

Recent Death:

Mary Eyre, Orchard Lane, Leighlinbridge & Gurtahile, Bilboa.
Billy Geoghegan, Northampton & Church Street, Leighlinbridge.

Months Mind:

Jim Aylward, Rathornan, Mass on Sun 15th March at 11am in
Leighlinbridge.

1st Anniversaries:

Thomas Foley, Clogrennane & England

Anniversaries:

Ger Brennan, Royal Oak	Patricia Aylward, Upper Seskin & London
Elizabeth Hughes, Ballinabranna	Patrick Kelly, Ballinabranna
Eileen Meaney, Moanmore, Bagenalstown	Bridie & Jimmy Neville, Coonogue
Elizabeth Kinsella, Craanluskey	Charlie Murphy, High Street
Kate Aylward, Rathornan	Richard Coady, Moyvalley
Johnny Aylward, Rathornan & Leeds	Michael Meaney, Blackbush
Bridie Lyons, Sleaty Road, Graiguecullen	Pat McArdle, Tomard
Thomas & Mary Molloy, Raheen	
Sarah & Peter Noonan, Milford Park, Ballinabranna	
Margaret & Jeremiah O'Neill, Knocknagarry	
Michael & Helena & Thomas Foley, Townaslough	
John & Pakie O'Neill, The Ridge	
Elizabeth & Dennis Nolan, The Ridge and Dennis Junior, The Ridge	

Notices

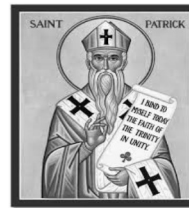
Actions to help transform your world:

- Practice and demonstrate equal decision making processes at home to children.
- Support equal gender representation in the workplace, including in leadership.
- Encourage gender equality at home and in our schools.



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

Monday 7.30pm

St Patricks Day Tues 11am

Wed & Thurs 9.30am

Eucharistic Prayers

Fri 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 2-5pm
Friday 5 - 9pm

Ballinabranna

St Patricks Day Tues 9.30am

Friday 7.30pm
Sunday 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 2 - 3pm
Friday 6.30 - 7.30pm

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15TH MARCH 2020
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Prayer for the Faithful by Saint Patrick

May the Strength of God guide us.
May the Power of God preserve us.
May the Wisdom of God instruct us.
May the Hand of God protect us.
May the Way of God direct us.
May the Shield of God defend us.
May the Angels of God guard us.
- Against the snares of the evil one.

May Christ be with us!
May Christ be before us!
May Christ be in us,
Christ be over all!

May Thy Grace, Lord,
Always be ours,
This day, O Lord, and forevermore. Amen.

Weekly Saint Dates

Tues 17th - St Patrick
Wed 18th - St Cyril of Jerusalem
Sat 21st - St Enda

<i>St Fintan's Church</i>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Tues 17th March 9.30am	Tom O'Keefe Padraig Farrell	Cillian Amond Benny Amond
Sun 22nd March 9.30am	Terence Farrell Daniel Pender	Betty Hughes Dorel Picovici
Altar Servers	Lily May Hosey, Rachael Connolly, Eva Dooley, Conor Dooley, Dara Tunstead, Indie Keating	
Church Cleaning	Phyllis Walshe, Sally Lawlor	
Church Flowers	March	Sally Lawlor
<i>St Lazerian's Church</i>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Mon 16th March 7.30pm	Mary Meaney (M)	Jimmy Farrell Christine Thompson Bridin Lawlor
Tues 17th March 11am	Ann Nolan Jennifer Harkin	Mary Meaney (M) Kathleen Lawlor Mairead Hayden
Sat 21st March 7.30pm	Breda Brennan Celma Aughney	Peg Farrell Aoife Doheny Peter Kelly
Sun 22nd March 11am	Benny Mills Barbara Kinsella	Marie Roche Kathleen Cummins Noleen Doyle
Altar Servers Sat 21st March 7.30pm	Ava Nolan, Hannah Roche, Tommy McDonald Robbie Honeyball, Ciaran Bambrick, Matthew Jordan	
Altar Servers Sun 22nd March 11am	Kate Burke, Casey Farrell, Daniel Brennan, Tommy Dunne, Martin Earl, Russell Harkin, Fionn Forde	
Church Cleaning	Margaret Purcell, Margaret Foley, Hana Sieber Mary Sullivan, Kay O'Sullivan	
Church Flowers March	Ann Kelly	Reader for Week Bertie Hayes

Leighlin Church Choir: new members welcome, if interested contact any choir member.

Day Care

Closed until further notice

G.F.C Lotto Old Leighlin

No's 4, 8, 17, 28
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €10,000
2nd Reserve €10,000
Next week's draw in Carey's

Ballinabranna:

No's 7, 14, 19, 26
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €5,000

Leighlinbridge:

No's 1, 10, 15, 24
No Winner
Jackpot €1,200
Next draw in Brennan's

Collections 08/03/20

Envelopes

L/B €405
B/B €265

Offertory

L/B €530
B/B €265



NOTICES

Notice of closure: on recommendation of the Bishop, to close the Parish Centre & meetings with immediate effect. The Parish Office will remain open, but we recommend that in so far as possible parishioners communicate with the office through telephone or email.
Tel: 059 9722607
email: info@leighlinparish.ie
This will be for the foreseeable future and will be kept under review. Fr Pat Hennessy.

March Parish Draw: this is postponed and will take place at the end of April along with the April Draw.

Leighlin & Ballinabranna Pioneers: will hold their annual Church Gate Collection at all Masses on Sat 14th & Sun 15th March.

County Carlow Hospice: will be holding a Church Gate Collection on Sat 21st and Sun 22nd March outside Leighlin and Ballinabranna Churches. All donations appreciated.

Meeting of the Ballinabranna/ Milford/Raheendoran Development

Group: on Thur 19th of March at 8.30pm in the GAA club house. Anyone interested in getting involved in making improvements to the local area is very welcome. We will be planning our Spring Clean in April and other projects. See our Facebook page - www.facebook.com/ballinabranna.milford.raheendoran

The Age Friendly Mid Plan Report:

on March 24th at 11am in the Seven Oaks Hotel. Join us for refreshments and finger food to celebrate all that has been achieved in Carlow for old People.

The reunion of the Leighlin 1994 Junior A Championship winning team: takes place on Sat 21st March. The night starts with a meal for the players in the Lord Bagenal @ 7.30. At 10.00pm karaoke with Big John is in Meaney's. A presentation to players & mentors will be made during the night. All are welcome to this part of the night. There is no cover charge and it would be great to see a big crowd present to honour this team.

Clothes Collection: supporting Friends of Calcutta (CHY 13218) on Wednesday March 18th. All items of wearable clothing, footwear etc most welcome. Collecting up to 4pm at Leighlinbridge and Ballinabranna Church Car Parks. Sadly we cannot accept duvets, pillows or cushions. To view a short film which captures the joy of what your tremendous generosity last year funded please visit 'Rajiv 20' on YouTube. All enquiries to Michael Hopkins 087-9073074

Leighlin Parish Dev. CE Scheme:

have the following vacancies:
Orchard Lane - Caretaker Ref: CES 2139244, & Care Support Worker Ref: CES 2139242,
Ballinabranna GAA – Environmental Worker Ref: CES 2139243. The qualifying age for CE is 21 years. You must be in receipt of a Social Welfare payment for at least 12 months. Eligible people over 55 years of age can remain on CE for three years without having to meet the requirement that they are training for a major award. These Jobs are advertised on the Jobs Ireland Website @ www.jobsireland.ie. You will need to speak to your own Case Officer at your local Intreo Office in Carlow the Department of Employment Affairs and Social Protection who will refer you to this vacancy.