

1st Anniversaries:

Nicola Nolan, Ballynolan. Mass on Saturday 28th Oct at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge.

Anniversaries:

Michael & Margaret Watchorn, Milford
Patrick & Hannah Lowry, Clogrennane
James Darcy, Coolnakisha & England
Sean Cleary, Carrick O'Brien, Athlone
Patrick, Birdie & Kathleen Kelly, Kilcruit
Danny O'Neill, Borris
Jackie Foy, Rathellen
Bridget Purcell, Raheendoran & Ballygowan
Martin Purcell, Lacken
Maggie Miley, Ballygowan & all deceased family members
Anna Lawlor, Coolnakeeran & all deceased family members

John (Sean) Price, St Lazerian's Terrace
Kathleen Sheil, Abbeyleix, Co. Laois
Norrie Roche, Monemore
Patrick L Roche, Coolnakishna House
Matt Lynch, Old Leighlin



Notice

Art Classes: ladies evening art class in a relaxed and casual setting. Classes are suitable for beginners or improvers. 7 - 9pm contact Dawn on 086 3768810 if interested in joining.

Sharing the Good News: the Catholic Communications Office edits and publishes a five-story weekly ezine Sharing the Good News. The ezine is an accessible news report on the work of bishops' subscribe to this resource by visiting <https://catholicnews.ie/newsletter/>

All-Ireland Pollinator Plan: there are over 2 million domestic gardens in this country. Just imagine the difference it could make if 2 million gardens became biodiversity friendly! Gardening for Biodiversity also has advantages for human health and wellbeing. For gardens to be good for pollinators, they need to provide food in the form of flowers, shelter for nesting and safety from chemicals. pollinators.ie/top-ten-ways-to-help-pollinators/

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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Mass Times: Leighlinbridge

Confession Sat
6.30 - 7.15pm
Vigil Saturday 7.30pm
Sunday 11.00am
Mon & Tues 9.30am
Wed 11am
Thurs 9.30am
Eucharistic Adoration
Wed 2-5pm
Fri 4-8pm

Ballinabranna **Wed 7.30pm** **Thurs 7.30pm**

(Anniversary Mass)
No Friday Mass
Sunday 9.30am
Eucharistic Adoration
Wed 2 - 3pm
Fri 6.30 - 7.30pm

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29TH OCTOBER 2023
30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reflection from Mother Teresa

People are often unreasonable, irrational, and self centered.

Forgive them anyway.

If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish ulterior motives

Be kind anyway.

If you are successful, you will win some unfaithful friends

and some genuine enemies.

Succeed anyway.

If you are honest and sincere people may deceive you.

Be honest and sincere anyway.

What you spend years creating others could destroy overnight.

Create anyway.

If you find serenity and happiness, some may be jealous.

Be happy anyway.

The good you do today, will often be forgotten.

Do Good anyway.

Give the best you have, and it will never be enough.

Give your best anyway.

In the final analysis, it is between you and God.

It was never between you and them anyway

NOTICES

<u>St Fintan's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Wed 1st Nov 7.30pm	Betty Hughes	Josephine Fitzgerald
Thurs 2nd Nov 7.30pm	Padraig Farrell	John Kelly
Sun 5th Nov 9.30am	Liz Dunne	Loretta McNally
Church Cleaning	Angela Carter, Alice Fitzgerald	
Church Flowers November	Teresa Dunne	Papers Seamus Marnane

<u>St Lazerian's Church</u>		
	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Wed 1st Nov 11am	Maura Devine	Jimmy Farrell Mary Meaney (M)
Sat 4th Nov 7.30pm	Jennifer Harkin	Anthony Walsh Sally Lawlor
Sun 5th Nov 11.00am	Angela Roche	Kathleen Cummins Noeleen Doyle
Church Cleaning	Marie Roche, Betty Dowling, Mary Monahan, Josie O'Brien	
Church Flowers November	Betty Dowling Mary Clarke	Reader for Week Benny Mills

Communion Calls: will be on Mon 6th, Tues 7th & Wed 8th November in the usual order.

Annual Bereavement Mass: will take place on Fri 3rd Nov at 7.30pm in Leighlinbridge.

November Dead List: this year we would like all names to be into the Parish Office no later than the 15th Nov to facilitate having the list completed and published by the end of November. Your continued support with this is greatly appreciated. Please feel free to start leaving your names into the Parish Office as soon as possible. Thanking you all in advance.

Lotto Results:

Old Leighlin:

5, 9, 16, 17
No Winner
Jackpot €9,700

Ballinabranna:

3, 16, 22, 27
No Winner
Jackpot €5,000

Leighlinbridge

3, 11, 16, 17
No Winner
Jackpot €9,900

22nd Oct

Envelopes

L/B €420
B/B €205

Offertory

L/B €605
B/B €315

Oct Clergy

L/B €270
B/B €30

Missions

L/B €470
B/B €185

Nov Dead

L/B €80
B/B €10



Leighlinbridge Parish Choir: we are seeking new members as soon as possible. Please see any choir member if you would like to join or contact the Parish Office on 059 9722607.

Ballinabranna Old School Hall Meeting Place Committee: wish to acknowledge receipt of €1805 from Carlow Local Community Support fund.

Synod News: The first session of the Synodal Assembly has begun in Rome. It began with an ecumenical prayer vigil on 30 Sept & concludes with Mass on 29 Oct. The work of this synod assembly is in continuity with the Spirit led conversations that took place in parishes, dioceses, countries and continents across the world. You can find out more about the Synodal journey so far and what is happening at the Universal phase of the Synod from the Vatican Synod webpage at www.synod.va/en and the webpage for the Irish Synodal pathway at www.synod.ie as well as at the dedicated page on www.Kandle.ie

ICA Meeting: on the 2nd of November in the Parish Centre at 7.00 - 9.00pm, membership fees due soon.

Naomh Brid Camogie AGM: will be on Saturday 18th Nov at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Community Alert Scheme: In order to maintain our community text alert scheme, we need to raise some funds. The easiest way to ensure that you remain on the system is to use our online payment option. Full details of how to do this will be sent out to all members through the text alert scheme. Alternatively, there will be a collection box placed in the office at the Parish Centre if you would prefer this method of payment. This can be done by leaving an envelope with your name, address and telephone number together with €10. This Payment will maintain your membership until the end of 2024. Any queries can be directed to any of the committee members. The present committee members are Michael Doran, Seamus Somers, Martin Nevin & Eileen Johnston. Thank you.

Its Shoebox Time Again: if you would like to fill a box and help someone less fortunate than you this Christmas, leaflets are available in the Parish Centre or call Emily-Jane 087 6009965/ Ann Kelly 97 22013. Please leave your boxes in the Parish Centre by Fri 10th Nov.

Carlow Flower Club: our October/Halloween Demonstration is by Therese O'Reilly from Naas Flower and Garden Club, Tuesday 31st October at 8.00pm Woodford Dolmen Hotel. All arrangements will be raffled on the night. Competition for all classes will be an arrangement in a Pumpkin. Visitors welcome, visitors fee €10. There will be a plant sale on the night.

Sum of money: found in Ballinabranna Church grounds. Please contact Parish Centre on 059 9722607.