

### **Recent Death:**

Margaret Farrell (née Thompson), Old Town, Nurney  
Michael Daly, Sydney, Australia

### **Months Mind:**

John Kelly, Killenane. Mass on Saturday 26th March at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge

### **1st Anniversary:**

John McNally, Tobinstown, Tullow. Mass on Saturday 19th March at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge  
Patsy Price, Ballinabranna. Mass on Friday 25th at 7.30pm in Ballinabranna  
Barry McDonald, South Carolina  
Michael Doyle, Raheendoran/Springhill & Swindon, UK & deceased family members

### **Anniversaries**

John O'Neill, Orchard  
Patrick O'Neill, The Ridge, Old Leighlin  
William (Bill) O'Neill, The Ridge, Old Leighlin  
Ger Brennan, Royal Oak  
Paddy Treacy, Seskin Road, Leighlinbridge  
Martin & Mary Price, Ballinabranna  
Bridget & James Whelan, Coolcullen  
Mixie Brennan & daughter Fiona, Monavea  
Mary & William Kelly, Ballinabranna  
Liam Kelly Clogrennane  
The Comerford Family, Clogrennane  
The Kelly Family, Rossmore  
The Delaney Family, Ballinabranna  
Martin & Mary Nolan, Ballinabranna  
The Comerford Family, Knockabranagh  
Jim (James) & Pauline McDarby, Craanluskey  
Paddy Dowling, Cloydagh & deceased family members

Charles Murphy Jnr, High Street  
Elizabeth & Denis Nolan, The Ridge  
Elizabeth Nolan, Coolnakisha  
Denis Nolan, The Ridge  
Michael Bolger, New Rd, Leighlin  
Paddy Kelly, Ballinabranna  
Francis Kavanagh, Bawnree  
Michael & Annie Doyle, Ballygowan  
Alicia Kenna, St. Lazerian's Terrace  
Johanna Connolly, Ballygowan  
Michael Clarke, The Ridge  
Joe Walsh, Raheendoran  
Paddy McDonald, Cloydagh  
Bridie & Jimmy Neville, Coonogue  
Elizabeth Kinsella, Craanluskey

### **Lent 2022- Food shortage and scarcity – Courage, Hope and Strength needed.**

Discover more about Trócaire's Lenten campaign at  
[www.trocaire.org/our-work/working-in-ireland/parishes/lent-2022](http://www.trocaire.org/our-work/working-in-ireland/parishes/lent-2022)

**Safeguarding:** If you have an issue with Safeguarding in the Parish please contact the DLP:  
Kathleen Sherry 085-8021633 or email [dlp@kandle.ie](mailto:dlp@kandle.ie) Local safeguarding Reps are Eileen Johnston,

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### **Mass Times: Leighlinbridge**

Vigil Saturday 7.30pm  
Sunday 11am  
Mon - Thurs 9.30am  
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**

**20TH MARCH 2022  
3RD SUNDAY OF LENT**

### **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!



## NOTICES

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
<b>Sun 27th March 9.30am</b>	Mary Daly	Sally Lawlor
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Angela Carter, Alice Fitzgerald	
<b>Church Flowers March</b>	Phil Daly	<b>Papers</b> Catherine Ayres

<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
<b>Sat 26th March 7.30pm</b>	Siobhan Haughney	Christine Thompson Bridin Lawlor
<b>Sun 27th March 11am</b>	Mandy Ryan	Paddy O'Brien Mary Clarke
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Marie Roche, Betty Dowling	
<b>Church Flowers March</b>	Ann Kelly	<b>Reader for Week</b> Benny Mills

**Parish Envelopes:** We have received quite a few envelopes with no Name or Number on. When this happens, we can only allocate to the anonymous Fund, and not to any individual. Please always write your **Name or Number** on your envelope to make sure your contributions are recorded correctly.

**Yearly Leighlin Parish Financial Report:** is available for collection from the Sacristy in both Church's or from the Parish Office.

**Morning Mass Readers in Leighlinbridge:** Urgently needed. Please contact the Parish Office if you would be able to help within this area. Contact 059 9722607.

**P.T.A.A:** Anyone giving up alcohol for Lent can take the short-term Pledge for 6 weeks join online at [www.Pioneerassociation.ie](http://www.Pioneerassociation.ie).

### **Lotto Results:**

**Old Leighlin:**  
All Results next week

**Ballinabranna:**  
12, 15, 22, 26  
No Winner.  
Jackpot €10,000  
Reserve €9,800

**Leighlinbridge**  
4, 6, 22, 24  
No Winner  
Jackpot €1,600

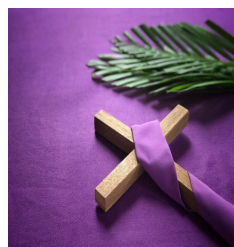
### **Collections** **13th March**

**Envelope**  
L/B €705  
B/B €205

**Offertory**  
L/B €340  
B/B €160

**Shrine**  
L/B €635

**Emigrant coll**  
L/B €280  
B/B €155



**Parish Draw:** 1st draw takes place on Sun 27th March after 11am Mass. Parish Office is open from 9.30am to 5pm Monday to Friday and Sunday Morning at 10am to 11am to facilitate return of draw cards.

**Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:** meeting Monday 21st March in Parish Centre at 2.30pm. Refreshments followed by session 5 of Art with Breda Malone. Breast Cancer Ireland, breast check talk U.P.M.C outreach Centre Carlow. Thursday 7th April (45 min Sessions) Session 1 at 2pm. Session 2 at 4pm. Session 3 at 6.30pm. Phone 059 9140236. Book before Wednesday 23rd March

**Special Collection for Ukraine:** The Irish Bishops have asked for a Special Collection to be taken up at Masses on the weekend of 26/27 March to support humanitarian efforts in Ukraine and especially the families and children who have had to flee their homeland in advance of the Russian invasion. The proceeds of this Special Collection will be directed to Caritas Internationalis, which is the helping hand of the Church on the ground in the Ukraine and the surrounding region. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.



**Leighlinbridge ICA:** in connection with other community groups in the parish. are running a fundraiser for Ukraine on Friday March 25th. There will be a Coffee morning, Cake sale and Raffle in the Parish Centre commencing at 11am. Proceeds will be donated directly to The Red Cross & UNICEF Ukraine. Our thoughts and prayers are with the people of Ukraine at this terrible time, and they need our help and support. Many people want to help and for the price of a cup of coffee and a cake you can contribute towards a substantial donation to the relief services on the ground.

**Kilcumney Players:** are looking forward to presenting two One-Act plays RED CARNATIONS and EASY STAGES in Ionad Dara GORESBRIDGE on Thursday 31st March, Friday 1st and Saturday 2nd April at 8:30pm. Tickets are €10 for adults and €5 for Seniors and Children. Tickets can be purchased at the door at 8pm on each evening.

**Rambling House:** will be reopening on Wednesday 30th March at the Meeting Place, Ballinabranna.

**The Baby Market Ireland:** Buy & sell quality pre-loved Maternity, Infant & Child related items. Sun 3rd April at 12-2pm at Woodford Dolmen Hotel, Carlow. Entry €3 per person, 2 for €5, kids go free. Early entry tickets available **only** at [www.babymarket.ie](http://www.babymarket.ie) Stalls still available for sellers - €30 per stall. To book go to [www.babymarket.ie](http://www.babymarket.ie) or contact