St. Fintan's Parish, Ballyfin

Sat. 8th - Sun. 9th Feb. 5th Sun. in Ord. Time Fr. P.J. S.P.S. (087) 605 5783 Fr. Joe (087) 2411 594 www.ballyfinparish.ie Email jmbrophy2@gmail.com Mountrath Ballyfin Parish App. Mountrath Ballyfin Parishes

Ash Wed. 5th March

Ministries Rota Sat. 15th - Sun. 16th Feb. Minister of Holy Comm Reader

Sat. 8.00 pm Esther Phelan Mary Hooban Sun. 10.00 am Laura Ruane Breda Merdith Feb. Collectors Sat. Mick Rice Sun, Chris Phelan Tom Bowe Safeguarding Children Parish Reps.

Ballyfin Triona O'Rourke and Peter Byrne Mountrath Caroline Moore Pachelli Walsh Diocesan Designated Liaison Person: Ms. Ailish Higgins. Deputy Diocesan Liaison Michelle Hughes, c/o Bishop's House, Dublin Rd., Carlow Ph: 085 802 1633

Ballyfin Parish Income

Week ending 22nd Feb '25 69 Envelopes. € 782.20 Offertory Coll. € 403.69 Christmas Dues € 20.00 Candle Shrines € 45.74 Use of Ballyfin Old School € 470.00

Mass Times - Anniversaries Fri. 7th to Sun. 16th Feb.

Fri. 7th Feb. 5.00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Sat. 8th Feb 8.00 pm Jim Fingleton, Ross. 33rd Anniv. Sun. 9thFeb 10.00 am John Dunne, Deerpark, 3rd Anniv. Seán Heffernan, Brockera. 13th Anniv.

Mon. 10th Feb. 7.00 pm Apostolate of Sanctification.

Fri. 14th Jan. 5.00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Sat. 15th Feb. 8.00 pm Daniel Dunne, Catholes. 14th Anniv.

Joe and Kathleen Lamham and Michelle, Upper Sconce Patricia Lambe

Lord, for your faithful people, life is changed, not ended

Sun 16th Feb. 10.00 am Catherine Gilligan, 7th Anniv. Joan Gilligan. 15th Anniv.

Greenhills, Ballyfin Rd., Mountrath. Breda and Gerry Thompson, Ballylusk. Breda's 3rd Anniv Gerry's 13th Anniv.

Mon. 17th Feb. 7.00 pm Apostolate of Sanctification.

Month's Mind Mass

Sun. 23rd Feb. 10.00 am Mary Conroy, Sutton, formerly Ross. 1st Anniversary Remembrance

Sun. 23rd Feb. 10.00 am Joe Conroy, Formerly Ballylusk.

Confirmation Catechesis

with Confirmation Candidates and their parents continues following 10.00 am Sunday Mass on the following dates 23rd Feb. 23rd March 4th May 18th May

We keep and hold in our Thoughts and Prayers,

People, their families and carers, who are ill – at home, in Hospital or Nursing Home or undergoing any surgical or medical procedures at this time. We wish you a speedy

Mary Conroy, Sutton, Dublin Ross, Ballyfin. R.I.P.

We pray for Mary who died peacefully at Raheny Nursing Home on Mon. 27th Jan. Mary's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Fintan's Church, Ballyfin on Thurs. 30th Jan. followed by burial in Ballyfin Cemetery. We extend sympathy to her brother Michéal, Maureen and family, Pallas, her sister Dina and Brother in law Noel, sister in law Pauline, nephews, nieces. Grand nephews, grand nieces and all her former colleagues in Roches Stores.

John Duffy, Cappard, Rosenallis R.I.P.

We pray for John who died peacefully at his home following illness on Wed. 5th Feb. John's Funeral Service was held at Glasnevin Crematorium on Sat. 8th Feb. We extend sympathy to John's family, his wife Muireann, children Doireann, Rossa and

Maebh Áine, sisters Catherine, Helen, Aunt Marjorie and their families, niece and nephews, neighbours and friends. At an open meeting in Ballyfin Old School in Spring of last year, John was elected Chair of the newly reformed Ballyfin Players Group, was an inspirational leader and had been an integral part and a great supporter of the Group until the onset of his illness.

May Mary and John rest in peace

Ballyfin Community Alert

Grant aided personal monitored alarms are available to people aged 65 and over. If you know of a family member, friend or neighbour in Ballyfin who could benefit from this scheme. Please contact Sheila on 086 1570145 for information /application form.

Thank you for your continued and generous support of Ballyfin Parish Collections. and Ballyfin Parish Weekly Lotto

"Do This In Memory" Mass this Weekend (8th / 9th Feb)

Ballyfin Parish Lotto. Wed 5th Feb.

Nos. Drawn 7 10 11 32 No Jackpot Winner 20 Match 3 's Rec € 50 each 1 Local Winner John Coughlan. Promoter, Mary Hooban

Next Week's Jackpot €11,000

Ballyfin National School Football Forecasting Competition

Round 2 1st / 2nd Feb

1st Place

George Lanham, John Farrell: 14 points 2nd Place

Colleen Quinn, Pauric Carroll, Tom Glynn: 13 points

3rd Place

Aiden & Deirdre Heffernan, Anna Rowney. Brendan Quigley, Conor Sweeney, Darren Hanlon, Declan Looby, Greg Kerrigan, Laura Ruane, Mark Gavin, Martina Kelly, Paraic Crone, Patrick Larkin, Stephen McGlynn, Timmy Quillinan, Tom Behan, Tom Finn, Tori Holohan, Vinnie Collins: 12 points

Thanks to all participants. It's not too late to join the fun - sign up by contacting the school or

at https://forms.gle/BAD6WzZkSD37Bft47