#### **Recent Death:**

Liam Kelly, Fr Cummins Park, Bagenalstown Lazerian Kelly, Parknakyle and Mount Leinster Park

#### **Months Mind:**

Patsy Clancy, St. Lazerian Street. Mass on Sunday 24th October at 11am in Leighlinbridge.

#### Anniversaries

Mick & Kitty Farrell, Upper Tomard and Ballinabranna

Robert & Susan Farrell, Ardough

Stasia Lawlor, Staplestown Road

Sean Flynn, Wells and England

Bridgit Purcell, Raheendoran & Ballygowan

Tom Kennedy, Rathvinden

Teresa Jean Breen (Kavanagh), Dublin

Maggie Miley, Ballygowan & Deceased Family Members

James Darcy, Coolnakisha, Leighlinbridge & England

Bridgit Flynn, Closutton

Kathleen, Patrick & Birdie Kelly, Kilcruit

Pat & Liz Whelan, Tomard

Anna Lawlor, Coolnakeeran & Deceased Family Members

Acknowledgement: On this, his First Anniversary, the wife and family of the late Edmund J Cullen, Craan House, would like to sincerely thank all who supported them and sympathised with them in their sad loss. A special word of thanks to Fr Hennessy, Fr Lalor, Deacon Patrick, sacristan, Jimmy Dermody, organist Helen Lynch & the choir. Thank you to Liam Somers, Funeral Director and the gravediggers. As it would be impossible to thank everyone, please accept this as our gratitude to our family, friends and the entire community for being so good to Eddie, throughout his illness, and to us. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for you intentions.

<u>Safeguarding:</u> If you have an issue with Safeguarding in the Parish please contact the DLP: Kathleen Sherry 085 8021633 or email safeguarding@kandle.ie Local safeguarding Reps are Eileen Johnston, Michael Roche & Liz Dunne.

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### Mass Times: Leighlinbridge

Mon - Thurs 9.30am

Vigil Saturday 7.30pm

Sunday 11am

Eucharistic Adoration Wed 2 - 5pm Fri 4 - 8pm

#### Ballinabranna

Friday 7.30pm

Sunday 9.30am

**Eucharistic Adoration** 

Wed 2 - 3pm

Fri 6.30 - 7.30pm

## LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

# 24TH OCTOBER 2021 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



This year's message

'We Cannot Remain Silent – we cannot but speak about what we have seen and heard' (Acts 4:20) is twofold.

It is a message of hope:

Jesus Christ is risen and we cannot keep his love, compassion and mercy to ourselves.

It also challenges us to stand up and speak out on behalf of those whose voices are too small to be heard.

For them, we cannot remain silent.

| St Fintan's Church         |                                  |                            |  |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
|                            | Readers                          | <u>Ministers</u>           |  |
| Sun 31st October<br>9.30am | Watt Dunne                       | Josephine Fitzgerald       |  |
| Church Cleaning            | Claire Jackson, Loretta McNally, |                            |  |
|                            | Ann Proctor, Valerie Haughney    |                            |  |
| Church Flowers<br>October  | Phil Daly                        | <b>Papers</b><br>Liz Dunne |  |

| <u>St Lazerian's Church</u> |                            |                                  |  |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
|                             | Readers                    | <u>Ministers</u>                 |  |
| Sat 30th October<br>7.30pm  | Martin Nevin               | Mairead Hayden<br>Sally Lawlor   |  |
| Sun 31st October<br>11am    | Mandy Ryan                 | Kathleen Cummins<br>Noleen Doyle |  |
| Church Cleaning             | Marie Roche, Betty Dowling |                                  |  |
| Church Flowers<br>October   |                            | Reader for Week<br>Benny Mills   |  |

<u>Daycare:</u> will be **closed** on Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th October.

Mission Sunday: Collection at all Masses this weekend.

<u>Annual Bereavement Mass:</u> will take place Fri 5th November in St. Lazerian's Church Leighlinbridge at 7.30pm.

November Dead List: Envelope should be handed in as soon as possible with the names of those who you wish to be remembered at this time. All people whose names are handed in will be remembered at Masses said especially for the Dead, on the first day of each month and on one other day during each month. The list of names will be prepared at the end of November.

#### **Lotto Results:**

#### Old Leighlin:

2, 6, 10, 16 No Winner. Jackpot €10,000 Reserve €2,950

#### Ballinabranna:

1, 5, 8, 18 No Winner. Jackpot €10,000 Reserve €8,650

#### Leighlinbridge

4, 9, 10, 28 No Winner Jackpot €6,900

# Collections 17th Oct 2021

#### Envelope

L/B €215 B/B €210

#### Offertory

L/B €650 B/B €180

#### **October Clergy**

L/B €150 B/B €145

#### L/B Shrine €430

#### NOTICES

#### Association of Catholics in Ireland Synodal Preparation: Listening to LGBTQ

<u>Catholics</u>: We have invited Kate Moynihan CEO of LINC, an organisation advocating for lesbian and bisexual women, to speak to issues affecting LGBTQ Catholics on Thursday 28th October at 8pm. Pope Francis is inviting Catholics on the margins to voice their dreams, ideas and concerns in preparation for the Synod of Bishops in 2023. He has consistently prioritised those who are marginalised and feel discarded. "The Church's attitude has made the life of LGBT people miserable." (Archbishop Diarmuid Martin)

Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86913523267?

pwd=bXpveD[mdGNCOGkrYVFKWkdnKzNqZz09

Meeting ID: 869 1352 3267 Passcode: 354624

<u>Ballinabranna National School:</u> clothes appeal from Mon 1st Nov – Fri 5th November.

Bags can be dropped off at 9.30am, 2pm and 3pm at the Old School Hall.

**No bedding**, bagged clothing and footwear only please.

<u>Flower arrangers:</u> Volunteers <u>urgently</u> needed for Leighlinbridge Church. Please contact the Parish office on 059 9722607 Parish Mobile 085 7714309.

The Eist Cancer Support Centre: Carlow, is currently open for business at its new premises in 46 Idrone Park, Tullow Road, Carlow. We provide emotional support for cancer sufferers, their families and friends. For further information on our services please contact us on 085 8661499 or 059 9139684. Our email address is info@eistcarlowcancersupport.ie.

<u>COVID-19 Support Line for Older People:</u> 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.

#### Ballon Business & Training Service:

Halloween Workshops:

Tues - Art/Craft/Mindfulness 10am - 12pm €15 per child

Wed - Art/Craft 10am - 12pm €15 per child

Thurs - Jewellery Workshop 11am -12pm, 12.30pm - 1.30pm €15 per child

Fri - Cookie decorating workshop - 10am - 11am, 11.30am - 12.30pm  $\pounds 15$  per child

Book early to avoid disappointment.

**Chair Yoga:** Fri 5th Nov 11am for 6 weeks - €60

Cooking Class: (Christmas Creations) Wed 10th November for 6 weeks -  $\mbox{\ensuremath{\mbox{\it chi}}}$ 75

**Sewing Classes:** Mon 8th Nov 9.30am - 12.30pm for 4 weeks - 650 Wed 17th Nov 2pm - 4pm for 6 weeks - 650.

**Art Classes:** Mon 15th Nov 2pm - 4pm for 6 weeks -  $\pounds$ 5 Tues 16th Nov 11.30am - 1.30pm for 6 weeks -  $\pounds$ 50.

Manual and Computerised Book-keeping and Payroll QQI Level 5: These classes are now open for bookings for January 2022. Due to restrictions, we are unsure as to whether it will be in house or online, Please contact the office to secure your place.