing to

"waste" time with the Lord.

We relax in the company of Christ

as we relive the Last Supper.

It is a day when we rest from profitable work.

It is a day when we enjoy Gods time & world.

It is a day when families unite after the scattering weekdays.

Above all it is the day when we present to God the fading week & receive strength to rise to the challenge of the

dawning week.

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 5th Aug 9.30am	Tom O'Keefe Padraig Farrell	Betty Hughes Dorel Picovici Mary Quinn Josephine Fitzgerald
Altar Servers	Daniel Picovici, Nadia Earl, Kian McDarby, Emma Picovici, Niamh Raftery	
Church Cleaning	Lucy McNally, Grace Twomey, Delphine Picovici	
Church Flowers	August	Teresa Dunne
<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 4th Aug 7.30pm	Breda Brennan Celma Aughney	Seamus Somers George Donoghue Hannah Callaghan Bridin Lawlor
Sun 5th Aug 11am	Ann Nolan Jennifer Harkin	Peg Farrell Aoife Doheny Peter Kelly Anita Dunican
Altar Servers	Bronagh Nolan, Maura Kavanagh, Molly Callaghan, Moya O'Toole, Éabha Coady, Aoibhinn Kelly	
Church Cleaning	Mary Murphy, Peter Kelly, Lil Drea, Eileen Johnston	
Church Flowers August	Ann Kelly	Reader for Week Bertie Hayes

Graveyard Masses 2018:

Leighlinbridge - Sunday 5th August, 7.00pm.
Old Leighlin - Friday 31st August, 7.30pm.
Clody - Monday 3rd September, 7.30pm.

Parish Office Hours: 9.30am to 1.30pm from Monday 30th July to Friday 31st August to facilitate holidays.

Day Care

Closed -
Re-Opens 21st
August

**G.F.C Lotto
Old Leighlin**

No's 1, 3, 17, 26
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €10,000
Next week's draw in
Sheerin's

Ballinabranna:

No's 4, 17, 19, 21
No winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €10,000
2nd Reserve €1,050

Leighlinbridge:

No's 1, 5, 20, 28
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €1,100
Next week's draw in
Brennan's

**Collections
22/07/18**

Envelopes

L/B € 610
B/B € 315
B/B €180 - 15/07

Offertory

L/B €542
B/B €207
B/B €155 - 15/07

July Clergy

L/B €1493.50
B/B €385.50

Shrine

B/B €185

NOTICES

A recording of Fr. Lalor's Golden Jubilee

Mass: is available to view on
www.leighlinparish.ie To view please click on
the web site, click on Church webcam, then
click on "Rev Thomas Lalor Leighlin Golden
Jubilee Mass".

**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.**

Buses travelling from Bagenalstown: to
the Papal Mass in Phoenix Park on Sunday 26th
August are now full. Please note, those who
have booked a seat on the bus will have to leave
a deposit of €10 with the **Parish Centre in
Bagenalstown** to confirm your seat between
Wednesday 1st & Thursday 9th August. More
information on bus pick-up point & times to
follow.

W.M.O.F. 2018: With just six weeks to go to
the World Meeting of Families 2018 in Dublin
from 21 – 26 August, we are opening up a new
opportunity for those who have availability to
volunteer for one day for WMOF2018. We are
asking for Volunteer Papal Mass Stewards and
Holy Communion Team volunteers for the
Closing Mass of WMOF2018 which will take
place in the Phoenix Park on Sunday 26th
August. Go to [www.worldmeeting2018.ie/
en/Get-Involved/Volunteer/Volunteer-for-
One-Day](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie/en/Get-Involved/Volunteer/Volunteer-for-One-Day) for more information.

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

Leighlinbridge Improvement Group: if
people continue to put their household rubbish in
the bin by the river, the group will have no
choice but to remove the bins completely.

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.

Keys Lost: on Friday 13th near the Church. If
found, please leave in to Parish Centre.

ALONE: is a Support organisation for older
people who are looking for additional volunteers
in Carlow town and County. To find out more
please call 086 4108902.

Eist Cancer Support Centre: will be closing
for Summer Holidays from Friday 27th July and
reopening on Monday 13th August 2018. If you
have any queries please phone Eist Centre on
059 9139684 and leave a voice mail message and
we will answer your call on our return on
Monday 13th August, alternatively please contact
Irish Cancer Society Nurse line freephone
1800 200 700.

Sun of money found: on Sunday 15th July at
the church gate in Leighlinbridge. Contact the
Parish Centre.

Carlow Regional Youth Services: are
currently recruiting for the following position in
their CE scheme, part time Receptionist/PR at
their head office in Montgomery house, Athy
road, Carlow. For further enquiries please ring
Lisa/Marie on 085 2101494 or reception on
059 9130476.