St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 18th Mch. - Sun. 19th Mch. '23 4th Sun. of Lent Fr. P.J. Fitzgerald S.P.S. (087) 605 5783 Fr. Joe (087) 2411 594 www.mountrathparish.ie Email jmbrophy2@gmail.com

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Mass Times – Anniversaries Fri. 17th to Sun. 26th Mch.

Fri. 17th Mch. 9.00 am The Hollow Ch. Paddy and Mary Hosey, Trumera. 11.30 am John, Lucy and Noel Lally, Shannon Rd.,

Kathleen Walsh, R.I.P. (Kathleen died on 16th March)

Sat. 18th Mch. 7.00 pm Maurice Healy, Ballyfin Road. 8th Anniv

Nuala Healy , Ballyfin Road. 17th Anniv.

Sun. 19th Mch. 9.00 am The Hollow Church

Fr. James Hurley (Fr. James died on Sun. 5th March)

11.30 am James and Kathleen Fitzpatrick and deceased

 $members\ of\ Fitzpatrick\ Family.$

Mon. 20th Mch., 10.00 am Feast of St. Joseph, Spouse of Blessed Virgin Mary

(Transferred from yesterday)

Tues. 21st Mch. 10.00 am Wed. 22nd Mch. 10.00 am Thur. 23rd Mch. 10.00 am Ist Anniv Mass for Bishop Jim Moriarty will be celebrated on Sun. Mch 26th at 7pm in Carlow Cathedral.

Altar List of the Dead.

Michael and Christina Tobin, St. Fintan's Terrace. The Hollow Church. Anne Heffernan, Clonkeen. Breda, Joan and Ita Mac Carthy, Portlaoise Road.

Month's Mind Mass

Sat. 1st April 7.00 pm Adam Kirwan, R.I.P. Derrough

Safeguarding Children Parish Reps

11.30 am

Fri. 24th Mch. 10.00 am

Sat. 25th Mch. 7.00 pm

Sun. 26th Mch. 9.00 am

Ballyfin Parish Triona O'Rourke and Peter Byrne Mountrath Parish. Caroline Moore and Pachelli Walsh Diocesan Designated Liaison Person: Ms. Kathleen Sherry Deputy Diocesan Liaison Person: Ms Michelle Hughes c/o Bishop's Hse, Dublin Rd, Carlow 085 802 1633 Ballyfin Mountrath Mountmellick
Pilgrimage to Lourdes
2nd August – 9th August 2023
Contact Person - Eleanor Duff

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David Gerard (Gerry) Seale, Clonenagh R.I.P.

We pray for Gerry who died preacefully at Regional Hosp., Tullamore on Tues. 14th March. Gerry's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Fintan's Church, Mountrath on Fri. 17th March followed by burial in Mountrath Cemetery. We extend sympathy to sons, Adrian, Colm and David, daughter Kathy and brother Tony. Sisters-in-law Eilish and Mairead, brothers-in-law John Joe and Harry, nephews, nieces, cousins, friends and neighbours. (Gerry's beloved wife, Kathleen died just over a year ago following a tragic farm accident) We keep and hold in our prayers, Adrian, Colm, David, Kathy and Tony (and their loved ones) at this very difficult time for the Seale family.

Thomas (Tom) Dooley, Clonaslee - Mountrath R.I.P.

We pray for Tom who died peacefully in Midlands Regional Hosp., Portlaoise on Mon. 13th March. Tom's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Mamman's Church, Clonaslee on Thurs. 16th March followed by burial in St. Manman's Cemetery, Clonaslee. We extend sympathy to daughter Teresa, son-in-law Seamus, grandchildren Hazel, Gavin and Dylan, brother Joe, sister-in-law Sal, (Sarah) (Portlaoise Road) brother-in-law, Jim (St. Fintan's Terrace) and their families. nieces Colette and Patricia, nephew Alan, grand niece and nephews, extended family, relatives, neighbours and friends.

May David Gerard and Thomas rest in the peace of Christ

Blood Donor Clinic at St. Fintan's Parish Hall, Mountrath

Thurs. 23rd March 3.45 pm - 8.00 pm Give Blood - Save a Life. - 1 in 4 of us will need a Blood Transfustion in our life time. - - - and 1 blood donation can save up to 3 lives.

Best wishes to all our Mothers on this Day -Sun. 19th March Mother's Day

We keep and hold in our thoughts and prayers at this time

People, their families and carers, who are ill or unwell – at home, in hospital or Nursing Home or undergoing any surgical or medical procedures. - We wish them a speedy recovery.

ACCORD - Marriage Preparation Facilitators

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Silver Screenings

The IMC Cinema, Fairgreen, Carlow are running a weekly over 60's club on Thursdays at 1.30pm. Latest releases, reduced volume, raised lighting and special rate of €7.