

## St. Fintan's Parish, Mountrath

Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> - Sun. 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2017. 17<sup>th</sup> Sun. in Ordinary Time

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### Mass Times - Anniversaries Sat. 29<sup>th</sup> July - Sun. 6<sup>th</sup> Aug.

Sat. 29<sup>th</sup> July 7.00 pm Julia Connor, Clonenagh

Sun. 30<sup>th</sup> July 9.00 am Martin Lalor, Killiney.

11.30 am Mass of the People.

Mon. 31<sup>st</sup> July 10.00 am Kieran Farrell, Dysartbeigh.

Tues. 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 10.00 am James, Annie and Willie Roche, Shannon St.,

Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug 10.00 am Elizabeth Dowling, Dysartbeigh. (Changed from Thurs. 27<sup>th</sup>)

Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug 10.00 am

Fri. 4<sup>th</sup> Aug 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead.

Sat. 5<sup>th</sup> Aug 7.00 pm Paddy and Moira Kennedy, Shannon St. - (Paddy's 1<sup>st</sup> Anniv)

Sun. 6<sup>th</sup> Aug 9.00 am (The Hollow Ch.) Mass of the People.

11.30 am Olive Dooley, St. Fintan's Terrace, Month's Mind.

Sat. 12<sup>th</sup> Aug. 7.00 pm Richard Dowling Patrick St., 1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.

### Martin Fitzpatrick R.I.P. Patrick St., (Formerly Forest)

We pray for Martin Fitzpatrick, who died peacefully at his home on Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> July.

Martin's Funeral Mass was celebrated in St. Fintan's Parish Church, Mountrath on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> July followed by burial in St. Fintan' Cemetery, Mountrath. We extend sympathy to all Martin's family, sisters and brothers and their families, nieces, nephews, relatives, neighbours and friends. May Martin rest in the peace of Christ.

### Diocesan Picnic Day in Punchestown - Sun. 27<sup>th</sup> Aug.

Two families are asked to represent the Parish from among those who are travelling to the Diocesan Picnic on Sun. Aug. 27<sup>th</sup> at Punchestown Racecourse. Family 1 to carry the Parish Banner. Family 2 to participate in the Balloon Release. Please let Fr. Pat know (at the earliest convenience) if you would like to participate in either of these "jobs" on the Day. (Bishop's Office needs these names as soon as possible)

### We remember in our Prayers

People who are ill  
- at home or in  
Hospital at this time

### Month's Mind Masses in Ballyfin

Sat. 29<sup>th</sup> July 8.00 pm Gerry Conroy, Cappinrush

Fri. 4<sup>th</sup> Aug. 7.30 pm Bernard Thompson, Ard Erin

### Cemetery Masses (Ballyfin Parish)

Boughlone Cemetery Wed. 16<sup>th</sup> August 7.00 pm

### Volunteers Needed

For Stradbally Steam Rally. Join the team for a weekend of heritage and fun on Aug 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>. Call Debbie or Mary on 087 252 3161 to find out more.

### Aug. Parish Visitation

Mountrath Country Tues. 1<sup>st</sup> Aug

Mountrath Town Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug

Ballyfin Parish Thurs. 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug

### A Thought

Happiness -  
Is not having what we want  
It is more  
Appreciating what we have

### Cottage Market Mountrath

Bringing you all things Homegrown  
Homemade Hand crafted  
Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> August  
Macra Hall, Main St. 10am to 2pm.

### Laois Community and Voluntary Awards, 2017

Laois Co. Co. in participation with Laois Public Participation Network are proud to announce that Laois Community and Voluntary Awards, 2017 are being held on 17<sup>th</sup> Oct., 2017. Nomination Forms and details available from the Community Development Section or email [dce@laoiscoco.ie](mailto:dce@laoiscoco.ie). Closing date for Nominations is extended to Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2017.

### Irish Wheelchair Assoc.

### Church Gate Collection

In Mountrath and Ballyfin Parishes

This weekend

Permit issued on 16<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2017.

### Mountrath Parish Lotto

Thurs. 27<sup>th</sup> July 2017

Nos. Drawn 10 14 21 24

Jackpot € 20,000 - No Winner

16 Match 3 Each Rec. €63

Next Week's Jackpot € 20,000