

### Pray For:

### 1st Anniversaries:

Tom Bermingham, Nurney. Mass on Saturday 2nd January at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge  
John Pender, Craan. Mass on Sunday 3rd January at 9.30am in Ballinabranna

### Anniversaries:

Pakie Amond, Ballygowan  
William Kelly, Ballinabranna  
Fiona Brennan, Monavea  
Bridget Phelan, Coolcullen  
Edward Keating, Clogrennane  
Paul Lennon, Glen Lodge  
Pat Murphy, Craan  
Patsy Brennan, Clogrennane  
Moirá Purcell, Lacken  
Nan Murphy, Seskin Road



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## LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

3RD JANUARY 2016  
2ND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

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### Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge  
Saturday 7.30pm  
Sunday 11am  
Mon, Thurs, Fri  
Eucharistic Prayers  
9.30am  
Tues 5th 7.30pm  
Wed 6th 11am

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

Ballinabranna  
Friday 7.30pm  
Sunday 9.30am  
Wed 6th 7.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration  
Wednesday 2 - 3pm

### The Epiphany

The Epiphany is the manifestation of Jesus as Messiah of Israel, Son of God and Saviour of the World.

The great feast of the Epiphany celebrates the adoration of Jesus by the wise men (magi) from the East, together with his baptism in the Jordan and the wedding feast at Cana in Galilee.

In the magi, representatives of the neighbouring pagan religions, the Gospel sees the first fruits of the nations, who welcome the good news of salvation through the Incarnation.



<b><u>St Fintan's Church</u></b>		
	<b><u>Readers</u></b>	<b><u>Ministers</u></b>
<b>Wed 6th 7.30pm</b>	Tom O'Keefe Padraig Farrell	Anthony Walsh Elizabeth Hegarty
<b>Sun 10th 9.30 am</b>	Terence Farrell Confirmation Class	Bridie Keating Pat Carter
<b>Altar Servers</b>	John Lawlor, Ger Carthy, Ellie Kelly, Paddy Marnane, Shannon Noonan	
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Catherine Ayres, Mary Dunne, Mary Brennan	

<b><u>St Lazerian's Church</u></b>		
	<b><u>Readers</u></b>	<b><u>Ministers</u></b>
<b>Tues 5th 7.30 pm</b>	Martin Nevin Sharon Tuite	George Donoghue Mary Meaney (B)
<b>Wed 6th 11am</b>	Angela Roche Ailish Lynch	Peg Farrell Kathleen McAulfield Mary Clarke
<b>Sat 9th 7.30 pm</b>	Maura Devine Siobhan Haughney	Mary Meaney (M) Tommy Lawlor
<b>Sun 10th 11 am</b>	Mandy Ryan Sr of Mercy	Marie Roche Breda Aylward
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Padhraic Collins, Thomas Gaughan, Jason Haughney, Luke Barron, Sean Murphy, Adam Collins	
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Olive Townsend, Bridget Monaghan, Phil Byrne	
<b>Church Flowers January</b>	Breda Aylward	<b>Reader for Week</b> Martin Nevin

### **Day Care**

Day care closed  
until January 12th.

### **G.F.C Lotto Numbers: Old Leighlin**

No's  
No Winner  
Jackpot € 10,000  
Next week's draw  
in  
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### **Ballinabranna:**

No's 11, 14, 16, 21  
No winner  
Jackpot €10,000  
Reserve €3,450

### **Leighlinbridge:**

No's  
No Winner  
Jackpot €  
Next week's draw in  
Brennan's

### **Collections**

### **Offertory**

L/B 24/12 € 913  
L/B 25/12 € 640  
L/B 27/12 € 455  
B/B Total € 1042

### **Weekly Envelopes**

L/B € 705  
B/B € 10

### **Priests**

L/B & B/B €5995

## **NOTICES**

**Mother & Toddler:** resumes on Monday 11th  
January at 10am.

**Leighlinbridge N.S.:** is collecting used postage  
stamps for the Missions and old mobile phones  
for Cancer. Please drop them in to the school  
office.

### **'The Kitchen' run by St Clare's**

**Hospitality volunteers:** is now open at The  
Waterfront, Mill Lane, Carlow from 12.30pm-  
3.00pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays  
where over 100 hot lunches are served daily to  
local people in need. We are also expecting 50  
people approx. for dinner on Christmas  
Day. This would not be possible without the  
kindness of people who donate money and food  
into our food barrels. Items like Tins: Beans,  
Peas, Tomatoes, any Fruit, Dessert Rice,  
Custard, Gravy Granules, Salt, Pepper, Stock/  
Bouillon - Chicken/Veg/Beef, Cooking Oil and  
Tomato Puree would be a massive help to keep  
our costs down. We wish a Happy and Peaceful  
Christmas to all our volunteers and supporters.

**The Carers Association:** are providing the QQI  
(FETAC) Level 5 Healthcare Support Award  
training in your area in January 2016. For more  
info contact the training unit on 0579370221.



**Leighlin Parish Lourdes Fund Christmas  
Draw Results:**

1st: €150	Pj Lawlor
2nd: €50	Ann Wheatly
3rd: €25	David Cormack
4th: €25	Seamus McDonald
5th: Newgrange Candle	Karen Bambrick
6th: Box of Roses	Matthew c/o Andy Dermody
7th: Dressing Gown	Ciara Dwyer
8th: Toy Car	John c/o K Glynn
9th: Bottle Wine	Seamus Glynn
10th: Bottle Gin	Lilly Mai O'Brien
11th: Snowman in Bucket	Bohan Family c/o K Glynn
12th: Large Hamper	Pat Nolan
13th: Onesie	Margaret O'Leary
14th: 2 Christmas Mugs	Paddy McDonald
15th: Christmas Pudding	Jack c/o Kay Glynn
16th: Ferrero Rocher	Mary&John Hennessy
17th: Jacket	Margaret O'Leary
18th: Christmas Cake	Dylan Flynn
19th: Neck Warmer	Pat Roche
20th: Bottle Perfume	Jenna Cody
21st: Farm Set	Kay Dowling
22nd: Basket of Flowers	Eddie Kelly
23rd: Nivea Basket	Marion Meaney
24th: 2 Christmas Mugs	Kayla Glynn

The committee wish to thank everyone who  
supported the draw, ticket sellers and all who  
donated prizes for the draw.