

St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 17th Sun. 18th Oct. 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Name of Parish App. *Mountrath and Ballyfin Parishes*

Mass Times Anniversaries Sat. 10th to Sun. 18th Oct.

Mass times as listed below are for Mountrath Ch. unless otherwise indicated

Sat. 17th Oct. 7.00 pm Donal Kirwan, Clonard. 3rd Anniv.

Seamus Ryan, Patrick St., 12th Anniv.

Mick and Betty Farrell,

Bernard O'Keeffe (Snr) Woodbrook 23rd Anniv.

Sun. 18th Oct. 9.00 am **The Hollow Church**

11.30 am Annie Patterson, Patrick St., and her

daughter, Margaret (Peg) Maguire, New Line Road.

Teresa McHugh, (Formerly Upper Ballyfin)

Tues. 20th Oct. 10.00 am

Wed. 21st Oct. 10.00 am

Thurs. 22nd Oct. 10.00 am

Fri. 23rd Oct. 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead.

Sat. 24th Oct. 7.00 pm Bernie Tynan, Fr. O'Connor Cresc. 1st Anniv.

Sheila Gee, 3 Woodbrook. 3rd Anniv.

Sun. 25th Oct. 9.00 am **The Hollow Church**

11.30 am Keith Russell, Fr. O'Connor Cresc. 8th Anniv.

1st Anniversary Mass Remembrance

Tues. 3rd Nov. 10.00 am Brendan Murtagh, Woodbrook.

Annual Mass Remembrance for Deceased members of

St. Fintan's G.A.A. Club, Mountrath - Sat. 21st Nov 7.00 pm Mass

Mountrath Parish Lotto Thurs. 15th Oct.

Nos. Drawn 2 8 20 25

No Jackpot Winner

15 Match 3's Rec. € 67 each

4 Local Winners

Winner Ciara Holmes Promoter Bernie Phelan

Lucy Conroy

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Lorraine Doheny

Margaret Doheny

Niall and Susan Kearns

Catherine Kearns

**Next
Week's
Jackpot
€ 18,000**

Andrew (Andy) Phelan, Old Borris, Castletown.(Formerly Main St., Mountrath) R.I.P.

We pray for Andy who died peacefully at his home on Mon. 12th Oct. Andy's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Edmund's Church, Castletown on Thurs. 15th Oct. followed by burial in Churchtown Cemetery. We extend sympathy to his family, Phyllis and family, sons Michael, Alan, David, Gary and Carl and their families, sister Hilda and family, grandchildren Aisling, Aoife, Cathal, Eoghan, Hannah, Callum, Kali, Siorcha and Andrew, great-granddaughter Caragh, extended family, neighbours and friends. Many of us will remember Andy as the proprietor of the "White Horse Inn" on Main St., (In its time, "The White Horse Inn" comprised a grocery shop and 3 Bars) -- Andy, Phyllis and family retired from the pub and grocery business in 1992 when they moved to their new home in Old Borris, Castletown.

Maureen Harper (Nee Russell) (Formerly Patrick St) R.I.P.

We pray for Maureen who died peacefully at her home in Clapton, London on 7th Oct. We extend sympathy to brothers, Fintan and Buddy and their families and all her family, relatives and friends.

May Andy and Maureen rest in the peace of Christ.

Synodal Pathway Update

The Synodal Assembly takes place this Saturday with delegates, including from our Diocese, addressing 35 proposals that have come through the last number of years of discernment nationally. The Assembly will decide on each proposal whether to Highly Recommend; Recommend; Needs further discernment; Do not recommend. The Assembly's response will then be received by the Bishops for the next step of discernment and implementation. The preparatory document for Saturday is very worthwhile reading for all involved in Parish life, It gives a clear vision of Church that has emerged through the participation of thousands across Ireland in the universal and national processes in recent years, as well as laying out the proposals themselves. The document can be read on Kandle.ie and synod.ie

Service of Commemoration of Faithful Departed Mountrath Cemetery Sun. 1st Nov. 2.00 pm

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

St Brigid's Parish, Kildare Run to Remember

5k Run, Walk or Jog takes places on November 1st at 12pm starting at KTCS Kildare Town. Register at www.justrunevents.ie Adults €15,

Children and OAP's €10,
Family of Four €40

Safeguarding Children Parish Reps

Ballyfin Triona O'Rourke - Peter Byrne

Mountrath Caroline Moore Pacelli Walsh

Deputy Diocesan Liaison

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The Laois County Fire & Rescue Service are providing Free Smoke Alarms which will be installed by crews to support older and vulnerable people in Laois.



Laois County Fire & Rescue Service

Smoke Alarm Initiative

The smoke alarm initiative aims to support older or vulnerable people in our community and help them live in their own home with independence and safety in mind.

If you are in this category or know someone that would benefit from a free smoke alarm please contact the details below to register your interest and / or receive a free fire safety in the home booklet.

Email: lo@localink.ie or fireadmin@laoiscoco.ie
Tel: 057 86 92168

