

**Recent Deaths:**

Mary Dermody, Seskin Road  
Michael Curran, Mullinacree, Castledermot  
Paddy Barron, Bagenalstown  
John Lennon, Bagenalstown

**Month Mind:**

Paudge Amond, Ballygowan Mass on Sunday May 12th at 9.30am in Ballinabranna

**1st Anniversaries:**

Ann Jensen, Mass on Sunday 19th May at 11am in Leighlinbridge and pray for her husband Jim Jensen for his 2nd Anniversary.  
Catherine (Kathleen) Burke, Mass on Sunday 19th May at 11am in Leighlinbridge

**Anniversaries:**

Pat Ayres , Ballinabranna	Barry Sheehan, Raheendoran
Francis Clarke, 27 Seskin Road	John Phelan, Lower Seskin
Joe O'Leary, Durrow	John Murphy, High Street
Paddy Foley, Banagagole	Kitty Foley, Townaslough
Mrs Margaret Brennan, Lower Seskin	Joseph Farrell, Upper Seskin
Jack McAssey, High Street, Leighlinbridge	
Janette Townsend, Ballyknockan, Leighlinbridge	
Margaret & James Foley-Nolan, Bagenalstown	
Charles & Annie Curran & their deceased members of their family.	
Breda & Frank Lanigan, Carrigbeg, Carlow	

**Notices**

**Carlow Regional Youth Service:** are recruiting volunteer leaders for Carlow Camp: Are you aged 16 +? Are you free between 2nd - 5th July 10am-3pm for Training & 8th - 12th July for Summer Camp? Do you want to work with children and learn new skills? Do you want to work as part of a team and make a difference in your community? Carlow Camp provides volunteer leadership training to allow volunteers become a leader at our summer camps. For application forms or any queries please call into Montgomery House, call us on 059 9130476 or email [reception1@carlowys.ie](mailto:reception1@carlowys.ie). Garda vetting will apply for all volunteers.

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

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**LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER**

12TH MAY 2019  
4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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**Mass Times:**

**Leighlinbridge**  
Saturday 7.30pm  
Sunday 11am

Mon, Tues, &  
Wed 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

Good Shepherd Sunday

Today, is a special day for everyone in our parish.  
We celebrate World Day of Prayer for Vocations.  
We ask that we may be filled with joy and the Holy Spirit as we carry on the mission of Jesus, our Good Shepherd.

Let us pray for one another that we may be strengthened in our Christian vocations as married and single people, priests, deacons, and religious.

May our youth listen to God's call and be encouraged to respond generously.



<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
<b>Sun 19th May</b> 9.30am	Tom O'Keefe Padraig Farrell	Betty Hughes Dorel Picovici
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Emma Picovici, Nadia Watchorn Earl, Kate Gould, Lilymay Hosey, Rachael Ayres	
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Catherine Ayres, Mary Dunne, Mary Brennan	
<b>Church Flowers</b>	<b>May</b>	Lena Delaney
<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
<b>Sat 18th May</b> 7.30pm	Maura Devine Siobhan Haughney	Mary Meaney (M) Len Roche Kathleen Lawlor
<b>Sun 19th May</b> 11am	Ann Nolan Jennifer Harkin	Paddy O'Brien Anne Kelly Anita Dunican
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Maura Kavanagh, Molly Callaghan, Moya O'Toole, Eabha Coady, Aoibhinn Kelly, Emily-Jane Kelly	
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Lizzie Earl, Oliver Quinn, Ann Dooley	
<b>Church Flowers</b> <b>May</b>	Bernie Price Jennifer Harkin	<b>Reader for Week</b> Bertie Hayes

### Graveyard Masses 2019:

Ballinabranna	Friday 28th June at 7.30pm.
Tomard	Friday 12th July at 7.30pm.
Ballyknockan	Monday 15th July at 7.30pm.
Killinane	Friday 26th July at 7.30pm.
Leighlinbridge	Sunday 4th August at 7.00pm.
Old Leighlin	Friday 30th August at 7.30pm.
Clody	Monday 2nd September at 7.30pm.

**Irish Cancer Society:** church gate collection at all Masses on Sat 11th and Sun 12th May

**Retired Priest Collection:** will take place on Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th Mass

### Day Care

Karen Dooley  
Ann Ball

### G.F.C Lotto

#### Old Leighlin

No's 19,20,21,24  
No Winner  
Jackpot €10,000  
Reserve €10,000  
2nd Reserve €7,200  
Next week's draw in  
Carey's

#### Ballinabranna:

No's 9, 16, 20, 21  
No Winner  
Jackpot €10,000  
Reserve €10,000  
2nd Reserve €3,100

#### Leighlinbridge:

No's 2, 19, 25, 28  
No Winner  
Jackpot €1,300  
Next week's draw in  
Brennan's

### Collections

**5/5/19**

#### Envelopes

L/B €555  
B/B €150

#### Offertory

L/B €650  
B/B €246

## NOTICES

**Kilgorey Graveyard Mass:** On the 19th May at 3pm.

**An evening with:** the poems of Patrick Kavanagh. Venue Fr Lalor's house, Tinryland. Date Wednesday 15th May 2019 at 8.00pm. Please note **change of date** from what we agreed on at the last meeting. Fr Lawlor

### Rambling Night - Fund Raising Event in Aid of Ballinabranna

**National School:** A great night of Song, Storytelling Music & Dance is being held in (alternative venue) GAA Clubhouse, Ballinabranna on Saturday 18th May at 7:15pm, doors open 6:30pm. All proceeds from the night will be donated to Ballinabranna N.S. Admission €8 pp, tickets available at the door. Refreshments served afterwards. All welcome.

**Orla Fallon in Concert:** with pupils from Ballinabranna N.S. Thursday 27th June in Arboretum Garden Centre, Leighlinbridge. All proceeds to Ballinabranna N.S.

**The Child in our Midst:** St. Patrick's College, Maynooth will host a conference on the subject of childhood on June 7th – 8th. The keynote speaker is Annemie Dillen from KU Leuven and it will include a number of Plenary and Workshop sessions on topics as varied as Children and the Spirituality of Motherhood and Children's Rights and Catholic Faith. For further information contact [specialevents@spcm.ie](mailto:specialevents@spcm.ie). To register for Conference [www.eventbrite.ie](http://www.eventbrite.ie)

**Lisa Clarke:** would like to thank parishioners who helped her with her college survey.

### Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:

Committee Meeting Monday 13th May in Parish Centre at 2 o'clock; Members Meeting 2.30. This is followed by Refreshments and Session 1 of Line Dancing. A Day-trip to Co Laois is being organised for Thursday 23rd May. The itinerary is as follows... Donaghmore Famine Workhouse Museum, Rathdowney Golf Club Restaurant for Lunch and Manor Stone Garden Centre. Bus will leave Church car park at 10am. For enquiries ring Jim 0868116506.

**Our PLANet:** Leighlin Climate Change Action Group welcomes everyone to attend a meeting on Monday 13th May at 11am in the Arboretum. We are especially hoping for input from the younger members of our community. Inspired by Greta Thunberg's recent global climate campaign, we feel that we, as young leaders, can pave the way for local and global change. Contact [maisyosullivan@outlook.com](mailto:maisyosullivan@outlook.com) for further information.

**Rummage Sale:** Thank you for your continued support for this annual event. Over the past few years we have managed to raise over €12,000 for the Carlow Kilkenny Homecare Team. We greatly rely on your help to get our message out. Your ongoing support is greatly appreciated.

**Leighlin Parish Field Day:** takes place on Sunday 26th May 2019 in the Superbowl grounds. Any unwanted Christmas presents suitable for prizes would be very much appreciated. Donations of bottles of minerals, wine, spirits or beer for the bottle stall would also be very appreciated. They can be dropped into the Parish Centre & someone from the organising committee will collect them. Your support is very much appreciated.