

Pray for

David Appleby, Pairc Mhuire who was interred in Bagenalstown Cemetery on Sunday.

Katie Hynes nee Murphy, Cheltenham, England & Ballyphenan (*sister of John Murphy & Sheila Kavanagh*)

Seamus Dooley, Pairc Mhuire who was interred in Bagenalstown Cemetery on Saturday.

MONTHS MIND

Josephine Egan, 64 Conway Park. Mass on Sunday 29th September in Parish Church at 11:30am.

1st Anniversary

Fintan Fogarty, Galway & Dunleckney. Mass on Saturday 28th September in Bagenalstown Church at 6:00pm.

ANNIVERSARIES

Josephine Brophy, 55 St. Brigids Crescent

Roger Lill, 2 Pairc Mhuire

John Dargan, Bagenalstown

Michael O'Riordan, Regent Street

Mary Quinlisk, Glenaharry

Tony Carton, Kilree

John Tobin, Kilree

Dan Wall, Rathellan

Brigid Walsh, Aughabeg

Elizabeth & William Lillis, St. Brigids Crescent

Betty Lillis, St. Brigids Crescent

Michael Lillis, St. Brigids Crescent

Ellen Kinsella, Royal Oak Road

Jim & Kitty Farrell, Pairc Mhuire

Johanna Farrell, Heath, Corries

These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 4th & Saturday 5th October 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

First Friday Anniversaries Mass 4th October at 7:00pm in Newtown Church

Josef Basova, Papradno, Slovakia

Sarah Dobbs, Ballywilliamroe

Mary Deane, Carlow

Edward Power, Boherduff

Mary Byrne, Ballybromhill

John Nolan, Ballytarsna, Nurney

John Challendar, Sydney, Australia & Ballytarsna

James & Anne Kinsella, Ballytimmon

Valentine 'Val' Brooks, 2 Ashgrove,

Fenagh

Dan Ryan, 10 Fenagh

Ciss Kane nee Murray, Manchester

& Ballaghaderneen

First Friday Anniversaries Mass 4th October at 8:00pm in Ballinkillen Church

Kathleen Cahill, Knockullard

Johanna Farrell, Heath, Corries

Annie & Peter Kelly, Kilcruit

Kathleen Kelly, Kilcruit

Birdie Kelly, Kilcruit

Patsy Kelly, Kilcruit

Liam Kelly, Kilcruit

Lar Farrell, Ballycormack

Margaret & Tom Cummins

Brigid Walsh, Aughabeg

Maeve Hughes, Ballinkillen

Margaret Breslin, Ballycormack

Betty Joyce, Corries

Brigid Whelan, Clowater

Paul & Elizabeth Brennan, son

Thomas & daughter Bernadette

Gavigan, Kennedy Street, Carlow

Tom & Molly Byrne, Glenaharry

Michael Byrne, Glenaharry

Lily Byrne, Glenaharry

James & Mary Cummins, Skahanrane

Lar Farrell, Ballycormack

James Farrell, Ballinkillen

James Doyle, Ballymartin, Borris

Bagenalstown Parish

Yearbook 2024 The ever-popular Yearbook returns for your Christmas reading pleasure. The latest date for the acceptance of your story, article, essay, club, association or school news is 1 October 2024. No exception will be made to this date. Please email to bagenalstownyearbook@gmail.com. Photographs should be sent as jpegs. The Yearbook committee would welcome new members to the committee. Any queries should be directed to Ann Power 9722042 or Michael Lakes 087-2675661 or any committee member.

Medjugorje Prayer Group

Meeting in Our Lady's Chapel Bagenalstown Church. **EVERY** Tuesday after 10:00am Mass. *All welcome*

Myles Kavanagh's new book

'Carlow Life Episodes' will be launched by recent retired Chancellor of U.C.D. Maurice Manning after 15 years of service on **Friday 18th October at 8.00pm in St. Andrew's Church. Profits of sale of the book 'Carlow Life Episodes' will go towards the maintenance of St. Andrew's Church.**

St. Vincent De Paul Helpline 086-4042631

'You Are Not Alone Family Support Group'

support for family members impacted by a relative's drug or alcohol use. Meetings take place in the Askea Parish Centre every Wednesday for further information contact 085-7872730.

Eucharistic Adoration Every Tuesday 7:00pm-8:00pm in Parish Church. All welcome *"We need to recover a sense of awe and adoration before the Eucharist knowing it is the real and loving presence of the Lord"*

Ballinkillen/Lorum Community Centre

Bingo every Monday @ 8pm. Monday 30th Sep Jackpot €900 *Everyone welcome.*

For enquiries about **Ballinkillen GAA Club Gym Membership 2024** don't hesitate to get in touch with 087 7434669

Equal Vibes disco for individuals with special needs on Saturday 5th Oct in BLCCC

Quiz Night in the bar on Fri 11th Oct Table of 4, €5/person.

The Last Tango - music in the bar on Bank Holiday Sunday 27th Oct

Exploring a Vocation to Priesthood Information Day

An information day for those interested in exploring a vocation to the priesthood will take place in University College Dublin on the 12th October. More details from vocations.ie/explore

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired

Meeting on Monday 30th September at 2:30pm in the Parish Centre. Welcome Tony O'Brien as our new Chairperson and Michael Lakes as Secretary. Refreshments served at 2:30pm followed by Chair Yoga & Relaxation with Mairead Darcy from 3pm-4pm. Bowls on Thursday & Friday at 2:30pm in the Parish Centre. Pickle Ball on Tuesday at 1:45pm in Old Leighlin Hall. **Date for diary:** New Committee will meet on Monday 7th October in the Parish Centre at **1:45pm**. Members meeting at 2:30pm.

LIVE WEBCAM from our Parish Church which can be viewed from our Parish website—www.bagenalstownparish.ie

FUNERALS

24 HOUR Notice is required from the Family if they wish to have Funeral Mass recorded.

PARISH RADIO tune in for Mass go to **106.9fm**

In Praise of Brigit

In Praise of Brigit 524-2024 is the title of a one-day conference dedicated to the fascinating figure of St Brigit at Glenstal Abbey on Saturday 26th October. For further information phone 061 621005 or email: events@glenstal.com All are welcome.

The Parishioners at St Mary's Church, Convoy, Co Donegal F93 FX66 invite you to spend some time with them at the **Divine Mercy Alcove** on the weekend of 5 and 6 October, St Faustina's Weekend. On Saturday 5 October we will have our usual Divine Mercy Devotions (9.30am-10.30am) followed by a prayerful reflection on Divine Mercy (11.30am-12.30pm) and in the afternoon Divine Mercy Stations (3pm-4pm). On Sunday 6 October there will be Devotions in the afternoon (2pm-4pm). You are also very welcome to join for normal weekend Masses. For More information phone Fr Kelly on 0879077985

Invitation to Meditation: Carlow Meditation Group meets on Monday evenings from 7 pm to 7:45 pm in the Cathedral Parish Centre, College Street, Carlow - *excluding bank holidays. Meditation, the universal practice of silent contemplation, can awaken the heart, deepen our spiritual sensitivity and promote our wellbeing. All are welcome - no experience needed. No need to book – just turn up on any Monday evening!* (Noel Keating, 087 2251183)

Runners and Walkers wanted for Outrun Hunger 5k

Whether you run, jog, or walk you can help St Clare's Hospitality Food Kitchen, Carlow 'Outrun Hunger'. Sat Oct 19th 10am - Carlow Rugby Club, Oak Park, Carlow R93 RX25 Registration opens 8.30am. Refreshments & prize-giving afterwards in Carlow Rugby Club, T-shirts, medals & refreshments for all participants. So, lace up your runners and let's help those in our community who are experiencing food insecurity! For every €2 raised, we can provide a meal to those in need in St Clare's food Kitchen, Graiguecullen, Carlow. Book your place today by logging on to www.popupraces.ie/race/outrun-hunger or call Jacqui on 0868283637 for more info.

Accord Carlow

Marriage Preparation Programme Places available on the following dates 11th & 2nd October, 8th & 9th November Book your place today on www.accord.ie

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'CHURCH NOTICES'

26th Sunday of the Year

29th September 2024

Visit of the Relic of St Bernadette to Carlow Cathedral

The Relics of St. Bernadette will visit the

Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow on Monday 7th October.

The Relics will be received by Bishop Denis at the **10am** Mass.

A water ritual, with water from the Grotto, is scheduled for **12noon**

Mass for the Sick and the Sacrament of the Sick will be celebrated at **3pm**. The visit of the Relics will conclude with a torch light procession at **8pm**. The torch light procession will commence at both Holy Family Church, Askea and St. Claire's Church, Graiguecullen. The Relics may be visited throughout the day in the Cathedral, which will remain open on the evening **until 10pm**, the visit of the relics concluding with a prayer of thanksgiving. The relics will visit the Church of Ss Peter and Paul, Portlaoise on Tuesday 8th October.

FIRST FRIDAY MASSES 4th October 2024

First Friday Anniversary Mass in Newtown Church at **7:00pm**

First Friday Anniversary Mass in Ballinkillen Church at **8:00pm**

IMPORTANT: FOR NEXT YEAR 2025

Changes to Graveyard Mass time

Annual Graveyard Masses in the parish will

change to the earlier time of 7:00pm from next year

June 2025 and continue going forward.

Please share this with everyone to help spread the word of the earlier time of all Graveyard Masses in the Parish next year at 7:00pm.

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Parish Office Hours: Mon/Tues/Thurs 9:30-5pm / Fri 9:30-12noon

(Office closed Wednesday)

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