

St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 22nd Sun. 23rd March 3rd Sunday of Lent

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Name of Parish App. *Mountrath and Ballyfin Parishes*

*Lord, for your
faithful people,
Life is changed,
Not ended.*

*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 recovery*

Safeguarding Children Parish Reps.

Ballyfin Parish Triona O'Rourke Peter Byrne
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Mass Times - Anniversaries Sat. 22nd - Sun. 30th Mch

Mass times as listed below are for Mountrath Church unless otherwise indicated

Sat. 22nd Mch. 7.00 pm Thomas, Josephine and Fr. John Fitzpatrick
and deceased members of Deerpark and extended families.

Michael and Christina Tobin and their daughter,

Kathleen Delaney. 7th Anniv. Michael 40th and Christine 9th A.

Sun. 23rd Mch.. 9.00 am *The Hollow Church.* 3rd Sunday of Lent
Fr. Louis Lamb. 9th Anniv.

11.30 am 3rd Sunday of Lent

Tues. 25th Mch. 10.00 am

Wed. 26th Mch. 10.00 am Mary McSpadden, Redcastle.

Mary and James McSpadden and their daughter, Maura Culleton

Thur. 27th Mch. 10.00 am

Fri. 28th Mch. 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead.

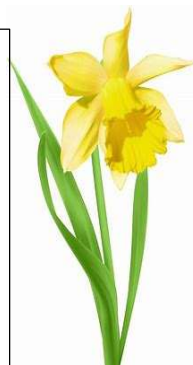
Sat. 29th Mch. 7.00 pm Denis Hetherington, Woodbrook (15th Anniv)
Donal Murphy, Ringstown. 30th Anniv.

Sun. 30th Mch. 9.00 am *The Hollow Church*

(Summer Time Begins) Ann Heffernan, Clonkeen.

11.30 am Jack Sinnott, New Line Close 11th Anniv.

Paddy Sinnott, New Line Close, 13th Anniv.



Daffodil Day Fri. 28th March

Daffodil Day, in aid of Irish Cancer Society, is on Fri. 28th March. All contributions received on Daffodil Day each year go towards many of the services provided by Irish Cancer Society, including Cancer Night Nurses who provide in-home end of life care, the volunteer driver service which helps people receiving treatment to get to and from Hospital, financial help to families of children receiving treatment for cancer, a Freephone call service which provides information on a range of topics including cancer types, treatments, side effects and support for people living with cancer. If you feel that you would be able to help out on Mountrath Daffodil Day your support will be much appreciated.

Just contact any of the Daffodil Day Team.

Mary Kiely (Nee Doyle) Shannon Rd., (Patrick St., Portarlinton) R.I.P.

We pray for Mary who died peacefully at Regional Hosp., Portlaoise on Mon. 17th Mch. Mary's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Fintan's Church, Mountrath on Thurs. 20th Mch. followed by burial in Mountrath Cemetery. We extend sympathy to Agnes, John, Robert, Thomas. grandchildren Shauna, Jamie, Emma, Rachel and Niamh and all their families. daughters-in-law Geraldine and Amanda, nieces and nephews, extended family, relatives, neighbours and friends.

May Mary rest in the peace of Christ.

Ballyfin N.S. Astroturf Project Dash to 44 Challenge

Best wishes to everyone involved in our Dash to 44 this Saturday. Competitors will be starting out at about 5.30 am commencing at Ballyfin GAA Club, heading to Rosenallis and onwards to Clonaslee - Kilcavan - Mountmellick - The Rock - Portarlinton - O'Dempsey's - Courtwood - Annanough - Emo - The Heath - Portlaoise - Clonad - Colt - Trumera (arriving about 10.35 am) - Shanahoe - Abbeyleix - Ballyroan - Rathineska - Timahoe - Stradbally - St. Joseph's - Ballylinan - Barrowhouse - Arles Killeen - Graiguecullen - Killeshin - Crettyard - Spink - Ballypickas - Ballinakill - Durrow - Clough Ballacolla - Rathdowney - Errill - Kilcotton - Kyle - Borris in Ossory - Castletown - Mountrath (arriving about 8.00 pm) - Camross - Slieve Bloom and returning to Ballyfin G A A Club at about 9.00 pm -

Amount raised to date € 43,112.00 *Your very generous support is much appreciated.*

Mountrath Parish Lotto

Thurs. 20th Mch

Numbers Drawn 9 10 12 21

No Jackpot Winner

17 Match 3 Winners Rec. € 59 each

2 Local Winners

Martina Carroll,

Prom. Liam Phelan

Jerry Dooley. Prom. Bernie Tynan.

Next Week's Jackpot € 15,000

Ministries Rota Sat 29th - Sun 30th Mch.

Readers Sat.. 7.00 pm Pauric Tobin

Sun. 11.30 am Margaret Keegan

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat. 7.00 pm Collette Byrne Anne Marie Byrne Peg Russell

Sun. 11.30 am Dolores Mulhare Elaine Doheny.

Collectors for April.

Saturdays: William Fitzpatrick Joe Hosey

Sundays Anthony Deegan