

Recent Death:

Barbara Hayden, Chicago, wife of Eamon Hayden formally of Old Leighlin.

Anniversaries

Mary & Thomas Lawlor, Bilboa	Dan & Brigid McGrath, Rathellen
Christine Cree, Ballyknockan	Bridie Boland, Coolgreaney
Liza Bambrick, Bawnree	Jack Daly, Carlow Road
Anne Scariff, Bawnree	Mary Nolan, Augharue
Michael Dermody, Oldtown	Gerard Nolan, Augharue
Margaret Meaney, Church Street	Emmet Nolan, Dunmore
Johnny Dermody, Oldtown	Tom Nevin, Ballinaboley
Comerford Family, Parknakyle	
Margaret O'Neill, Carlow Road	
Aloysious Whyte, Fonthill, Milford	
Denis Carey, Old Leighlin	
The Nolan Family, Tomard	
Phillie Bragulla, Wisconsin & Tomard	
Katie & Peter Woplan, London & Tomard	
Paddy & Kathleen Taylor, Ballyknockan	
Richard, Mary & John Minchin, Lower Seskin	
Angela & Marc Sheehy, Banagagole & Askea Lawns	
John & Brigid Brady & Family members, Old Leighlin	
McGrath, Buckley & Cullen Families, Bagenalstown Road	
David, Annie & Mary Gahan, Townasock, Old Leighlin	
Thomas & Margaret Lawlor & deceased family members, Coolnakeeran	
Tommy & Michael Foley and deceased family members, Townaslough	

Notices

22 Years of Music: in aid of The Sudan on Wednesday 7th August 2019 starting at 9pm at Mount Wolseley. Compere and Very special guest Mary Darcy, Theresa & the Stars, Laz Murphy Country Flavour, Kevin Prendergast, Sam Anderson, Catherine & Images, Harry Donohoe, Tadgh Ronan, Ali O'Neill. Mount Wolseley Special B&B offer : €80 Single room, €100 double/twin room, €130 Family room 2 adults and 2 children under 12. Ring reservations on 059 9180100 to book under "Summer Concert".

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

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Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge
Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11am

Mon, Tues, Wed &
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 6.30 - 7.30pm

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4TH AUGUST 2019

18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, **Message from Bishop Denis**

I ask you to pray for all of us on pilgrimage,
that our journey goes well and that our pilgrimage
brings many blessings.

We will remember you at home, and especially
those who are too sick to travel with us this year.

May Our Lady of Lourdes,
St. Bernadette and St. Benedict Joseph Labre
shower all of you with their blessings.

You can keep in touch on social media;
Facebook and Twitter, and our diocesan website

www.kandle.ie

Every blessing,
Bishop Denis

Weekly Saint Dates

Monday 5th - St. Mary Major Basilica
Tuesday 6th - Transfiguration of the Lord
Thursday 8th - St. Dominic

NOTICES

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 11th Aug 9.30am	Josephine Fitzgerald Betty Hughes	John Kelly Loretta McNally
Altar Servers	Emma Picovici, Nadia Watchorn Earl, Kate Gould, Lilymay Hosey, Rachel Ayres	
Church Cleaning	Claire Jackson, Loretta McNally, Ann Proctor, Valerie Haughney	
Church Flowers	August	Kathleen McNally
<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 10th Aug 7.30pm	Maura Devine Siobhan Haughney	Mary Meaney (M) Len Roche
Sun 11th Aug 11am	Gearoid Doheny Aoife Doheny	Sister of Mercy Kathleen McAufield Mary Clarke
Altar Servers	Maura Kavanagh, Molly Callaghan, Moya O'Toole, Éabha Coady, Aoibhinn Kelly, Emily-Jane Kelly	
Church Cleaning	Josie O'Mara, Olive Townsend, Bridget Monaghan, Phil Byrne	
Church Flowers August	Betty Dowling	Reader for Week Bertie Hayes

Invalids: will be attended on Tuesday 6th, Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th of August. Mondays will be attended on Thursday.

Graveyard Masses 2019:

Leighlinbridge Sunday 4th August at 7.00pm.

Old Leighlin Friday 30th August at 7.30pm.

Clody Monday 2nd September at 7.30pm.

Parish Office Hours: 9.30am to 1.30pm from Monday 6th August to Friday 30th August to facilitate holidays.

Day Care

Karen Dooley
Ann Ball

G.F.C Lotto

Old Leighlin

No's 2,12,21,22

No Winner

Jackpot €10,000

Reserve €10,000

2nd Reserve €8,850

Next week's draw in

Matty's

Ballinabranna:

No's 1, 8, 13, 16

No Winner

Jackpot €10,000

Reserve €10,000

2nd Reserve €3,700

Leighlinbridge:

No's 7,12,14,28

No Winner

Jackpot €2,500

Next week's draw in

Brennan's

Collections

28/07/19

Envelopes

L/B €510

B/B €240

B/B €155 - 21/07

Offertory

L/B €510

B/B €320

B/B €150 - 21/07

Shrine

B/B €190

Parish Draw – July Results:

1st. Dr. Tom Foley

2nd. Teresa Carpenter

3rd. John Paul & Kathy Gahan

4th. Clare Purcell

5th. Moll Walsh

6th. Mercy Sisters

7th. Des Ferguson

Promoters Prizes: Eileen Conway,

Margaret Rudkins, Liam Geraghty &

Marie Roche.

Day Care Volunteers needed:

Can you volunteer approx. 5 hours, once every 5

weeks on a roster basis, to help with

Tuesday Day Care at the Parish Centre?

Please contact the Parish Office

059 9722607 for more information.

Care of the Aged:

Can all monies outstanding for the Sligo trip on the 26th

August be brought to George Donoghue in

the Parish Centre on Tuesday 6th August,

as all hotel rooms need to be finalised. If

anyone has any special dietary requirements,

please let the Committee know.

Outing to our Lady's Island Wexford:

on Tuesday 20th August. To book contact

059 9720904.

Feast of Saint Clare:

Monday August 12th. Mass at 10am in St Clare's Parish

Church Graiguecullen. Chief Celebrant

Most Reverend Bishop Denis Nulty.

Blessing with the 1st Class Relic of St. Clare.

All are welcome to visit Our Sisters

& enjoy a cuppa.

Thank you:

to all who sponsored the recent Care of the Aged Annual Barrow

walk. Your kind donations were much

appreciated. €2,800 was raised.

Leighlinbridge Improvements

Group: Judging for Tidy Towns takes place from

June 9th to August 4th. As we strive to keep up

the standard, we appeal to householders to keep

their immediate area free of litter and weeds not

forgetting hanging baskets and flower tubs which

need to be watered daily. With such cooperation

who knows heights we may reach.

Prayer at the Ploughing 2019:

At a recent launch of Prayer at the Ploughing challenge, I

remarked on the most recent census where over

85% of respondents said they had a religious

affiliation. In the seven weeks leading up to the

Ploughing Championships, I am asking people all

around the diocese to choose the prayer they like

most, such as the Rosary or the Lord's

Prayer. Perhaps a prayer learnt at their mother's

knee or handed down *ó ghlúin go glúin* in their

family. The Ploughing Championships takes place

in the middle of the annual Season of Creation,

which the Church marks from

1st September – 4th October. Because the 3-day

ploughing championship focuses on rural living,

I am also inviting people to submit a personal

prayer (no more than 100 words) about the

environment which they compose themselves.

This new environmentally centred prayer could

relate to farming, gardening or sustainability.

People can submit their preferences and entries to

prayerattheplooughing@kandle.ie between now

and 10 September. Alternatively they are welcome

to post them to me at Bishop's House.

A shortlist of the favourite prayers will be

displayed at the Kildare & Leighlin stand when the

event gets underway on 17 September. The theme

of the Kildare & Leighlin stand at the ploughing

is **'Digging Deeper – Rooting for Christ'** a

continuation of our diocesan campaign exploring

new ways for people to understand their faith.

Bishop Denis