#### **ANNIVERSARIES**

Helen Halligan, 25 Eastwood Mollie Ferrissey, 17 Pairc Mhuire Michael Kavanagh Jnr, High Street Noel Monaghan, Fr Cummins Park Michael Kelly, Nurney & Green Road

Friday 18th & Saturday 19th October 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

#### **Medjugorje Prayer Group**

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

#### **Mission Sunday20th**

October—next weekend please give your support Extra envelopes in church if needed

St. Vincent De Paul Helpline 086-4042631 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 These Anniversaries will be prayed for on sale of the book 'Carlow Life Episodes' will go towards the maintenance of St. Andrew's Church.

#### **TABLE QUIZ**

Garyhill I.C.A. are holding a Table Quiz in The Hunters Rest, Fenagh on Thursday 17th October at 8:30pm. *Table of 4* €40

Project on St Molappoge's Holy Well in Lorum, we would be interested to hear your stories surrounding the holy well in Lorum. Please contact Louise on 0860728398

#### **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 .

# **PDLS College**

Presents: SISTERS ACT OUT in the College hall. Wed 23rd. Thurs 24th & Friday 25th October at 8:00pm. €15ad.

€10student from School office. Raffle on each night.

#### Living Well Expo: Empowering **Older Adults in County Carlow-**

We warmly invite all members of the community to participate in the Living Well Expo, where together we can cultivate a more age-friendly environment in County Carlow. The event will kick off at 10.30am sharp with tea, coffee, and scones on arrival. Sandwiches will be served at 1pm. The speakers and information stands will be followed by a Tea Dance in the afternoon. For more information about the Living Well Expo, please contact the Age Friendly Carlow office at 087 2145262 / 059 9136207. Event Details: Living Well Expo, Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 10.30am – 2.00pm Speakers and Information Stands, 2.00pm – 4.00pm Tea Dance. Woodford Dolmen Hotel Adm: Free

## **Ballinkillen/Lorum Community Centre**

**Bingo** every Monday @ 8pm. Monday 7th Oct Jackpot €950 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 - Bank Holiday Sunday 27th Oct Music in the bar: 9th Nov Ruairi Flynn 30th Nov Benny Culleton

**Zoom Meeting with Fáinche** Ryan, Associate Professor of Theology at the Lovola Institute. **Trinity College Dublin** 

Zoom - Thurs Oct 31st. 2024 - 8.00 p.m. The Second Vatican Council reminded us that the **Eucharist** is 'the source and summit of the Christian life' (Lumen Gentium 11), while Augustine, in a homily on the Eucharist advised "It is your own mystery that you are receiving! You are saying "Amen" to what you are ... " This presentation will seek to explain something of the mystery of this gift of the Eucharist, of what it means for a baptised person to participate in the Eucharist, and also the impact of what it means to say that the Church makes the Eucharist while at once the Eucharist makes the Church. The presentation aims to be both instructive and challenging and to go some way toward addressing the many questions put to me over the years about this mystery we receive. Zoom meeting details: https://us02web.zoom.us/ i/81815247072?

pwd=3IV9c72jKCuBnBC4dsbJPVWrkHa QOL.1 Meeting ID: 818 1524 7072 Passcode: 066723

**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"

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired

Meeting on Monday 14th October at 2:30pm in the Parish Centre. Refreshments followed by demonstration of silk flower arranging by Marian Graham from Doyles of the Shamrock, Carlow Bowls on Thursday & Friday at 2:30pm in the Parish Centre. Pickle Ball on

## 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.

**Synod News** The second general assembly of the Synod on Synodality is taking place in Rome from October 2-27. You can keep up to date on what is happening at the synod on the following accounts: Twitter/X: @Synod\_va Facebook:

www.facebook.com/svnod.va Instagram: www.instagram.com/ synod.va/ while a daily press briefing can be found on Vatican News at www.vaticannews.va/en/

**Synodality: Path and Practices Online** Course 2024 The online course will be delivered via Zoom from 7.00 pm to 9.00 pm over 6 nights (6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> November and 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> December). Speakers include: Bishop Brendan Leahy, Bishop Michael Router, Julie Ann Moran, Dr Anne Codd, Dr Oonagh O'Brien and Bishop Patricia Storey.

Booking/Enquiries to: The Secretary 057 8626153

Email: secretary@mountstannes.com For full detail of these and all our courses see www.mountstannes.com.

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**KANDLE** is Calling

Bishop Denis Nulty Announces New Lav Pastoral Minister Training Programme in Diocese of Kildare and Leighlin

The Diocese of Kildare and Leighlin, under the leadership of Bishop Denis Nulty, is inviting people with the courage to step forward and answer an important call to service. A new training programme has been developed to equip laypeople with the essential skills they need to serve as Lay Pastoral Ministers within parishes and pastoral areas. The Lay Pastoral Ministers (Diploma in Pastoral Ministry, Level 7) programme aims to nurture and develop the talents of lay leaders, preparing them to undertake significant roles within their parishes and pastoral areas. "The role of laypeople in our Church is crucial to ensure we invigorate faith in our communities. This is an exciting and important opportunity for people who want to explore their faith on a deeper level and be part of the future of our Church." Members of the public are being invited to a series of information meetings across the diocese to find out more about the Diploma in Pastoral Ministry, Level 7. These meetings will offer an opportunity to anybody who is curious to learn more about the course, its objectives, and the benefits it offers to participants and their communities. Information Sessions take place as follows: - Monday, 4th November: Mount Wolseley, Tullow. - Tuesday, 5th November: Westgrove Hotel, Clane. - Wednesday, 6th November: Solas Bhríde, Kildare Town - Thursday, 7th November: Dolmen Hotel, Carlow. - Wednesday, 13th November: Parish

Centre, Leighlinbridge

- Thursday, 14th November: Mount Saint Anne's, Killenard

All meetings will commence at 7.30 pm, with tea and coffee available from 7.15pm Further information from Patrick Roche, Diocesan Director of Parish Development, Ph 083/8305681;

email parisgdevelopment@kandle.ie

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## BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN 'CHURCH NOTICES'

28th Sunday of the Year

13th October 2024

# **Pray for**

John Murphy, Pairc Mhuire. Funeral arrangements later.

#### **1st Anniversary**

Peter Minchin, Coolnacuppogue. Mass on Sunday 13th October in Ballinkillen Church at 10:00am.

# Visit to the Housebound will be attended

this week Monday 14th October

**Monday** Town Area

Monday Ballinkillen Area & Newtown Area

Fr Declan will visit on Wednesday.

MISSIONARIES OF AFRICA will speak at all Masses THIS SUN-

**DAY** and will take up a collection for their missions. White Fathers of Africa

#### **Confirmation**

**Dates 2025** 

Nurnev NS on 1st March 2025 11:00am Newtown St. Brigids Boys NSon 8th March 2025 at 11:00am Bagenalstown Church

**Ballinkillen NS** on 22nd March 2025 11:00am Ballinkillen Church

Oueen of the Universe NS on 29th March 2025 11:00am Bagenalstown Church

Newtown Dunleckney NS on 5th April2025 11:00am Newtown Church

#### **First Holy Communion Dates 2025**

Ballinkillen NS on3rd May 2025 at 11:00am Ballinkillen Church St. Brigids Boys NS on10th May 2025 at 11:00am Bagenalstown Church

Newtown Dunleckney NS on 17th May 2025 at 11:00am Newtown Church

Queen of the Universe NS on 24th May 2025 at 11:00am Bagenalstown Church