

Recent Deaths:

Liam O'Neill, Molaise Estate, Old Leighlin

Anniversaries:

Edward McGrath, Finglas West

Bridget Dermody, Oldtown, Nurney

Annie Brennan, Raheendoran

Mary Beck, Monemore, Bagenalstown

Michael (Mick) Geraghty, Raheendoran

Anastasia Lakes, Seskin Rd

Catherine Meaney, Moanduff

Paddy Murphy, Killenane & Luton, England

James & Patrick Doyle, Rathellen & extended Doyle Family



Notices

Providing compassionate care at the end of life: To address the sensitive issue of compassionate care at the end of life, and in response to the need to inform the faithful of Catholic teaching on this important life issue that affects so many families, the Bishops of Ireland have published the pastoral letter: *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes*. You are invited to read this letter and view the accompanying video *Through the Valley*, which offers personal testimonies by carers and people with terminal illness. The key message of both letter and video asserts that every person possesses inherent, infinite dignity that remains intact regardless of their circumstances. In this context, bishops strongly oppose the Oireachtas Committee's proposal to Government to legislate for assisted suicide, and call on support for healthcare workers who uphold the sanctity of life.

Designer Minds STEAM Summer Camps Carlow: Designer Minds STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Maths) Summer Camps start soon in Carlow. For all boys & girls going into 1st to 6th Class this September. All details and online registration: www.designerminds.ie Give your child the opportunity to explore, create, and innovate in a fun and supportive environment this Summer!

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: 085-8021633 or email dlp@kandle.ie Local safeguarding Reps are Eileen Johnston, Michael Roche & Liz Dunne.

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7TH JULY 2024

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

"My Daily Creed"

Let me be a little kinder,
Let me be a little blinder
To the faults of those about me;
Let me praise a little more.
Let me be, when I am weary,
Just a little bit more cheery;
Let me serve a little better
those that I am striving for.

Let me be a little braver
When temptation bids me waver;
Let me strive a little harder to be all
that I should be.
Let me be a little meeker
With the brother that is weaker,
Let me think more of my neighbour
And a little less of me.

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Mass Times:

Leighlinbridge

Confession Sat

6.30-7.15pm

Vigil Saturday 7.30pm

Sunday 11.00am

Mon - Thurs 9.30am

Ballyknockan

Graveyard Mass

Mon 8th July 7.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Wed 2-5pm

Fri 4-8pm

Ballinabranna

Sunday 9.30am

Confession Fri

6.30-7.15pm

Fri 7.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration

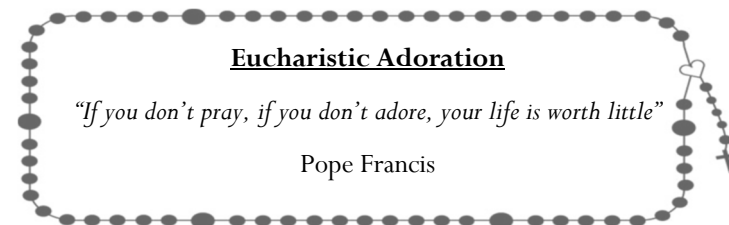
Wed 2 - 3pm

Fri 6.30-7.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration

"If you don't pray, if you don't adore, your life is worth little"

Pope Francis




NOTICES

St Fintan's Church

	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sun 14th July 9.30am	Mary Daly	Anthony Walsh
Church Cleaning	Catherine Ayres, Mary Dunne, Mary Brennan	
Church Flowers July	Mary Hegarty	Papers Lucy McNally

St Lazerian's Church

	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sat 13th July 7.30pm	Celma Aughney	Mairead Hayden Bridin Lawlor
Sun 14th July 11.00am	Sr Ethel	Paddy O'Brien Mary Clarke
Church Cleaning	Lizzie Earl, Oliver Quinn, Maura Devine	
Church Flowers July	Mary Redmond	
Reader of the Week	Mon, Tues, Wed Sr Ethel	Wed Angela Roche

Graveyard Masses 2024

Ballyknockan	Monday 8th July	7.30pm
Tomard	Friday 12th July	7.30pm
Killenane	Friday 26th July	7.30pm
Leighlinbridge	Sunday 4th August	7.00pm
Old Leighlin	Friday 16th August	T.B.C 7.30pm
Clody	Monday 2nd September	7.30pm

Lotto Results:

Old Leighlin:

4, 16, 18, 26
No Winner
Jackpot €10,000
Reserve €5,100

Ballinabranna:

3, 5, 10, 16
No Winner
Jackpot €1,450

Leighlinbridge

8, 10, 18, 19
No Winner
Jackpot €4,500

Collections

30th June

Envelopes

L/B €340
B/B €210

Offertory

L/B €735
B/B €230

Peters Pence

L/B €145
B/B €125



Leighlin Parish Draw May Results:

1st Prize €2000 Graham Cummins
2nd Prize €1000 Michael & Eileen Miley
3rd Prize €200 Sandra McEvoy
4th Prize €200 Willie Costigan
5th Prize €200 Alan Fitzpatrick
6th Prize €200 Owen Brennan
7th Prize €200 Daniel Pender

Promotors Prizes 4 x €50 - Eddie Nolan,
Eddie Nolan, Christy Byrne, Faith Amond



Parish Office Opening Hours: from 1st July to 30th August will be open from 9.30am to 1.30pm to facilitate holidays.

Choir Members: urgently needed for Leighlinbridge Church Choir.

Please contact the Parish Office 059 9722607. Everyone welcome.

The Rambling House Ballinabranna: are holding a Concert Sat 13th July at 8 o'clock, doors open 7.30pm cost €10. Music by McNally group. Any queries contact Josephine 086 0629220. Thank you. Sponsored by Creative Ireland.

PTAA: Spirituality Day in Cuan Mhuire Athy on Sunday 7th July.

Leighlinbridge Improvement Group: will meet at 6.30 on Tuesday 9th July on the Tullow Road. Bring your gardening gloves. A big thank you to all who have been helping over the past few months. If you can come out on clean-ups, even for an hour, it's a great help. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Message from Gardai to Parishioners: Important Reminder, please be aware that the Garda do not call your house looking to check if your money is counterfeit and take it from you. Another such theft occurred in Laois today. Stay vigilant and protect yourself from fraud.

Please note the following pilgrimages for 2025: Special Kildare/Carlow Pilgrimage (Limited availability) to Fatima EX Dublin Easter 2025. 13th June 2025 for Feast of Saint Anthony. 13th October 2025 for the Miracle of Sun. All flying with TAP Airlines Contact James Treacy 061-921470 email jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com.

Catholic Grandparents Association Pilgrimage to Knock: takes place this year on the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, Sunday 28th July. Archbishop Luis Mariano Montemayor, Papal Nuncio of Ireland will lead the pilgrimage. Anointing of the sick takes place at 2.30pm in the Basilica followed by Mass and a Rosary Procession. All are welcome to attend.

Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock: The Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 21 July. Mass at 3pm will be followed by Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine. Pioneers along with friends and relations of people who are living "one day at a time" with addiction are welcome.