## St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 18<sup>th</sup> - Sun. 19<sup>th</sup> May Feast of Pentecost Fr. P.J. S.P.S. (087) 605 5783 Fr. Joe (087) 241 1594

## Mass Times - Anniversaries Sat. 18th - Sun. 26th May

Sat 18<sup>th</sup> May 7.00 pm Kitty Byrne, Ringstown. 21<sup>st</sup> Anniv. Sun 19th May 9.00 am The Hollow Ch. Mass of Pentecost Sunday John and Julia O'Connor. Coolnareen Andy and Sheila O'Connor, Coolnareen. Sheila's 12th Anniv.

> 11.30 am Mass of Pentecost Sunday

Tues. 21st May 10.00 am William Kelly, Clonagown. 50th Anniv.

Wed. 22<sup>nd</sup> May 10.00 am

Thur. 23<sup>rd</sup> May 10.00 am

Fri. 24<sup>th</sup> May 10.00 am

Sat. 25<sup>th</sup> May 7.00 pm

Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> May 9.00 am

The Hollow Ch.

11.30 am Feast of Most Holy Trinity 1st Holy Communion Day in Mountrath

Liam McRedmond, Forrest

Altar List of the Dead.

Peadar Rice, Forrest 3rd Anniv.

Sarah (Sally) Osborne (Nee Loughnane)

Bobby Molloy, Portlaoise Rd., 3rd Anniv

Fr. O'Connor Cresc. 2nd Anniv.

Lord, for your faithful people, life is changed, not ended

### More Parish Contacts

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Mountrath and Ballyfin Parishes

## Ballyfin Vintage and Veteran Club

Field Day Sun. 26th May 10.00 am - 6.00 pm A Great Family Day-Out.

### Safeguarding Children Parish Reps.

Ballyfin Parish Triona O'Rourke and Peter Byrne Mountrath Parish. Caroline Moore and Pachelli Walsh Diocesan Designated Liaison Person: Ms. Ailish Higgins. Deputy Diacesan Liaison Person: Ms Michelle Hughes c/o Bishoo's Hse, Dublin Rd, Carlow Phone 085 802 1633

# Baptism Team Training

A training day will take place for Baptism Teams from 10 am - 4 pm on Sat. 25 May. in the Cathedral Parish Centre. (Carlow) Contact Fr. P.J. or Fr. Joe

### Kildare and Leighlin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

Bishop Denis Nulty invites you to join him and parishioners from across the Diocese at the Shrine of Our Lady of Knock on Sun. 2nd June. Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm

## Kathleen Moloughney (née Delaney) Rosemary St., Roscrea, R.I.P.

We pray for Kathleen who died peacefully at Dean Maxwell Nursing Home, Roscrea on Thurs. 9th May. Kathleen's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Cronan's Church on Mon. 13th May followed by burial in adjoining Cemetery. We extend sympathy to her family, Mary, Pat, Catherine, Seamus (Fr. O'Connor Cresc) Joseph, Anne and Pamela and their families, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, her thirty grandchildren and forty-two great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and wide circle May Kathleen rest in the peace of Christ of friends.

# Sunday Celebrations

The Diocesan Commission for Liturgical Formation will host a training session in three different venues across the diocese in June. The Celebration for use on Sundays in the unexpected absence of an ordained priest will be modelled and the skill of leading prayer will be explored. We hope to share dates and venues next week.-

### Kildare & Leighlin Pilgrimage Day in Knock, June 2nd.

Join Bishop Nulty and the Kildare and Leighlin family in Knock on June 2nd. Names now been taken call to the parish office or phone 057 8624390 (seat €20). Bus leaving Mountmellick at 8.30am. 2.30pm - Ceremonies begin in the Basilica with the Anointing of the Sick. 3.00pm - Pilgrimage Mass, followed by Rosary Procession and concluding with Benediction. Ceremonies are usually concluded by 5.00pm.

# Dates of 1st Holy Communions

Sun. 26th May Mountrath Church 11.30 am With Children of all Mountrath Primary Schools Sun. 19th May Ballyfin Church 2.00 pm With children of Ballyfin National School Sun. 26th May Ballyfin Church. 2.00 pm With Children of Barnashrone NS

### 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.

#### Lourdes 2024 Pilgrimage

Mountmellick, Ballyfin, Mountrath. 30th July, 2024 for 7 nights. €995 (plus travel insurance) per person sharing. Deposits are now required. For information contact Eleanor Duff - 087 7670915



### Mountrath Parish Lotto 16th May

Nos. Drawn 6 13 15 30 No Jackpot Winner 6 Match 3 Rec. € 167.00 each

## 3 Local Winners

Linda and Mack Irvine. Promoter. Bernie Phelan Billy Delaney Promoter, David Tobin Maher Family, Promoter, M.Farrell Next Week's Jackpot € 14,000

### Retired Priests Collection

Kildare and Leighlin Annual Diocesan Collection for our Retired Priests takes place next weekend 25<sup>th</sup> / 26th May 2024

Your continued support for our retired priests is much appreciated