Recent Deaths: Jack Lowry, "Avila", Ballyhide, Carlow.

**Months Mind:** Rita Dermody (née Dooley), Raheendoran. Mass on Friday 18th October in Ballinabranna at 7.30pm.

Margaret Byrne, Craan.

Lorraine Doyle, Seskin Road.

Johnny Byrne, Old Leighlin.

The Cleere Family Tomard.

Breda Fitzgerald, Craan.

Billy McAuliffe, Ballynoe, Cork.

Edmund J. Cullen, Craan House.

Patrick Farrell, Craanluskey, Bilboa.

#### **1st Anniversaries:**

Esther Boles, Manchester & Leighlinbridge, Sat 12th October at 7.30pm, Leighlinbridge.

### **Anniversaries:**

Anne Rooney, Gorey, Co Wexford. John Murphy, Snugboro, Old Leighlin. Joseph Dermody, Craanluskey.

Mary McDonnell, Tinnegarney.

Ellen Gorman, Ballygowan.

Martin Cradden, Madlin

Daniel & Catherine Gorman, Craanluskey.

John & Ellen Byrne, Old Leighlin.

James (Sonny) Collier, Rathellen & Ballinkillen.

Joe Monaghan, High St. Leighlinbridge & London.

Rita Horan (née Monaghan), High St. Leighlinbridge & Nottingham.

Bridget & Christopher Doyle & Deceased family members, Raheendoran.

### **Notices**

Clothing collection in aid of Ballinabranna N.S.: 10% of the proceeds going to Laura Lynn Children Foundation. Bags can be left in Ballinabranna old school hall from Sunday 13th October (after mass), during school hours on Monday 14th & Tuesday morning 15th October. The following is a list of what they can take, Men's, Ladies and Children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts, ties, hats, soft toys, uniforms without logo's, curtains and towels.

Old Leighlin Community: Are holding an auction in Sheerin's Bar, the Ridge, Old Leighlin on Friday 18th of October. Funds raised will go towards protecting our community from Industrial Windfarms. More than 60 lots will be auctioned. There will also be door prizes and a raffle on the night. Please support if you can.

The Ballinabranna/Milford/Raheendoran Development Group: 5km family fun sponsored walk takes place Sunday 13th of Oct 2024 at 10.30am. This is our annual fundraising walk. Starts and finishes at the Ballinabranna car park. Refreshments served afterwards in the Old School Hall (opposite Ballinabranna school). I hope you can join us! Sponsorship cards are available. Your support is greatly appreciated.

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

# 13TH OCTOBER 2024 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LEIGHLIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## <u>Mass Times:</u> <u>Leighlinbridge</u>

Confession Sat 6.30—7.15pm Vigil Saturday 7.30pm Sunday 11.00am Eucharistic Adoration Wed 2-5pm Fri 4-8pm

# <u>Ballinabranna</u>

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

# The Rosary

The Rosary is the story of the new testament.

Through the beads we follow the life of Mary & Jesus.

We follow Mary from the time the Archangel Gabriel came to ask her to become the Mother of God to the day she was crowned Queen of Heaven.

We follow Jesus from the moment the Holy Spirit came down to Mary, through his childhood, his public life, his cruel death on the cross, the joy of Easter when he rose from the dead to the day he ascended into Heaven in glory, what a story and it is all true.

In October 2002 Pope John Paul 2nd, added the "Mysteries of Light" to the Holy Rosary calling us to pray the Rosary daily for our families - and for world peace.

The Rosary is a powerful weapon against Satan, if we but knew how powerful this prayer is we would never want to put the beads down.



<u>St Fintan's Church</u>			
	Readers	<u>Ministers</u>	
Sun 20th October 9.30am	Mary Dunne	Mary Hegarty	
Church Cleaning	Catherine Ayres, Mary Dunne, Mary Brennan		
Church Flowers October	Mary Daly	<b>Papers</b> Lucy McNally	

Lotto Results: Old Leighlin: 13, 15, 18, 28 No Winner Jackpot €10,000 Reserve €7,200

**Ballinabranna:** 1, 20, 26, 28 No Winner. Jackpot €1,250

St Lazerian's Church			
	Readers	<u>Ministers</u>	
Sat 19th October 7.30pm	Lisa Roche	George Donoghue, Christine Thompson	
Sun 20th October 11.00am	Benny Mills	Anita Dunican, Marie Roche	
Church Cleaning	Marie Roche, Betty Dowling, Mary Monahan, Josie O'Brien		
Church Flowers October	Betty Dowling, Mary Clarke		
Reader of the Week	Mon, Tues, Thurs Benny Mills	Wed Angela Roche	

Leighlinbridge: 5, 6, 11, 15 No Winner Jackpot €1,600

Collections
6th Oct
Envelopes
L/B €475
B/B €180

Offertory L/B €620 B/B €260

Oct Clergy L/B €640 B/B €155

<u>Harvest Mass:</u> Will be at all Masses on weekend of Saturday 12th & Sunday 13th October.

<u>Mission Sunday Collection:</u> will take place at all Masses on Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th October.



**November Dead List:** This year we would like all names to be into the Parish Office no later than the 13th 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.

### **NOTICES**

<u>Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired:</u> Meeting on Monday 14th October in the Parish Centre at 2.30pm. Refreshments followed by demonstration of silk flower arranging by Marian Graham from Doyle's of the Shamrock, Carlow. **Bowls:** On Thursday & Friday at 2.30pm in the Parish Centre. **Pickleball:** on Tuesday at 1.45pm in Old Leighlin Hall.

**Leighlinbridge Improvement Group:** will meet on Tuesday 15th October at Bawnogue at 6.00pm. The evenings are closing in quickly at this time of year, all help is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support.

Three Tenors Christmas Concert: The Three Tenors Concert "Christmas O Holy Night" will take place in Leighlinbridge Parish Church on Sunday 8th December 2024 at 7.30pm. Tickets are now on sale in Leighlinbridge Parish Centre, Price per ticket €30 or on Eventbright.ie. Special Guests: Ballinabranna N.S. Choir. Come along and hear some of your favourite songs from these amazing entertainers.

<u>Carlow Regional Pioneer Monthly Meeting:</u> Will take place in Askea Parish Centre on Saturday 19th October, Mass in Askea church at 7pm

**Book Club:** Will meet on Monday 14th October at 7pm in the Community Hall Old Leighlin.

<u>Its Shoebox Time Again:</u> 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 8th Nov.

<u>Ballroom Dance:</u> Party will take place on Thursday 10th October in Borris Town Hall. Ballroom Dance Classes start Thursday17th October at 8pm in Leighlinbridge Parish Centre for more information contact, Volodymyr on 087 3614053.

Living Well Expo: Empowering Older Adults in County Carlow. The Carlow Older Person's Forum, with the support of Age Friendly Carlow, Healthy Carlow, Carlow County Development Partnership, and UPMC, is excited to announce the upcoming Living Well Expo. This free event is set to take place on Tuesday 22nd October at the Woodford Dolmen Hotel. The Expo will feature over 40 exhibition stands from local organizations including An Garda Síochána, HSE, SETU Lifelong Learning, VISUAL, Carlow Volunteer Centre, Carlow Libraries, Carlow Fire Service, Carlow Sports Partnership, UPMC, Halo Care, and Social Prescribing. The Alzheimer's Society of Ireland will be onsite with their Dementia bus, providing valuable resources and information. Attendees can also take advantage of free health checks and visit stands dedicated to a wide range of topics, including: Tips for reducing energy costs, Information on housing grants, Community engagement initiatives, Recreational activities tailored for older adults, And much more! The event will kick off at 10.30am sharp with tea, coffee, and scones on arrival. Sandwiches will be served at 1pm. The speakers and information stands will be followed by a Tea Dance in the afternoon. For more information please contact the Age Friendly Carlow office at 087 2145262 / 059 9136207.