

St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 26th - Sun. 27th Nov. '22 1st Sun. Advent - Year A.
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Mass Times - Anniversaries Sat. 19th - Sun. 27th Nov.

Sat 26th Nov. 7.00 pm Elizabeth Sinnott (Nee Hensey) Shannon Rd., 9th Anniv.
Angela and Patrick Wallace, Patrick St.,
Sun. 27th Nov. 9.00 am The Hollow Church. 1st Sunday of Advent. Year A
11.30 am Paddy Carter, St. Fintan's Terrace. 1st Anniv.
(also Paddy's wife, Philomena)
Mon. 28th Nov. 10.00 am *Lord, For your faithful people, Life is changed, not ended*
Tues 29th Nov. 10.00 am
Wed. 30th Nov. 10.00 am Patrick and Michael Doheny, Patrick St.,
Thurs. 1st Dec. 10.00 am John (Jack) Hetherington, New Line Rd., 9th Anniv.
Fri. 2nd Dec. 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead.
Sat. 3rd Dec. 7.00 pm Brigid Dunne, (nee Lalor) Woodbrook 1st Anniv.
John Keenan, Beech Lawn, 1st Anniv.
Gerry and Elizabeth McMahon, Fr. O'Connor Cresc.
Sun. 4th Dec. 9.00 am The Hollow Church. Julia and Nora Phelan, Clonard.
Jerimiah Delaney, Clonard
11.30 am Patrick (Patsy) O'Connor, Kiln Lane. 1st Anniv.
Mary Redmond (Nee Bergin) Redcastle 4th Anniv.
Peter Bennett, The Square. 5th Anniv.

Fergus Beere, Clonkeen R.I.P.

We pray for Fergus who died peacefully at his home on Sat. 19th Nov. Fergus' Funeral Mass was celebrated in Peter and Paul Church, Portlaoise on Tues. 22nd Nov. followed by Committal Service at Newlands Cross Crematorium. We extend sympathy to Ailish, brothers George, Jimmy, Peter and Hughie and all their families, nephews, nieces, relatives, neighbours and friends

May Fergus rest in the peace of Christ.

Parish Visitation Dec.. Thurs. 1st Ballyfin Parish
Tues. 6th Mountrath Country Wed. 7th Mountrath Town

We keep in our Prayers

People, their families and carers, who are ill
- at home, in Hospital or in a Nursing Home
or undergoing any surgical procedures, at
this time

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

Diary Dates Christmas Carol Services

MCS Wed. 14th Dec. 12 MD
Scoil Bhríde Fri. 16th Dec. 12 Midday
Ballyfin Church Wed. 14th Dec. 7.30 pm

Enrolment for 1st Holy Communion
children takes place on this Sat.
evening. (26th Nov) during our
7.00 pm Vigil Mass

Child Safeguarding Review

A letter from Bishop Denis regarding
the Review by the National Board for
Safeguarding Children in the Catholic
Church in Ireland was issued on 21st
November. This review will commence
in our Diocese on Mon. 12th December.

*See our Online Newsletter for copy of
this letter.*

Mountrath Parish Lotto

24th Nov

Nos. Drawn 19 21 23 25

2 Winners Shared Jackpot of €20,000

4 Match 3 Winner. Rec. € 250

Next Week's Jackpot €12,000

A Word of Thanks

Work has begun on the Painting of Mountrath Church

The scaffolding out of the Sanctuary area was completed during the week.
Thanks to John Brophy of J N L Scaffolding, Borris in Ossory and to his excellent team who
erected the scaffolding so efficiently.

Stephen, Conor, Kevin, Liam and Christopher.

Thanks to everyone - Mountrath G.A.A. and the fine team of helpers who brought the
scaffolding into the Church on Monday evening last.

Thanks to Mountrath Community School, to Seamus Moloughney and friends for providing
and erecting a platform in front of the altar rails and preparing for the temporary altar -
and indeed for moving out the altar and ambo for us.

Thanks to Tommy Ferns for accommodating us with the P.A. System.

Thanks to Geraldine and Niamh for all their work.

The prep. work for the painting will begin on Monday next, Please God.

See pic. on our Online Newsletter (website and App.)