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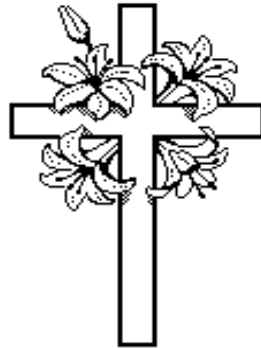
Mary Christie, Moanduff. Mass on Saturday 11th February at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge.
James (Jim) Tighe, Hanover, Carlow & Strabane, Tyrone. Mass on Sunday 12th February at 9.30am in Ballinabranna
Breda Aylward, Rathornan, Leighlinbridge. Mass on Sunday 19th February at 11am in Leighlinbridge

1st Anniversary:

Maria Lawler (née Quirke), Lacken, Old Leighlin. Mass on Sunday 12th February at 11am in Leighlinbridge.
Paddy Farrell, Church Street who's anniversary occurs at this time

Anniversaries:

Ned & Catherine Kane, Moanduff
Kathleen Carthy & deceased family members, Craan
Babs Mary Fitzgerald & deceased family members, Craan
Davy Byrne, Tomard
Bridget & Martin Byrne, Ballinabranna
Mary & Patrick McDonald, Ballinabranna
James McDonald, Coolnakisha
Ronan Lawlor, High Street
Katie Earl, Craanluskey
George Quirke, Lower Coolcullen
Thomas Dolan, The Ridge
Philip Dolan, The Ridge
Patrick Farrell, Ballinabranna
Margaret Farrell, Craanluskey, Bilboa
Bill & Nora Watchorn & all deceased family members, Craanluskey
Katie Roche, Banagagole
Catherine Hayden, Bawnree
Pat Hayden, Bawnree & England
Ned & Ena Hayden, Garryduff



Notices

Webcam: To view Webcam log on to www.leighlinparish.ie
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.

Safeguarding: 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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12TH FEBURARY 2023
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peace in our Family!

Lord, what a blessing

Your peace can be to a family.

*When life is hard and things difficult
quarrels can begin, over just a little thing.*

*Please help my family
to live in peace with forgiving hearts,
and loving kindness to one another.*

*Help us always to live in harmony
not only with friends and neighbours,*

*but also with the world's poor
by being generous to their needs,*

so that your peace

can abide throughout our world.

Amen.

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**Mass Times:
Leighlinbridge**

Confession Sat
6.30 - 7.15pm
Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11.00am
Mon – Thurs 9.30am
Eucharistic Adoration
Wed 2 - 5pm
Fri 4 - 8pm

Ballinabranna

Sunday 9.30am
Friday 7.30pm
Confession Friday
6.30 - 7.15pm
Eucharistic Adoration
Wed 2 - 3pm
Fri 6.30 - 7.30pm

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 9.30am 19th Feb	Conal O'Boyle	Sally Lawlor
Church Cleaning	Annie Dermody, Kathleen McNally, Mai Sheehan	
Church Flowers Feb	Teresa Dunne	Papers Teresa Dunne

<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 18th Feb 7.30pm	Mary Meaney (M)	Mairead Hayden Bridin Lawlor
Sun 19th Feb 11.00am	Angela Roche	Kathleen Cummins Noeleen Doyle
Church Cleaning	Lizzie Earl, Oliver Quinn, Maura Devine, Bernie Price	
Church Flowers Feb	Ann Kelly	Reader for Week Sister of Mercy

Morning Mass Readers in Leighlinbridge: Urgently need

Please contact the Parish Office if you would be able to help with this area. Contact 059 9722607. Thanking you in advance.

2023 Weekly Envelopes: are now available for pick up from the Parish Centre. Opening hours 9.30am - 5pm on Mon - Fri.

Mass of the Sick: Saturday 11th February at 10.00am in Leighlinbridge

Special Kildare Pilgrimage to Fatima: 9-14th June 2023 ex Dublin for Feast Day of Saint Anthony Patron Saint of Portugal Visiting Saint Anthony's Baptismal Font and the place where he was born in Lisbon Contact James Treacy 061-921470

Lotto Results:

Old Leighlin:

2, 6, 12, 21
No Winner
Jackpot €4,150

Ballinabranna:

4, 5, 13, 15
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €3,100

Leighlinbridge

10, 22, 25, 27
No Winner
Jackpot €6,300

5th Feb

Envelopes

L/B €575

Offertory

L/B €575



NOTICES

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired: Committee meeting on Monday 13th Feb at 2.00pm in Parish Centre. Members meeting at 2.30pm followed by refreshments. Liam Hughes will lead us in our third session of exercises at 3.00pm. Registration fee of €22 for 2023 to be paid as soon as possible. Balance of payment for holiday to Sligo now due. Bowls played in the Parish Centre on Thursday at 2.30pm.

Leighlinbridge Housing Association: Expressions of interest are invited for a vacancy that has occurred on Orchard Lane. Applicants must be over 60 years of age and have a housing need. Further information from Patrick Roche on 083 1957783 (office hours only)

Book Club: Old Leighlin Hall Monday 7th Feb at 7pm. All welcome.

A very enjoyable evening: is promised on Sun 19th Feb with dinner & dancing at the Seven Oaks Hotel with Pioneers & Friends. Dinner at 1.30pm sharp, dancing immediately afterwards with Pat Costello. Tickets €25 each. Names to Mary Meaney at 086 6027751 or Sally Lawlor at 086 8899087.

Pilgrimage to Assisi and Rome: Visiting the Tombs of St Francis, St Clare and Blessed Carlo Acutis; a guided tour of the St Peters Basilica and attendance a General Papal Audience. Travelling dates 25th – 31st May 2023, cost €1235 pps, single supplement €270. Spiritual directors Fr Liam Merrigan & Fr John McEvoy. For further details contact Monasterevin Parish 045-525346, Rathvilly Parish 059-9161114 or visit www.marian.ie.

Association of Catholics in Ireland Zoom meeting “Turn away from sin – repent and believe in the Gospel.” What does this mean for us in 2023? ZOOM - 16th Feb 2023 - 8.00 pm. With the world facing multiple challenges - from climate change to war in Ukraine, mass migration and crippling inflation - the Catholic Church is in the midst of its own struggles - in Ireland as in the West more generally. Secularising forces are very ready to speak of 'the historical sins of the Church' while our seminaries speak of an impending scarcity of ordained ministers of the Eucharist. Meanwhile the Irish Bishops Conference has itself endorsed the view of Ireland's National Synodal Synthesis that a 'reckoning' has still to be achieved on the issue of clerical child abuse. The same synodal synthesis lamented the ageing and shrinking of congregations and our apparent unreadiness for 'evangelisation'. Vocal personally on issues of child poverty, immigration, the threats to peace in Northern Ireland and the challenge of climate change to the Christian understanding of 'sacrifice', how will Archbishop Eamon address the challenge to us all to 'Repent' as we approach Lent in 2023? With Pope Francis lamenting a 'fixation' with sexuality do we need to broaden our understanding of sin, to include even a tendency to despair of the Church when, as the Pope insisted in 2019, 'Christus Vivit!' - Christ lives and is still with us in all tribulation? To hear the archbishop and participate in the discussion that follows, why not join us on Thursday 16th February, by clicking the link below?

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9924186865?pwd=ZjZpWHpkT1lBdElyTHc3T0N4SXgwUT09>
Meeting ID: 992 418 6865 Passcode: 123456