

## St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> - Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> Aug. 24<sup>th</sup> Sun. in Ord. Time

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Name of Parish App. *Mountrath and Ballyfin Parishes*

### Mass Times – Anniversaries Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> to Sun. 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept.

Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. 7.00 pm Vigil Mass - 24<sup>th</sup> Sun. Ord. Time.

Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> Sept. 9.00 am *The Hollow Ch.* William and Mary Seale,

Jim and Molly Seale and their son, Michael, Clonadacasey.

11.30 pm 24<sup>th</sup> Sun. In Ord. Time

Michael and Frances Keegan, Main St.,

Son and daughter, Pearse and Regina and their grandson, Cathal.

Tues. 17<sup>th</sup> Sept. 10.00 am

Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Sept. 10.00 am

Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> Sept 10.00 am Gerry Cushen, Sentry Hill.

Fri. 20<sup>th</sup> Sept. 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead.

Sat. 21<sup>st</sup> Sept 7.00 pm Mary Wallis, Stillbrook. Month's Mind.

Denise Delaney (Nee Reynolds) Kiln Lane. 1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.

Sun. 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept 9.00 am *The Hollow Ch.*

11.30 am 25<sup>th</sup> Sun. in Ord. Time.

### Month's Mind Masses

Sun. 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 11.30 am Seán Dooley, Fr. O'Connor Cresc.

Sat. 5<sup>th</sup> Oct. 7.00 pm Frances Thompson (nee Doocey) Woodbrook.

### Kildare and Leighlin Safeguarding Training Schedule

Autumn/Winter at Portlaoise Parish Centre

1. Safeguarding Refresher Session. Thurs. 19<sup>th</sup> Sept. 7pm-9pm

2. Full Day Safeguarding Training Sat. 12<sup>th</sup> Oct. 10am-4pm

### Guide Dogs for the Blind

Irish Guide Dogs for The Blind,  
Church Gate Collection on Sat. 28<sup>th</sup>  
Sun. 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. Your continued  
support is very much appreciated.

### Season of Creation 2024:

The season of Creation takes  
place throughout the Christian  
world from 1 September to 4  
October. This year's theme is -  
To Hope and Act with Creation.

### Camross CCE Branch

Registration for 2024/2025 for all Music and Set Dancing classes will  
take place on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2024 in Camross Hall from 6pm -  
8pm. Please contact Secretary Ann Cuddy 087-4067313 - All Music  
classes will resume on Mon. 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. - Details will be sent to parents by  
text or whats app.

### 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

### Rose Ann (Rose) Meleady (née Redmond) Glasnevin. Mountrath, R.I.P.

We pray for Rose who died peacefully at the Mater Hosp., on Sun. 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. Rose's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St.  
Canice's Church, Finglas on Thurs. 12<sup>th</sup> Sept. followed by committal ceremony at Glasnevin Crematorium. We extend  
sympathy to her daughters and son and their families, the Redmond family, Redcastle - The Hooban family, Upper Sconce  
and all her family, sisters Sheila and Joan, brother Bernie and their families, nieces,  
nephews, relatives, friends and neighbours. *May Rose rest in the peace of Christ*

### Visit of the Relic of

St Bernadette

Carlow Cathedral

7<sup>th</sup> Oct. - Church of

St. Peter and Paul,

Portlaoise

Tues. 8<sup>th</sup> Oct.

Full details later

### Scoil Bhríde Celebrating

40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

of the Opening of their School  
at Stillbrook

Sun. 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2.00 pm - 5.00 pm

You are most welcome to attend  
this very special occasion

### Mountrath Parish Lotto 12<sup>th</sup> Sept.

Nos. Drawn 2 6 11 16

No Jackpot Winner

23 Match 3's Won € 44 each

5 Local Winners

Winner

Promoter

Mark and Marie Dollard Betty Phelan

Rose Cunningham Frances Byrne.

Lorraine Glynn Bernie Phelan

R. O'Brien M. Farrell

Helena Consedine Catherine Burke

Next Week's Lotto € 20,000

*Thank you for your support*

### Ministries Rota Sat 21<sup>st</sup> Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept.

Readers Sat. 7.00 pm John Mulhare  
Sun 11.30 am Michael Keegan

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat. 7.00 pm Sheila Cullen Mai Murphy  
Sun 11.30 am Dolores Mulhare Elaine Doheny

Collectors for September

Sat. 7.00 pm Niamh O'Hara  
Sun 11.30 am Anthony Deegan

### National Ploughing Championships 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> Sept.

*A Note from the Diocesan Office.*

Once again, the Diocese will be present in Ratheniska for the  
"Ploughing" this year. At our Diocesan Stand 221 visitors will be invited to pledge  
their desire for peace in our world by placing a coloured pin on a specially designed  
St. Brigid's Cross, which, we hope, will be presented to Pope Francis next year  
during World Youth Day in Rome. The St Brigid's Cloak created on the Stand last  
year will be on display, a vivid reminder of the importance of our Diocesan Patron  
Saint and the 1500<sup>th</sup> anniversary which we are currently celebrating.  
Bishop Denis especially looks forward to welcoming the many people from our  
parishes to the ploughing. The 'Pledge Your Pin For Peace' initiative will be a  
practical way of expressing our 'no' to the horrific wars that are affecting the lives  
of so many all over the globe. It is hoped that in pledging a pin for  
peace people will make a commitment to pray for peace.