

St. Fintan's Parish, Ballyfin

Sat. 4th - Sun. 5th Feb. '23 5th Sun. in Ord. Time

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Mass Times Anniversaries Fri. 3rd - Sun. 12th Feb.'23

Fri. 3rd Feb. 5.00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
7.30 pm Celebration of the Eucharist
Feast of St. Blaise - Blessing of Throats after Mass

Sat. 4th Feb. 8.00 pm Lily O'Connor (Nee Hyland) Knocknakearn. 3rd Anniv
Ann Costello, Ballyfin Rd., Portlaoise. 10th Anniv.

Sun. 5th Feb. 10.00 am Rita Fitzpatrick (Nee Keegan) Esker. 1st Anniv.
John Dunne, Davitt Rd., Mountmellick -
Formerly Deerpark. 1st Anniv.
Sean Heffernan, Brockera 11th Anniv

Mon. 6th Feb. 7.00 pm Apostolate of Sanctification.

Fri. 10th Feb. 5.00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
7.30 pm Jim Fingleton, Ross.

Sat. 11th Feb. 8.00 pm Patrick and Ellen O'Rourke, Coolnamona.
Paddy and Maureen Fitzpatrick, Pallas Little
Dan and Maisie Tynan, Clonkeen.
Joe and Kathleen Lanhan, Upper Sconce.
Daniel Dunne, Catholes. 12th Anniv.

Sun. 12th Feb. 10.00 am Mai O'Rourke (Nee Conroy) Springfield. Month's Mind.

Mon. 13th Feb. 7.00 pm Apostolate of Sanctification.

1st Anniversary Mass Remembrances

Breda Thompson (Nee Mooney) Ballylusk. Sun. 19th Feb.
William Seale, Clonagown - Sat. 4th March
Michael (Mick) Kelly, Clonagown - Sun. 5th March

We keep and hold in our thoughts and prayers at this time

People, their families and carers, who are ill or unwell - at home, in hospital or Nursing Home or undergoing any surgical or medical procedures. - We wish them a speedy recovery.

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, c/o Bishop's House, Dublin Rd
, Carlow Ph: 085 802 1633

St. Blaise' Prayer of Blessing

Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, + and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



Ballyfin Community Alert

Seniors Alert Scheme - Grant aided personal monitored alarms are available to people aged 65 and over. If you know a family member, friend or neighbour in Ballyfin or Laois area who may qualify please contact Sheila on 086 1570145 for

Ministries Rota Sat. 11th Sun. 12th Feb.

	Reader	Min. of Holy Comm.
Sat 11 th 8.00 pm	Linda Merdith	Sheila Dowling
Sun 12 th 0.00 am	Larry Ryan	Brid Duff

Church Cleaners for February (Group 4)

Mairead Delaney	Mary Cashin
Teresa McCormack	Kathleen Dunne

Collectors for February

Sat. Sean Quinn	Michael Rice
Sun. Chris Phelan	John Coughlan

Bus to Portlaoise from Ballyfin

Bus Service to Portlaoise from Ballyfin every Tuesday and Friday and Tullamore on Thursdays. - Pick up at home. between 10.00 and 11 o'clock. Travel Pass accepted. €3 return for adults and children over 5 years. Must book passage evening before - before 5.00 pm
Contact number 057 869 2168

Ballyfin Parish Income

28th - 29th Jan

54 Envelopes	€ 653.00
Offertory Coll.	€ 328.78
Christmas Dues	€350.00
Nov List of Dead	€ 20.00
Autumn Dues	€ 50.00
Peter's Pence.	€ 20.00
World Mission	€ 20.00
Nov. Stations	€ 20.00
Candle Shrine	€ 64.17

Sincere thanks for your generous support of Ballyfin Parish

Ash. Wed. 22nd Feb.

Masses

Mountrath	10.00 am
Ballyfin	7.30 pm

Blessing and Distribution of Ashes at both Masses

Mountmellick Drama Festival 2023 Fri. 3rd - Fri. 10th March

Community Arts Centre, Mountmellick

Fri. 3 rd March	Kilrush DG	The Beauty Queen of Leenane	by Martin McDonagh
Sat. 4 th March	Glenamaddy DG	Proof	By David Auburn
Sun. 5 th March	The Ray Leonard Players	The Kings of the Kilburn High Road	By Jimmy Murphy
Mon. 6 th March	Wexford DG	The Father	by Florian Zeller
Tues. 7 th March	Holycross Ballycahill DG	A Skull in Connemara	by Martin McDonagh
Wed. 8 th March	Ballyduff DG	The Welkin	by Lucy Kirkwood
Thurs. 9 th March	Enniscorthy DG	Farsiders	by Fintan Kelly
Fri. 10 th March	Thurles DG	The Seafarer	by Conor McPherson

Tickets Now On Sale

Online Booking at mountmellickdramafestival.ie
Book your favourite seats now and don't miss this wonderful event
Tickets: Nightly €15 (€10) Season Ticket €70 (€45)
Contact Jessie 087 7942994, Noreen 087 4121205