Recent Deaths:

Christy Nolan, St. Lazerian's Street Áine Purcell (née O'Connell) Ballyfin, Co. Laois & formerly Rathellen

<u>1st Anniversary:</u> Patrick Fitzgerald, The Ridge, Mass on Sunday 16th May at 11am in Leighlinbridge

<u>Anniversaries</u>:

Michael Byrne, Killenane Patricia Doyle, Craan Pat Meaney, Church Street Breda & Frank Lanigan, Carlow John Lennon, Bagenalstown Patrick Ayres, Ballinabranna Kathleen & Jim Meagher and their son Trevor Elizabeth Kenna, St. Lazerian's Terrace, Sean Quirke, Lower Coolcullen Michael Lyons Snr, Graiguecullen Martin Whelan Snr, Tomard Mick & Patsy Dunphy and their son in law Joe O'Leary, Durrow Patrick and Josephine Cullen, Craan Mary Lee (née Morrissey) Rathellen



<u>Webcam</u>

To view Webcam log on to <u>www.leighlinparish.ie</u> This will open the website home page. Scroll down to see Leighlinbridge and Ballinabranna webcams on right hand side. Click on picture of church and then the red arrow in centre of picture to view.

Mass Times via Leighlinbridge Webcam

Monday to Friday 9.30am

Vigil Mass Saturday - 7.30pm Sunday - 11am

Mass Times via Ballinabranna Webcam

Friday 7.30pm

Sunday 9.30am

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

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9TH MAY 2021 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Contact Details: Fr Pat Hennessy 059 9721463 Deacon Patrick Roche 083 1957783 Parish Centre 059 9722607 Parish Mobile 085 7714309 Email: info@leighlinparish.ie Live Webcam www.leighlinparish.ie

<u>Mass Times:</u> <u>Leighlinbridge</u>

Mon 10th - Thurs 13th 9.30am

Vigil Saturday 7.30pm

Sunday 11am

<u>Ballinabranna</u>

Friday 14th 7.30pm

Sunday 16th 9.30am

Remember

Remember how He broke the loaf made from golden wheat,

And said, "This is my body. Take this bread and eat"

Remember how the sun-ripe grapes taken from

the vine became a cup blessing:

"Take and drink this wine."

Remember how a cross of wood became a

symbol of Christ's giving of himself to us the greatest kind of love.

Remember Jesus' love for you today as you receive His bread of life, His cup of grace...

Remember and believe!

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Reader</u>	
Sun 16th 9.30am	Tom O'Keeffe	
Church Cleaning	Bridie Keating, Mary Quinn	
	Josephine Fitzgerald	
Church Flowers May	Kathleen McNally	

<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>	
	<u>Readers</u>
Sat 15th 7.30pm	Martin Nevin
Sun 16th 11am	Benny Mills
Church Cleaning	Marie Roche, Betty Dowling
Church Flowers May	Ann Kelly
Reader for Week	Martin Nevin

Donations to Parish Collections:

Currently the Office are unable to issue the annual envelopes to parishioners. If people would like to donate, they can do so via the Parish website. See "Donate" button on the top right hand side of the homepage.

Collections: 25th April

Envelope		Online
L/B € 155	B/B €405	€557
Silver	B/B €35	
Priests		
L/B €220	B/B€110	€305
Trocaire		Other
L/B € 570	B/B€285	€100

Lotto Results:

Old Leighlin: 5, 20, 22, 23

5, 20, 22, 23 One Winner Jackpot €10,000. Reserve €9,500

<u>Ballinabranna</u>:

8, 17, 24, 25 No Winner. Jackpot €10,000. Reserve €7,550

Leighlinbridge:

15, 21, 23, 26 No Winner Jackpot €4,500

Re-opening of Churches:

From Monday 10th May Churches are opening up to the public for Masses. A limit of 50 people in total is allowed in Churches. Hand hygiene, wearing of masks and social distancing must be observed at all times in Churches.
Baptisms: individual baptisms, maximum attendance 6
Funerals: capped at 50 regardless of size of church.
Weddings: capped at 50 regardless of size of church

The Bishops want to know:

What would be your preferred option for engagement in a conversation process about a national synod?

The Irish Catholic Bishops announced at their Winter 2020 meeting a new Synodal Pathway for the Catholic Church in Ireland, leading to the holding of a National Synodal Assembly within the next five years. Before embarking on an initial two year phase of consultation, bishops are inviting submissions between Easter (5 April) and Pentecost (23 May), 2021 to reflect on what methods/models would be best to adopt in these coming two years of conversations. For example: focus groups, parish hall meetings, questionnaires, deep-listening sessions; written submissions; family-focused gatherings; summary of findings of assemblies that have already taken place across dioceses; and/or conferences. Parish teams, parish pastoral councils and other parish groups, as well as individual parishioners can make their submissions, in not more than 300 words, via the Bishops Conference webpage: https://www.catholicbishops.ie/ synod/submissions/

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

Family Carers Ireland: Family Carers Ireland in partnership with An Garda Síochána, the National Ambulance Service Community First Responder Schemes, The Irish Red Cross and The Order of Malta has developed an Emergency Card Scheme for family carers. When a family carer has an unplanned hospital admission there is a risk that the person who needs their care and support could be left at home alone and uncared for. The Emergency Card Scheme is intended to give peace of mind to family carers as well as ensuring that the person they care for remains safe in such emergencies. For more details on the scheme, visit our website on www.familycarers.ie or call our Freephone Careline 1800 24 07 24.

<u>NOTICES</u>