

## St. Fintan's Parish, Ballyfin

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup> - Sun. 27<sup>th</sup> March 2022 4<sup>th</sup> Sun. of Lent.

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### Ballyfin Parish Income

16/17 March 2022

11 Envelopes .€ 65.00

Offertory Collection. €316.96

Lenten Stations... €110.00

19<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> March

40 Envelopes .€312.20

Offertory Collection. €268.24

Lenten Stations.. €110.00

## Safeguarding Children Parish Reps.

Ballyfin Parish Triona O'Rourke and Peter Byrne  
 Mountrath Parish Caroline Moore and Pachelli Walsh  
 Diocesan Designated Liaison Person: Ms Kathleen Sherry  
 Deputy Diocesan Liaison Person: Ms Michelle Hughes,  
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"Laois Libraries are looking for people aged 55 and over to help them improve their library services. Share your opinions and suggestions by filling out a short questionnaire at your local library during the months of April and May. Share with your families, friends and community groups. Please help us to spread the word so we can hear from as many older persons as possible".

## Mass Times - Anniversaries Fri. 25<sup>th</sup> - Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> April

Fri. 25 <sup>th</sup> Mch. 7.30 pm	William and Julia Conroy, Barkmills. Paddy and Una Brennan, Barnashrone.	Lent is What We Do
Sat. 26 <sup>th</sup> Mch 11.00 am	Celebration of Sacrament of Confirmation with Children from Ballyfin and Barnashrone Schools	
8.00 pm	William (Willie) Seale, Clonagown. Month's Mind Bernadette Coyne, Boughlone. 7 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.	
Sun. 27 <sup>th</sup> Mch. 10.00 am	Breda Thompson (Nee Mooney) Ballylusk. M. M. Jim Coogan, The Knocks	
Mon. 28 <sup>th</sup> Mch. 7.00 pm	to 9.00 pm Apostolate of Santification	
Fri. 1 <sup>st</sup> April. 5.00 pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
7.30 pm	Altar List of the Dead.	
Sat. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mch. 11.00 am	Celebration of Sacrament of Confirmation	
8.00 pm	Vigil Mass for 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent.	
Sun. 3 <sup>rd</sup> April 10.00 am	Mick Kelly, Clonagown, Month's Mind. Noel Walsh, Pallas Little - 7 <sup>th</sup> Anniv. And deceased members of Walsh Family Austin O'Flynn, Deerpark - 8 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.	

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Boxes  
Still  
Available

*Lord, For your  
faithful people,  
Life is changed  
not ended*



Sum of Money found in Sconce on 21<sup>st</sup> Feb. Contact Mary on 086 0278565

## Bishop Denis' Prayer for the People of Ukraine

Bishop Denis invites this prayer for peace in Ukraine to be prayed at all our Masses during Lent:

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine,  
for all those suffering or afraid,  
that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders,  
for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis,  
we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. Amen.

## Special Collection for Ukraine:

The Irish Bishops have asked for a Special Collection to be taken up at Masses this weekend to support humanitarian efforts in Ukraine and especially the families and children who have had to flee their homeland in advance of the Russian invasion. The proceeds of this Special Collection will be directed to Caritas Internationalis, which is the helping hand of the Church on the ground in Ukraine and surrounding region. The Irish Bishops ask us to be as generous as we can and express thanks for your support. Please drop envelopes marked "Special Collection for Ukraine" in the Envelope Collection Boxes - Many Thanks Your support is much appreciated

### Ministries Rota Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> April

Reader (Proclaimer) of the Word

Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> April 8.00 pm Esther Phelan

Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> April 10.00 am Br. Gerry Reburn

Ministers of Holy Communion - Group 4

Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> April. 8.00 pm Denis Bowe

Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> April 10.00 am Crescentia Phelan

Cleaners Group 1 - For April '22

Ann Quinn Mary Thompson Mary Gorman

Mairead Gorman Martina Makem

Collectors for April

Sat. Sheila Dowling Charlie Gorman Sun. Kieran O'Connor

### Ballyfin Lotto 23<sup>rd</sup> Mch

Jackpot €10,000

Nos. Drawn 1 10 17 22

No Jackpot Winner

18 Match 3 Rec. € 56 ea.

2 local Winners

Grainne Linden - Promoter G. Dunphy

Aedin Duff - Promoter Kathleen Dunne

New Jackpot €11,000