

### **Recent Death:**

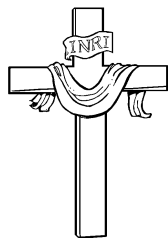
Pat O'Neill, London, formerly, Bawnree, interment of Ashes on Sat June 10th at 11am  
Margaret (Ciss) Pender, (née Byrne) Craan

### **Months Mind:**

John Byrne, Coolnakisha & Orchard Lane, Mass on Sat 10th June at 7.30pm in  
Leighlinbridge  
Pat Ayres, Ballinabranna, Mass Sunday 11th June at 9.30am in Ballinabranna

### **Anniversaries:**

Brigid Price, Seskin Road  
Annie Somers, Killenane  
Ellen Byrne, Old Leighlin  
Carroll Family, Rathellen  
Bob Purcell, Molaise Estate  
Kathleen Comerford, Bennekerry  
James Whyte, Fonthill, Milford  
Peg Lakes, Craan



### **Notices**

**Relay for Life:** is taking place in Duckett's Grove on 17th & 18th June. This year there will be a Super Kids Zone, music, entertainment and live demonstrations over the 24 hours as well as the Candle of Hope Ceremony. If you would like to purchase a Candle Bag please phone 085-7796359. Please continue to support this fundraiser for The Irish Cancer Society.

**EIST Cancer Support Centre:** provides emotional and practical support to people affected by cancer including those who care for them, from the time of diagnosis, through treatment and afterwards. Our Family Carer support Group is on the first Tuesday of each month at 7.30 pm – Next Date Tuesday 6th June @ 7.30 pm If you or someone in your family has been affected by cancer why not contact Valerie on 059 9139684 to arrange to call in and see what services might be of interest and available to your family.

**Nurney Field Day:** will once again provide a fun filled family day on Sunday 11th June, 2017, in Nurney at 2pm. Events include a book sale, bottle stall, wheel of fortune, raffle prizes, games for all ages and abilities, delicious cakes & bread in the tea & coffee tent, giant inflatable slide, barbeque & refreshments. There will be soccer games from 3pm followed by family races.

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

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# LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

4TH JUNE 2017  
PENTECOST SUNDAY

## **Pentecost Sunday**

Pentecost Sunday commemorates the coming of  
the Holy Spirit to the apostles.

Jesus promised He would send help and guidance  
to the apostles in their work of spreading the  
word of the Lord.

The Holy Spirit was that help.

The Holy Spirit enriched the apostles with gifts  
that transformed their lives and they became  
abundantly equipped to carry on Jesus'  
work on earth.

We ask the Holy Spirit to enrich our lives today  
and shine from us as we try to lead  
by example and live like Christ.

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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

"There are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit" Is the Lord inviting  
you to share your gifts?

**NOTICES**

**St Fintan's Church**

|                                    | <b><u>Readers</u></b>  | <b><u>Ministers</u></b>   |
|------------------------------------|--|---|
| <b>Sun 11th June<br/>9.30am</b>    | Josephine Fitzgerald<br>Betty Hughes   | John Kelly<br>Loretta McNally<br>Shannon Young<br>Pat Carter      |
| <b>Altar Servers</b>               | Ciara Kinsella, Paul Fitzgerald, Niamh Fitzpatrick, Kerri Mulloney, Daniel Picovici      |   |
| <b>Church Cleaning</b>             | Annie Dermody, Kathleen McNally, Mai Sheehan, Noel Delos Reyes                           |   |
| <b>Church Flowers</b>              | <b>June</b>  | Angela Carter   |
| <b><u>St Lazerian's Church</u></b> |  |   |
|                                    | <b><u>Readers</u></b>  | <b><u>Ministers</u></b>   |
| <b>Sat 10th June<br/>7.30pm</b>    | Mary Meaney (M)<br>Margaret Purcell  | Seamus Somers<br>George Donoghue<br>Jimmy Farrell<br>Tommy Lawlor |
| <b>Sun 11th June<br/>11am</b>      | Benny Mills<br>Barbara Kinsella  | Marie Roche<br>Kathleen Cummins<br>Noleen Doyle                   |
| <b>Altar Servers</b>               | Aoife Stanford, Caitlin Earl, Ellie Myles, Konrad Slewa, Daragh Fitzgerald, Daniel Roche |   |
| <b>Church Cleaning</b>             | Maura Devine, Lizzie Earl, Oliver Quinn, Ann Dooley                                      |   |
| <b>Church Flowers<br/>June</b>     | Ann Kelly  | <b>Reader for Week</b><br>Peg Rice                                |

**Graveyard Masses 2017**

- Ballinabranna - Friday 30th June, 7.30pm
- Tomard - Friday 7th July, 7.30pm
- Ballyknockan - Monday 17th July, 7.30pm
- Killenane - Friday 21st July, 7.30pm
- Leighlinbridge - Sunday 6th August, 7.00pm
- Old Leighlin - Friday 25th August, 7.30pm **T.B.C**
- Clody - Monday 4th September, 7.30pm

**Exam Students:** Candle & Prayer are available in the Parish Office.

**Day Care**

Karen Dooley  
Agnes Kavanagh

**G.F.C Lotto**

**Old Leighlin**

No's 4, 8, 24, 26  
No Winner  
Jackpot €10,000  
Next week's draw in Sheerin's

**Ballinabranna:**

No's 1,6,13,17  
No winner  
Jackpot €10,000  
Reserve €7,100

**Leighlinbridge:**

No's 1, 12, 20, 21  
No Winner  
Jackpot €4,200  
Next week's draw in Brennan's

**Collections**

**28/05/17**

**Envelope**

L/B €540  
B/B €185

**Offertory**

L/B €411  
B/B €785

**Retired Priests**

L/B €715

**May Parish Draw Results:**

- 1st. Oliver Doyle
- 2nd. Lillian Watchorn
- 3rd. Doreen Sawyer
- 4th. Anthony Walsh
- 5th. Ciara Walsh
- 6th. Anne Marie Clarke
- 7th. John Curran

**Promoters Prizes:** Frank Dunne, Noel Dunne, Kathleen Lawlor, Seamus Somers.

**Cards:** for all occasions now available in Parish Centre in support of Day Care. Only €1

**Care of the Aged:** annual trip away to The Falls Hotel in Co. Clare will take place on the 12th to 16th June. Bus will from the leave car park in Leighlinbridge on Monday 12th at 9.30am sharp.

**Aspiro:** Coffee morning and 'sing-along' with Aspiro Inspired Adult Community choir Friday 9th June 10-12am in Leighlinbridge Parish Centre. Come experience the power of group singing, have a cuppa or do both!

**Ballinabranna/Milford/Raheendoran**

**Dev. Group:** There is a meeting on Thursday 8th of June at 8.30pm in the club house. Anyone interested in getting involved in making improvements to the local area is very welcome. We are looking for people who would be interested in getting involved in small projects in the area. [www.facebook.com/ballinabranna.milford.raheendoran](http://www.facebook.com/ballinabranna.milford.raheendoran)

**I.C.A.:** Meeting on Thursday 8th June at 7.30pm in Leighlin Parish Centre.

**St. Joseph's Young Priests Society:** monthly meeting on Wednesday 7th June at 8pm in Parish Centre.

**Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:**

On account of Bank Holiday no meeting this Monday. Bus for Youghal Summer break leaving Church car park on Sunday 11th. June at 11.30am. For enquiries phone Madeleine 086-4080286.

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

**P.T.A.A. Raffle Results 13th May 2017:**

€200 - Heidi McEvoy, Paulstown,  
€100 - Carlow Cathedral PTAA Centre,  
€75 - Nicole Myler, Wexford,  
€75 - Carlow Cathedral Ptaa Centre,  
€50 - Mary & John Meaney, Leighlinbridge

**Fairtrade:** The pupils at Ballinabranna primary school took part in a Fairtrade talk carried out by Bernadette Power, Chairperson of Fairtrade Carlow. The students learnt how easy it is to support farmers and workers in developing countries by choosing products with the Fairtrade logo in local stores. The children also enjoyed sampling Fairtrade treats during the visit and were taught to look out for the Fairtrade logo on products. Products with the FAIRTRADE mark ensure farmers in the developing world receive a guaranteed minimum price plus a Fairtrade premium which is used to improve their businesses or social development projects.

**Ballinabranna ICA:** meeting on Monday 5th June at 7pm.

**Carlow Neuromuscular Clinic:** For muscular pain, sciatica, frozen shoulder, disc injuries, fallen arches etc. Contact Tony Devine on 086-3566180

**Blood Donation Clinic:** Lord Bagenal on Wed 7th & Thurs 8th June from 4.30pm to 8pm