

St. Fintan's Parish, Ballyfin

Sat. 28th Sun. 29th July 2018. 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Times - Anniversaries Sat. 28th July - Sun. 5th Aug

Fri. 27th July 7.30 pm Edward O'Connell, Barkmills
Sat. 28th July 8.00 pm Mary Ann Madden.
Sun. 29th July 10.00 am Paddy Farrell, Kiln Lane. 5th Anniv.
Wed. 1st Aug. 7.30 pm Clondarrig Cemetery Mass
Fri. 3rd Aug. 7.30 pm Altar List of the Dead.
Sat. 4th Aug. 8.00 pm Daniel and Ita Dunphy, Esker.
Sun. 5th Aug. 10.00 am John and Ruby Seale, Clonboyne.

We remember in our Prayers

People who are ill (and their families) - in Hospital or in their Homes at this time

Ministries Rota 4th- 5th Aug.

Church Cleaning 6th Aug. Group 8
Collectors for August

Sat. Catherine Carroll - Austin Lanham. Sun. Stacey Connolly
Ministers of Holy Communion Group 1
Sat. Alacoque Gilligan Sheila Dowling
Sun. John McNamara Crescentia Phelan

A Thought

If at first you don't succeed - Then Skydiving is surely not meant for you

SVD Shop

Main St., Mountrath
SVP have organized a bus to the Phoenix Park for the Papal visit on Sun. 26th Aug. Book your seat in the VDP Shop - your ticket to the Park is attached to the seat - Seat is € 15

A Note from Bishop's Office

With just a few weeks to go to the World Meeting of Families 2018 we are opening up a new opportunity for those who have availability to volunteer for one day for WMDF2018. We are asking for Volunteer Papal Mass Stewards and Holy Communion Team volunteers for the Closing Mass of WMDF2018 which will take place in the Phoenix Park on Sunday 26th Aug. See www.worldmeeting2018.ie/en/Get-Involved/Volunteer/Volunteer-for-One-Day - for more info.

Opening of World Meeting of Families

Tues. 21st Aug 7:00 pm

Kildare and Leighlin Diocese will mark the Opening of the World Meeting of Families on 21st August with Bishop Denis leading us in Evening Prayer in Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow at 7:00 p.m. Perhaps we could run a bus to Carlow for this ??

Presentation to Fr. Pat

The Presentation of your kind donations to Fr. P Hennessey will be held on Mon. 6th Aug at 8.00pm in the SVP shop "Vincents" Main Street. Mountrath Fr. Pat will be there to meet you over a cup of tea and a bun or two. We look forward to meeting you there. All are really welcome.

Thanking you, William Fitzpatrick - 087 253 1112

Pilgrimages to Lough Derg 2018

The Three Day Pilgrimage can start on any day up to and including Monday 13th August. Advance booking is not necessary. For information regarding public transport telephone Lorraine on 071 985 1518 info@loughderg.org www.loughderg.org

Parish Visitation

Tues. 7th Aug Mountrath Country
Wed. 8th Aug Mountrath Town
Thurs. 9th Aug Ballyfin Parish

Items for both Parish Newsletters to - jmbrophy2@gmail.com

Parish Finances

14th / 15th July 2018

Envelopes Coll. (127) €981.00
Offertory Collection € 487.50
World Meeting of Families € 46.00
Peter Pence. € 92.50
Retired Priests Fund € 15.00
Easter Dues € 50.00

21st / 22nd July 2018

Envelopes Coll. (62) €453.50
Offertory Collection € 226.49
World Meeting of Families € 50.00
Peter Pence. € 125.00

Your generous support is very much appreciated

Mon 20th Aug

Relics of Saints Louis, Zéile and Thérèse of Liseux will be in The Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow.

Ballyfin Parish Lotto

Wed. 25th July 2018

Numbers Drawn 6 19 23 30
1 €10, 000 Jackpot Winner (Brian Guilfoyle, Abbeyleix)
17 Match 3 - Rec. €59 each
1 local Winner Damian Gorman - Promoter Anne Dunne
Next Week's Jackpot €10,000
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