St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 28th - Sun. 29th Aug. 2021 22nd Week in Ordinary Time Fr. P.J. Fitzgerald C.C. (087) 605 5783 Fr. Joe (087) 2411 594 Mountrath Parish Radio transmits on FM 104.5 www.mountrathparish.ie Email jmbrophy2@gmail.com

Mass Times – Anniversaries Sat. 28th Aug. – Sun. 5th Sept.

Sat. 28th Aug. 7.00 pm Paddy Dowling, Ballyfin Rd., 2nd Anniv.

Thomas, Eileen and Noel McKevitt, Main St.,

Sun. 29th Aug. 9.00 am The Hollow Church

11.30 am Marie Kissane (Nee Miller) Main St., 4th Anniv.

Deceased members of Miller and Kissane Families.

Mon. 30th Aug. 10.00 am Tues. 31st Aug. 10.00 am

Wed. 1st Sept., 10.00 am

Thurs. 2nd Sept. 10.00 am

Fri 3rd Sept. 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead.

Agnes Byrne, Main St., 14th Anniv. Sil and Maura Fitzpatrick,

Eileen and Bob Deacon, Shannon St.

Sat. 4th Sept. 7.00 pm Andy and Mary McGrath, The Square. Micheál Mulhare (Br. Bosco)

Elizabeth (Lily) Russell, Clonad (formerly Patrick St) 3rd A

Sun. 5th Sept. 9.00 am The Hollow Church

Safeguarding Children Parish

Representatives

Mountrath Parish Caroline Moore and Pachelli

Ballyfin Parish Triona O'Rourke and Peter Byrne

Diocesan Designated Liaison Person:

Ms. Kathleen Sherry

Deputy Diocesan Liaison Person:

Ms Michelle Hughes

. 11.30 am 23rd Sun. Ord. Time.

Mountrath Parish Lotto 26th Aug

Nos. Drawn 1 10 15 24 No Winner of €20,000 Jackpot. New Jackpot €20,000 12 Match 3 Rec. €84

Daniel and Aidan Rankins - Promoter. M. Farrell - Margaret Delaney, Promoter, Declan Fitzpatrick. - Declan Bergin -

Parish Visitation

Mountrath Town

Wed. 1st September

Ballyfin Parish

Thurs. 2nd September

Mountrath Country

Tues. 7th Sept.

4 Incal Winners.

Promoter, Celine Cripps . - Joe Williams - Promoter, Michael O'Connor

Mary Lynch (née Fitzpatrick) Woodside, New York, Trumera. R.I.P.

We pray for Mary who passed away peacefully on Sun. 8th Aug. in the loving care of her husband Eddie. Pre-deceased by her parents, Laurence and Catherine Fitzpatrick, her infant brother Laurence and her nephew Lorcan. Deeply regretted by her loving husband and best friend Eddie, her brothers and sisters Rita (New York), Nonie, Lily, Joe, Peg, Michael, Bridie (Australia) and John, nieces, nephews, cousins and her close friends in Woodside. Mary's funeral Mass took place at San Sebastian R. C. Church on Fri. 13th Aug. and she was laid to rest at St. John's Cemetery, Middle Village, New York. A memorial Mass for Mary will be celebrated in St. Fintan's Church, Mountrath on Sun. 5th Sept. at 2pm. This Mass can be viewed on www.mountrathparish.ie

Donnchadh Ó Riordáin, Clonincurragh, Dromahane, Cork R.I.P.

We pray for Donnchada who died peacefully at his home on Fri. 20th Aug. Donnchada's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Edmund's Church, Castletown on Mon. 23rd Aug. followed by burial in Aghaboe Cemetery. We extend sympathy to his wife Mary, children Pádraig, Seosamh, Máire and Donnchadh, sisters Joan, Sister Gabriel Joseph (Maura), and families, grandchildren Caitríona, Cillian, Alec and Mia, daughters-in-law Teresa and nephews, nieces, extended family, relatives and a large circle of friends.

May Mary and Donnchada rest in the peace of Christ

Donnchadh Ó Riordáin, R.L.P.

Donnchada who hailed from Dromahane, Cork, graduated from Bolton St., College of Technology and taught in Rathdowney and Portlaoise before being appointed Principal of the newly established St. Aengus Vocational School in Mountrath when it first opened its doors in 1969 and where he laboured until his retirement in 1988.

Donnchada had a deep social conscience, and was heavily involved in many aspects of life in Mountrath over the many years he lived among us. He was Secretay of Mountrath Development Association, member of the local Conference of St. Vincent de Paul Society, member of Slieve Bloom GAA. He prepared the Mountrath Community Notes for the Leinster Express Newspaper for a number of years. He loved music and was an accomplished musician and singer, was very artistic, his medium being bog oak and bog yew. Many a mantle piece and home is graced with fine examples of his intricate and painstaking creations - one very notable piece even found its way to Aras an Uachtaráin during the time of Mary Robinson's presidency. The fine piece in the sanctuary area of St. Edmund's Church in Castletown is but one example of his beautiful artistic creations. Donnchada, your life and many gifts certainly enriched our lives here in Mountrath.