

St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 25th - Sun. 26th May Feast of Most Holy Trinity

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Mass Times - Anniversaries Sat. 25th - Sun. 2nd June

Sat. 25th May 7.00 pm Peadar Rice, Forrest 3rd Anniv.
Bobby Mulhall, Portlaoise Rd., 3rd Anniv
Liam McRedmond, Forrest

Sun. 26th May 9.00 am **The Hollow Church**

11.30 am Feast of Most Holy Trinity

1st Holy Communion Day in Mountrath

Sarah (Sally) Osborne (Nee Loughnane)

Fr. O'Connor Cresc. Sally's 2nd Anniv.

2.00 pm (Ballyfin Church)

1st Holy Communion Mass

*Lord, for your
Faithful people
Life is changed,
not ended*

With children of Barnashrone National School

Tues. 28th May 10.00 am

Wed. 29th May 10.00 am

Thur. 30th May 10.00 am

Fri. 31st May 10.00 am Paddy Carroll, Cappagh. 29th Anniv.

Sat. 1st June 7.00 pm

Sun 2nd Jun. 9.00 am **The Hollow Church**

Michael (Mick) Holland, Trumera. 14th Anniv

Declan Phelan, Clonadacasey 25th Anniv.

11.30 am Mass of Feast of Corpus Christi

Ministries Rota (Mountrath Church)

Sat. 1st - Sun. 2nd June

Reader

Sat. 7.00 pm Geraldine Moore

Sun 11.30 am Anne Stanley

Minister of Holy Comm.

Sat. 7.00 pm Sheila Cullen Mai Murphy

Sun 11.30 am Ita Fitzpatrick Margaret Carroll

Collectors for June

Sat. 7.00 pm Niamh O'Hara

Sun 11.30 am Pat McSpadden Donal Doherty

Mountrath Parish Lotto

23rd May

Nos. Drawn 10 14 17 29

No Jackpot Winner

9 Match 3 Rec. € 112.00 each

3 Local Winners

Ala Heffernan.

Promoter, Bernie Tynan

Joshua Fitzpatrick Promoter,

Jerry Dooley

Noel Tabin, Promoter, Rita Watkins

Next Week's Jackpot € 15,000

More Parish Contacts

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Name of Parish App.

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 Diocesan Liaison Person: Ms Michelle Hughes c/o

Bishop'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

Retired Priests Collection

Kildare and Leighlin Annual Diocesan Collection for
our Retired Priests takes place this weekend

25th / 26th May 2024 Your continued support for
our retired priests is much appreciated

Safeguarding Training

The final training session for the Spring/Summer 2024
schedule will take place on Tues. 11th June in Portlaoise
Parish Centre, 7-9pm. This is an Intro to Safeguarding &
Refresher session. It is filling up quickly, so if you would
like to book a place on this training, please do so by

emailing safeguarding@kandle.ie

or Tel: 059 917 6725 or 085 802 1633

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.

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.

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

For many Leaving Cert Students Friday (24th May) marked the
final day of their time in Secondary School as students. As they
gear up for their state exams we join in a prayer with Bishop
Denis.

Lord, as I prepare to sit my exams'
Send your Holy Spirit to guide and be with me.

Thank you for the many talents and

Gifts you have given me

And the opportunity of education

Keep me calm.

Help me to do the best I can

On the day of my exam.

Help me to remember all I have studied,

To express it clearly

And to answer the questions as best I can.

Give me peace,

Understanding and wisdom

And continue to be with me, today and always. *Amen.*

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 (In Mountmellick)
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.