St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 8th - Sun. 9th Nov. 32nd Sun. In Ord. Time In November . We remember

Fr. P.J. S.P.S. (087) 605 5783 Fr. Joe (087) 241 1594

Parish Website www.mountrathparish.ie Email jmbrophy2@gmail.com

Name of Parish App. Mountrath and Ballyfin Parishes

Mass Times - Anniversaries Sat. 8th - Sun. 16th Nov.

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

Sat. 8th Nov. 7.00 pm "Do This In Memory" Mass.

Sun. 9th Nov. 9.00 am The Hollow Church

Joseph, Michael and Teresa Conroy, Clonboyne.

Kieran and Ann Cullen. Redcastle

Agnes Gallagher, London

Patrick (Paddy) Hurley, St. Fintan's Tce., 10th Anniv.

11.30 am Bernard (Benny) Phelan, St. Fintan's Terrace.

Month's Mind.

Tues 11th Nov. 10.00 am Fintan McCarthy, Knockanina. 32nd Anniv. Wed.12th Nov. 10.00 am John and Mary O'Neill, Shannon St.,

Thur.13th Nov.10.00 am

Sat. 15th Nov. 7.00 pm Paddy Cullen, Clonenagh.

Fri. 14th Nov 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead

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

William (Billy) Byrne, Ringstown. 12th Anniv. Maura Phelan, Shannon Rd., 18th Anniv.

Sun. 16th Nov. 9.00 am The Hollow Ch. Enda Dunne, Trumera R.I.P 11.30 am Margaret Brophy (Nee Doorey) Trumera. 1st Anniv.

Pat McGrath, Shannon Rd., 9th Anniv.

Mrs. Annie Patterson

and her daughter, Margaret (Peg) Maguire, New Line Rd.,

Month's Mind Mass

Sun. 23rd Nov. 11.30 am Bernadette (Bernie) Tynan, Fr. O'Connor Cresc.

Sat. 22nd Nov. 7.00 pm

Mass for deceased members of St. Fintan's G.A.A. Club. Mountrath.

Copies of special November Prayer Card are available at back of Church and you are most welcome to take a copy home with you.

1st Holy Communion Preparation "Do This In Memory" Mass.

This Evening

Parish Confirmation Preparation Confirmation Catechesis Mountrath

Sat. 29th Nov. After 7.00 pm Mass For Confirmation Candidates and their parents in Mountrath Parish.

Safeguarding Children Parish Reps.

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

Brendan Moloney (Senior) Brophy Tce., Roscrea. R.I.P

We pray for Brendan who died peacefully at Tullamore Reg. Hosp., on Tues. 28th Oct. Brendan's Funeral Mass was celebrated in Cronan's Church, Roscrea on Sun. 2nd Nov. followed by burial in the adjoining new cemetery. We extend sympathy to Geraldine, Brendan, (Edel and family) Amanda, Jason, Melissa, Emma, Elaine, Evan, and their families, brothers Matt, Ger, Noel, Aidan, Kevin and David, sisters Maura, Tricia and Aileen and their families, his 19 grandchildren and 2 greatgrandchildren, nieces, nephews, relatives, good neighbours and wide circle of friends. Brendan is father-in-law of Edel Moloney, Mountrath Community Employment Scheme Supervisor. May Brendan rest in the peace of Christ.

Message from Bishop Denis re. Department of Education Survey on School Patronage

The current Department of Education survey on the future of patronage in the primary sector is important in that it will shape the discussion on primary school divesting for the years to come throughout the Republic of Ireland

It is important that people who wish for a change in patronage would have their voice heard. It is equally important that people who wish for a Catholic Education for their children and for parents who would wish for Sacramental preparation within school would have their voice heard also. For these reasons and to ensure that an accurate picture emerges, please participate in this survey if you are a parent or a prospective parent of a primary school student.

The survey can be accessed

at https://www.gov.ie/en/department-ofeducation/campaigns/primary-school-SUrvev/

Note from Niamh Bright, Social Club Comm. Laois Co.Co. Annual Prayer Service to remember deceased staff and members of Laois Co. Co. will be held on Tues. 18th Nov.

in the Council Chamber, County Hall, at 6.00 pm. Light refreshments served afterwards. People of all faiths are welcome to attend to remember colleagues and friends. We look forward to seeing you on the evening.

Golden Year's Club

Annual Church **Gate Collection** This Weekend

Ministries Rota, Sat 15th Sun, 16th Nov

Readers Sat. 7.00 pm Geraldine Moore Sun. 11.30 am Margaret Keegan Ministers of Holy Communion Sat. 7.00 pm Sheila Cullen, Mai Murphy

Sun. 11.30 am Peter Middleton, Bernie Phelan Collectors for Nov.

Sat. Niamh D'Hara Sun. Anthony Deegan

Ballyfin Players Present Three | Act Plays "Raid at Clontyglass 1921"

* "The Hired Help" * "The Yank Outsider" Arts Centre. Mt.mellick Fri. 14th Sat. 15th (Main Auditorium) 7.30 pm nightly Tickets on willwego.com The Deadman's and O'Gorman's

Your usual generosity much appreciated

Mountrath Parish Lotto Thurs. 6th Nov.

Nos Drawn 13 19 20 24

1 Jackpot Winner Congrats. to Holohan Family, Promoter Chris, Holoban 9 Match 3 Rec. € 112 each 2 Local Winners Morrin Family

Promoter, Teresa Morrin Colm and Noel McGrath Promoter, Margaret McGrath Next Week's Jacknot €10.000