Pray For:

1st Anniversaries:

Claire Kavanagh, Milford. Mass on Sunday 5th January at 10am in Tinryland.

Anniversaries:

Paul Lennon, Glenlodge

Patsy Brennan, Clogrennane

Nan Murphy, Seskin Road

Margaret Foy, Rathellen

Patrick Redmond, Clogrennane

Matt Carey, Old Leighlin

Mary Eyre, Gurtahile & Myshall

Tom Birmingham, Nurney

Frank Burke Pollerton Road, Carlow

Richard Whyte, Fonthill, Milford

Margaret Farrell, Townasock

Patrick O'Neill, Bawnree

William Kelly, Ballinabranna

Ned Comerford, Clogrennane

Bridget Phelan, Coolcullen

Fiona Brennan, Monavea

Ned Keating, Clogrennane

Martin, John, Lizzie& Bridget O'Brien, Upper Tomard

John O'Neill, Augharue

Pakie O'Neill

Bill & May Taylor, Australia

Lena and Thomas Meaney, Church St & deceased members of The Meaney Family

Simon, Paddy & Thomas McDonald

Mary Kearney & The McDonald Family, Milebush

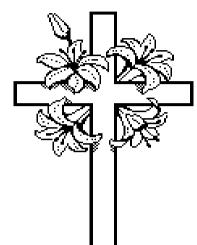
Nellie Nevin, Carlow Road

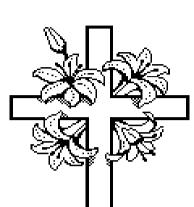
William Fitzgerald, Upper Tomard

Pierce Comerford, Old Leighlin

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

Vigil-Saturday 7.30pm Sunday 11am Vigil 7.30pm

Mon 11am

Tues, Wed & Thurs 9.30am

Eucharistic Prayers Fri 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 2-5pm Friday 5 - 9pm

Ballinabranna Monday 7.30pm

Friday 7.30pm Sunday 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 2 - 3pm Friday 6.30 - 7.30pm

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5TH JANUARY 2020 SECOND SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

The Epiphany of The Lord

Monday 6th January 2020

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 see's the first fruits of the nations, who welcome the good news of salvation through the Incarnation.



St Fintan's Church			
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>	
Sun 12th Jan	Seamus Marnane	Cillian Amond	
9.30am	Conal O'Boyle	Benny Amond	
Altar Servers	Rachel Ayres, Karen Ayres, Laura Ayres,		
	Oliver Walsh, Katie Farrell, Blair Doyle,		
	Treasa Dermody		
Church Cleaning	Angela Carter		
	Alice Fitzgerald		
Church Flowers	January	Angela Carter	

<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>			
	Readers	<u>Ministers</u>	
Sat 11th Jan	Breda Brennan	Jimmy Farrell	
7.30pm	Celma Aughney	Christine Thompson	
		Bridin Lawlor	
Sun 12th Jan	Benny Mills	Marie Roche	
11am	Barbara Kinsella	Kathleen Cummins	
		Noleen Doyle	
Altar Servers	Kate Burke, Casey Farrell, Daniel Brennan,		
Sat 11th Jan	Tommy Dunne, Martin Earl, Russell Harkin,		
7.30pm	Fionn Forde		
Altar Servers	Ethan Jenkins, Ryhs Jenkins, Eimear O'Toole,		
Sun 12th Jan	Leah Cody, Naomie Kelly, Niamh Brennan		
11am			
Church Cleaning	Margaret Purcell, Margaret Foley,		
	Hana Sieber, Mary Sullivan, Kay O'Connor		
Church Flowers	D . D .	Reader for Week	
January	Bernie Price	Sister Of Mercy	

<u>Invalids:</u> will be on Tues 7th, Wed 8th & Thurs 9th January, in the usual order.

<u>Anniversaries:</u> Anyone wishing to have a loved one prayed for should notify the Parish Office before **10am on Thursday morning** as this is when the newsletter is printed. Any anniversaries received after this time will be included in the following weeks issue of the newsletter.

Dav Care

Olive Townsend Mary Kehoe

Ballinabranna:

No's 10, 17, 20, 27 No Winner Jackpot €10,000 Reserve €4,800

Leighlinbridge:

No's 7, 8, 19, 26 No Winner Jackpot €4,700 Next draw in Brennan's

<u>Collections</u> 22/12/19

Envelopes

L/B €1930 L/B €3080 29th B/B €10

Offertory

L/B €610 L/B €775 25th L/B €695 29th B/B €170 B/B €760 25th B/B €445 29th

Shrine

L/B €245

<u>Needy</u> L/B €415

Christmas Collection

L/B €5735 B/B €1545

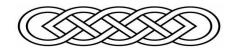
NOTICES

<u>Christmas Draw:</u> Leighlin Parish Lourdes Fund Committee wish to thank everyone who supported their draw. A special thanks to all the ticket sellers and all who donated. List of prize winners can be seen in Parish Centre.

PILATES: - All classes beginning this week; Monday 6pm Bagenalstown Community Centre (mixed), Leighlinbridge-Wednesday 6pm (Back care & Beginners) & 7:15pm (improvers), Thursday 10am (mixed). Ballinkillen Hall Wednesday 11:30am. Please contact (087) 7731105 or email pilates@tmpilates.com

Walking Towards Unity: You are Warmly Invited to this Walk which will start at Carlow Methodist Church, then to St. Mary's Church of Ireland and finally to the Cathedral of the Assumption. Starts at 2.30pm in Carlow Methodist Church, Athy Road, Carlow on Sunday 19th January 2020.

Home Instead Senior Care – Caring people needed –Kildare/Laois/Carlow/Kilkenny Area's. We are seeking compassionate, dependable and experienced Carers to assist our clients with day to day living activities including companionship, light housekeeping, meal preparation, transport and assistance with personal care needs. Flexible hours. Care Qualifications and Patient Moving and Handling Experience Desirable but not essential as Full Training can be provided. Fluent English. Please call 045-446593 or email agnes.moloney@homeinstead.ie



Leighlinbridge and District Active Retired:

Committee Meeting Monday 6th January in Parish Centre at 2 o'clock. Members Meeting 2.30pm followed by Refreshments and a session of Bingo. Congratulations to Jim Campbell who won the short Holiday voucher, courtesy of Tourism Northern Ireland at the National Raffle Dublin.

Accord Carlow Pre-Marriage courses:

Feb 7th & 8th, March 6th & 7th, April 3rd & 4th 2020. Book on line at www.accord.ie or phone Mary at 059 9138738 for further information Counselling: Accord offers Marriage & Relationship Counselling by appointment Our fully trained Counsellors are there to - Listen to you in confidence and help you find your solutions to your problems

Phone Mary at 059 9138738 for further details.

Local Pilgrimage: to Fatima for Easter 2020 8th – 13th April. 5 nights Full Board ex Dublin. Taking in all the major sites also including day trips to Santeram, where Bleeding Host took place and trip to Lisbon to see Saint Anthony's Church and Baptismal Font. Contact James Treacy 086 -0572216

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES

APRIL - OCT 2020: 7 Night Stay and Airport Shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for €266 per person sharing. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or email reservations@med-irishcentre.com.

Attention Active Retirement Clubs

throughout Ireland: We are organizing a Guided Tour of Berlin for three days 8th May 2020 ex Dublin including two half days of Guided Tours throughout Berlin with 4 Star Hotel in City Centre. Contact Joe Walsh Tours on 01-2410800.