1st Anniversaries:

Angela Dermody, Milford. Mass on Sun 17th April at 9.30am in Ballinabranna. Therese Lennon, Glenlodge. Mass on Sunday 24th April at 11am in Leighlinbridge.

Anniversaries

Robert (Bob) McGrath, Rathellen, Leighlinbridge Mary Ellen Carey, Old Leighlin Rita & Paddy Cadigan, Broadford Kathleen Dixon, Gorey, Co. Wexford Mary & Nicholas Walker, Ballinaboley Edward Woods, Lower Seskin John McDonnell, Killenane Breda McDonnell, Killenane

Harry Brennan, Main Street Gretta Doran, Main Street Joe Murphy, Seskin Road John Lawlor, Bilboa Cross



Free Shop for incoming Ukrainian People



Ballon Business And Training Services



We desperately need the following items
In Ballon Business & Training Centre
Non Perishable Foods Only such as

Canned foods,

Dried foods - instant noodles, pasta, rice etc

Cereals, biscuits & treats

Tea, coffee & sugar

Female Sanitary Products

Nappies, Baby wipes Shampoo, tooth paste, shower gel, conditioner, razors, shaving gel etc

For people of all age groups -

From babies, children, teenagers & adults

YOUR VACANT PROPERTY OR SPARE ROOM COULD CHANGE A LIFE.

https://registerofpledges.redcross.ie/#/

Irish Red Cross

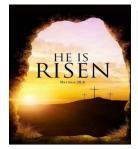
Please Note -

Items such as clothes, shoes, toys, baby equipment, furniture etc to be dropped at Siopa Glas!

All Donations welcome !
Monetary donations also welcome
Please drop them into the office
We Stand With Ukrainian !!!

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

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Mass Times: Leighlinbridge

Easter Vigil Sat 9.00pm Easter Sunday 11.00am Mon - Thurs 9.30am

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

<u>Ballinabranna</u>

Friday 7.30pm Easter Sunday 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration Wed 2 - 3pm Fri 6.30-7.30pm

LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

17TH APRIL 2022 EASTER SUNDAY

An Easter Meditation

In the glorious Easter Story a troubled world can find, $% \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) =\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left($

Blessed reassurance and enduring peace of mind.

For though we grow discouraged in this world we're living in, there is comfort just in knowing God triumphed over sin.

For our Saviours Resurrection was Gods way of telling men,

That in Christ we are eternal and in Him we live again.

And to know life is unending

And that God's love is endless too,

Makes our daily tasks and burdens So much easier to do.

And our earthly trials and problems

Are but guideposts on the way

To the love and life eternal

That God promised Easter Day



St Fintan's Church			
	Readers	<u>Ministers</u>	
Sun 24th April 9.30am	Mary Daly	Josephine Fitzgerald	
Church Cleaning	Phyllis Walsh, Sally Lawlor		
Church Flowers April	Mary Dunne	Papers Teresa Dunne	

<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>			
	Readers	<u>Ministers</u>	
Sat 23rd April 7.30pm	Siobhan Haughney	Christine Thompson Bridin Lawlor	
Sun 24th April 11am	Gearoid Doheny	Maisie Mills Sister of Mercy	
Church Cleaning	Margaret Purcell, Margaret Foley, Kathleen Cummins, Kay O'Connor		
Church Flowers April	Betty Dowling Mary Clarke	Reader for Week Benny Mills	

Graveyard Masses 2022

Ballinabranna:	Fri 17th June	7.30pm
Tomard:	Fri 8th July	7.30pm
Ballyknockan:	Mon 11th July	7.30pm
Killenane:	Fri 22nd July	7.30pm
Leighlinbridge:	Sun 31st July	7.00pm
Old Leighlin:	Fri 26th Aug	7.30pm – TBC
Clody:	Mon 5th Sept	7.30pm

Easter Collections: are now due at all Masses. Thank you.

The Parish Office: will be closed on Mon 18th April

<u>Parish Draw:</u> will take place on Sunday 24th April 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.

Lotto Results:

Old Leighlin: 9, 13, 25, 27 No Winner Jackpot €6,550

Ballinabranna: 3, 4, 12, 23 No Winner. Jackpot €10,000 Reserve €10,000

Leighlinbridge 12, 15, 16, 25 No Winner Jackpot €1,900

Collections 10th April

Envelope L/B €600 B/B €175

Offertory L/B €330

B/B €200

<u>Easter</u> L/B €395 B/B €60

Ukraine Collection To Date L/B €1,905 B/B €535

NOTICES

Synod Listening Session: you are invited to attend our meeting on Thursday 28th April at 8pm in the Parish Centre. You can also collect a copy of the questionnaire from the Church or the Parish Office. Please fill out and return to The Parish Office by 5pm Thursday 28th April. Many Thanks. Fr Pat Hennessy.

Leighlinbridge Improvement Group: Work evenings will commence this Tuesday 19th at 6:30pm. We need all the help that we can get to keep up and hopefully improve on the standard of other years. Spring Clean Day Saturday 23rd. Meet in Church Carpark at 10am. Help will be required on that morning. Carlow Pride of Place and National Tidy Towns Entry forms have arrived and have to be submitted by 18th and 20th May 2022. Public Walkway from Little Orchard Crèche to Super Bowl has now been cleaned of all rubbish. Some Scots Pine and Hazel trees have been planted. We would ask that no more cut grass or refuse be disposed of in this area or in the adjoining field as it is intended to upgrade the Walkway with more chippings.

AGM of Carlow Regional Pioneers: will be held in Tinryland on Friday 29th April. Mass at 7.30pm in the Church.

Yoga for All: New Spring/Summer beginner yoga classes. Recover & Rebuild for 8 weeks. Classes are €120 starting on Tues 26th April in Goresbridge Community Centre & Wed 27th April in Leighlinbridge, Parish Centre. Please book early on https://yogaforall.ie/

The Ballinabranna/Milford/Raheendoran Development Group: We hope you can join us for our Spring Clean of the Ballinabranna/Milford/Raheendoran area on Saturday 23rd of April. We are meeting in the church car park in Ballinabranna at 10am. Wear Hi-Vis vests and gloves if possible, bags and gloves are provided. Last year was a great success in collecting litter and bags of rubbish around the area. Everyone is welcome to join us.

Care of the Aged Summer Break: after 2 long years in Lockdown, we are delighted the Summer Break is back. The trip is to Clonakilty Park Hotel for 4 nights from 29th August to 2nd September. Price all inclusive is €345 per person sharing. Single room €15 supplement per day. Our numbers are limited to 45. Could parishioners wishing to travel please leave your name and contact number in the reception at the Parish Centre Leighlinbridge as soon as possible. A deposit of €100 to be paid by the 31st May to guarantee seat.

Affordable Live-in Homecare: provides live-in carers for the elderly in your area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for your relative, please call Eileen or Tom today on 087 991 6791 or 087 744 0729. Our website is www.alhomecare.ie

Pilgrimage to Oberammergau: Fr Liam Morgan, PP Naas, Sallins and Two-Mile-House is leading a pilgrimage to see the Passion Play at Oberammergau. Dates of travel are Friday 5th August to Friday 12th August. Price €1,890 per person sharing includes return flights, private transfers, walking tours of Kitzbuhel and Salzburg, half board accommodation and tickets to the play. Please contact Tully's Travel for more information by calling 059-9136100.