

St. Fintan's Parish, Ballyfin

Sat. 21st - Sun. 22nd Feb. 1st Sunday of Lent
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Mass Times - Anniversaries Fri. 20th Feb Sun 1st Mch.

Fri. 20th Feb. 5.00 pm Exposition of Blessed Sacrament
Sat. 21st Feb. 8.00 pm Vigil Mass - 1st Sunday of Lent
Sun 22nd Feb. 10.00 am John Moore, R.I.P. O'Moore Forest.

Month's Mind

William (Willie) Seale, Clonagown 3rd Anniv.

Mon. 23rd Feb. 7.00 pm Apostolate of Sanctification

Fri. 27th Feb. 5.00 pm Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

Sat. 28th Feb. 8.00 pm Dick Downey, R.I.P. Clondarrig.

Month's Mind

Joseph (Joe) Connolly, Esker. 3rd Anniv.

Paudge Ryan, O'Moore Forest. 6th Anniv.

Parents, John and Sarah. Brother, Seán

Sun. 1st Mch. 10.00 am Mick Kelly, Clonagown, 4th Anniv.

Mon. 2nd Mch. 7.00 pm Apostolate of Sanctification.

*Lord, for
your
faithful
people,
Life is
changed,*

Safeguarding Children Parish Reps

Ballyfin Triona O'Rourke and Peter Byrne
Mountrath Caroline Moore Pacelli Walsh

Deputy Diocesan Liaison

Michelle Hughes c/o Bishop's House,
Dublin Rd., Carlow Ph: 085 802 1633
Diocesan Designated Liaison Person:
Ms. Ailish Higgins is on Maternity Leave

Ministries Rota Sat. 28th Feb - Sun 1st Mch

Reader Ministers of Holy Comm

Sat. 8.00 pm Br. Nicholas Leahy Deirdre Fitzpatrick
Sun. 10.00 am Joe Fingleton Crescentia Phelan

Collectors for February

Sat. Br. Gerry Pauric Gilligan Sun. Johnny Keenan

Ballyfin Parish Income
Week ending 14th / 15th Feb.

56 Envelopes € 513.50
Offertory Coll. € 322.41
Nov. Stns. € 30.00

*Thank you for your
generous support of
Ballyfin Parish*

Wanted For Ballyfin N.S.

Donations of Children's Books
- in Good Condition - for our
Book sale on Fri. 6th March.

World Day of Prayer

Fri. 6th March.

Commencing 7.00 pm

Convent Chapel -

Bloom HQ

Everyone most welcome.

Cup of Tea -

Refreshments served

Ena Campion (Nee O'Rourke) Rushin Rd., R.I.P.

We pray for Ena who died peacefully at the Residence Nursing Home on Thurs. 12th Feb. Ena's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Edmund's Church, Castletown on Sun. 15th Feb. followed by burial in Camross Cemetery. We extend sympathy to Marie, Jer, Séan, Liam, Tony, Elaine and Freida and their families. grandchildren, great-grandchildren and their families. nieces, nephews neighbours and friends

Fr. (Canon) Lar Dunphy, Former C.C. Camross R.I.P.

We pray for Fr. Lar who died peacefully at Sacred Heart Nursing Home, Crosspatrick on Mon. 9th Feb. Fr. Lar's Funeral Mass was celebrated in Church of the Assumption, Urlingford on Fri. 13th Feb. followed by burial in adjoining Churchyard. Canon (Fr.) Lar who served as curate in Camross Parish from 4th April 1964 to 31st March 1977 is fondly remembered for his dedicated service and his profound impact on the Community. The many tributes on rip.ie highlight his enthusiasm for organising a wide variety of events—from Drama and Concerts to Sports and Youth activities—reflecting a progressive spirit during his thirteen years in Camross. He was instrumental in founding local organisations such as the Camogie Club and Camross Comhaltas (in 1974) and was known for personally ensuring young parishioners could participate in sporting events. Friends, family, and parishioners recall his warmth, vision, and commitment, as well as cherished moments from 1st Holy Communion, Weddings, and Community gatherings. We extended sympathy to his family and the many touched by his ministry, his kindness and his many fine achievements.

May Ena and Fr. Lar rest in the peace of Christ.

Theme for this Year's Lenten Season

Baptized and Sent

We've all been Baptized and Sent.

Ballyfin Parish Lotto

Wed. 18th Feb.

Nos. Drawn 17 26 31 32

No Jackpot Winner

5 Match 3 Winners Rec. € 200 each

1 Local Winner - Mary Hooban

Next Week's Jackpot. € 13,000

Mountrath Community School
PRESENTS
COME FROM AWAY
February 25th-28th
8pm St. Philomena's hall Mountrath
Director Paul Norton
Musical director Anne-Marie Lawlor
Choreographer Julianne Menamura
Ticket price: Adult €15, Children/Students/Retirees €10
Family of 2 Adults and 2 Children €45
TICKETS AT: GR8EVENTS.IE (excluding booking fee)
& limited tickets available in school

Confirmation Catechesis This Weekend

Sat. 21st Feb. after 7.00 pm Mass
In Mountrath Church
Sun. 22nd Feb. after 10.00 am Mass
(Ballyfin Church) For Confirmation
Candidates and their parents in
Mountrath and Ballyfin Parishes.

Football Forecasting Results Round 3 14th 15th Feb

1st Place: 13 points

Richie Downey, Declan Looby, AC and Gerard Reynolds
(Ballyfin NS), Mervyn O'Shaughnessy Bracknagh NS),

2nd Place: 12 points

Padraig Glancy, David McNabb, Yvonne Thompson, Paul
Phelan, Richard Quillinan, Marc Byrne, Colm Heffernan,
Trish and Mark Keating, (Ballyfin NS), Pat Kelly, Colm
Moynihan, Ian Curry (Bracknagh NS)