

Recent Deaths:

Ella McGuinn, Old Leighlin Road

Months Mind:

Liam Farrell, Molaise Estate, Old Leighlin, Mass on Sunday 3rd September at 9.30am in Ballinabranna.

Mary McDonald, Church Street, Leighlinbridge, Mass on Sunday 3rd September at 11.00am in Leighlinbridge.

Anniversaries:

Mary Fitzgerald, Upper Tomard

Sheila Doyle, Milford Stud

Margaret (Peggy) Dermody, Ballinaboley

Martin Brennan, 5 St Lazerian's Street

Margaret Lowry, Craanluskey

Margaret Hayes, Glenville

Patrick Molloy, Raheen, Old Leighlin

Lazerian Meaney, The Ridge

Josephine Connolly, Lower Seskin

Teresa Eyre, Gurtahile & Graiguecullen

Nora Curran, Old Leighlin

Notices

Treasure Ireland: A new video series launched recently by the Irish Dominicans is an ambitious project that will take the friars to every county in Ireland, filming roughly ten videos in each county, highlighting the many and varied stories that make up the history of Irish Christianity. The series is currently focussed on the counties which overlap with the territory of the diocese of Kildare and Leighlin: Laois, Kildare, Carlow, and (soon!) Kilkenny. Some of the sites visited include Timahoe, the Rock of Dunamase, and the Brownhill Dolmen. The story of Jesuit photographer, Fr Frank Browne, is told in a video recorded in Emo Court, and that of pioneering scientist, Fr Nicholas Callan, in a video from Maynooth. The stories of the great saints of these counties feature prominently: there are videos on St Brigid, St Mochua, St Moling, St Fergal of Aghaboe, and the Dominican martyr, Blessed Peter O'Higgins. There'll soon be added to that list the stories of two great bishops of Kildare and Leighlin: Daniel Delany (d. 1814) and James Doyle (d. 1834), also known as J.K.L. ('James of Kildare and Leighlin'). All of these stories are told in a way designed to interest believers and non-believers alike, showing, bit by bit, that the Gospel is woven inseparably into the fabric of Irish history. The videos can be viewed on <https://www.kandle.ie/treasure-ireland/> and <https://www.youtube.com/irishdominicans>

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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Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge

Confession Sat

6.30 - 7.15pm

Vigil Saturday 7.30pm

Sunday 11.00am

Mon - Thurs 9.30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Wed 2-5pm

Fri 4-8pm

Ballinabranna

Friday 7.30pm

Sunday 9.30am

Confession Friday

6.30 - 7.15pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Wed 2 - 3pm

Fri 6.30 - 7.30pm

LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

27TH AUGUST 2023

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

God grant us Hope and Faith and Love

Hope for a world, Grown cynically cold

Hungry for power, Greedy for gold.

Faith to believe, when within and without,

There is a nameless fear, in a world of doubt.

Love that is bigger, Than race or creed

To cover the world , And fulfil each need.

God grant these gifts,

of Faith, Hope & Love,

These things this world, has so little of,

For only these gifts, from our Father above,

Can turn man's sins, from hatred to love

NOTICES

St Fintan's Church

	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 3rd Sept 9.30am	Liz Dunne	Anthony Walsh
Church Cleaning	Annie Dermody, Kathleen McNally, Mai Sheehan	
Church Flowers September	Mary Hegarty	Papers Seamus Marnane

St Lazerian's Church

	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 2nd Sept 7.30pm	Celma Aughney	Anthony Walsh Sally Lawlor
Sun 3rd Sept 11.00am	Mandy Ryan	Paddy O'Brien Mary Clarke
Church Cleaning	Marie Roche, Betty Dowling, Mary Monahan	
Church Flowers September	Bernie Price	Reader for Week Benny Mills

Graveyard Masses 2023

Clody	Monday September 4th	7.30pm
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Irish Catholic: please be aware of the new price of €3. Thank you.

Parish Office will be open
Monday - Friday
9.30am - 1.30pm
From Mon 3rd July - Fri 1st September
Contact Number: 059 9722607
Email: info@leighlinparish.ie



Lotto Results:

Old Leighlin:

1, 14, 22, 28
 No Winner
 Jackpot €8,350

Ballinabranna:

9, 10, 20, 22
 No Winner
 Jackpot €10,000
 Reserve €4,500

Leighlinbridge

2, 11, 13, 25
 No Winner
 Jackpot €9,100

20th August

Envelopes

L/B €325
 B/B €190

Offertory

L/B €550
 B/B €245

Parish Draw: final draw will take place on Sunday 27th August after 11am Mass. Parish Office is open from 9.30am to 1.30pm, Monday to Friday and Sunday morning at 10am to 11am to facilitate return of Draw cards.

Ballinabranna Graveyard Committee: would like to acknowledge a collection of €1,736.77 at the recent Graveyard Mass.

Rambling House: to meet at the Old School Hall in Ballinabranna on Wednesday 30th August at 8.00pm

Pioneer Pilgrimage: to our Lady's Island is on Sunday 3rd September. Rosary at 6.30pm & Mass at 7.30pm.

Old Leighlin Hall and Gym: AGM Monday 4th September at 8pm All welcome. Thankyou for your support throughout the year. Looking forward to seeing you on the 4th.

Yoga Recommencing: on Wednesday 6th September at 6.30pm in Leighlinbridge Parish Centre, Contact Marion on 086 3082450.

Carlow Choral Society Return to Rehearsals: Following an extremely successful season with performances of Brahms German Requiem with the RTÉ Concert Orchestra in Carlow Cathedral and in Philharmonie Berlin with Ensemble Crescere, Carlow Choral Society is delighted to announce that they are returning to rehearsals on Monday 04 September in the Cathedral Parish Centre, R93 XV10, with an open evening at 7:30 pm. We are recruiting new members for the coming season and welcome all voice parts, especially tenors and basses. An ability to read music is an advantage but not a prerequisite, as support is provided. Discover the benefits of joining our vibrant community choir and being part of a supportive network that fosters wellbeing, collaboration and lifelong connections through singing. For more information about the society visit www.carlowchoralsociety.net or email carlowchoralsociety@gmail.com.

Marriage Encounter Weekend: Catholic Marriage Encounter is a Weekend experience for any Sacramentally married couple. Every relationship is a journey, and the grind of everyday life can cause you to lose touch with your spouse. This is a space for you and your spouse to pause, reflect, and reconnect privately. Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is Friday 3rd to Sunday 5th November 2023. At "The Cork International Hotel" Cork. To book your place visit our website: www.marriageencounter.ie Tel. 087 2162436.

Gambling Support: now available here for individuals & family members. Please contact Aine at Bagenalstown Resource Centre on 083 0089055 email ainebrfc@gmail.com.