

ENVELOPE COLLECTION

Total weekly envelope collection: €1,215. **Winner €33 is Frank & Rose Dowling, Clonegath.**

St. Vincent De Paul

Local helpline no. 086-404263

Bagenalstown Parish

Bingo Every Wednesday at

8:00pm in the McGrath Hall.

Please come and give your support and enjoy a great night.

Leighlinbridge and District Active

Retired: No meetings in months July and August. For Day Trip Monday 3rd July, bus will leave Church car park at 11.30. Enquiries with Jim 0868116506. We wish all our members an enjoyable and safe Summer season.

Readers:9th July

Sat 8th July 6:00pm

Graham Pender

Sun 9th July 8:00am

No Reader

Sun 9th July 11:30am

Annette Reddy

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 8th July

6:00pm Team A

Sunday 2nd July

8:00am Team A, 11:30am Team A

7:30pm Team A

28TH Annual Gala Benefit

Night at Kilkenny Track On Sunday 9th JULY 2017

First Race 7.30 P.M. ADMISSION, DRAW & RACE CARD.....€10.00

Our Draw on the night includes: 1st

Prize: 3 x BB + 2D @ any one of the 14 Great National Hotels for 2 People, **2nd Prize:** 3 x Day Tickets for Two to Galway Races, **3rd Prize:** 2 x All Ireland Semi-Final Tickets **PLUS NUMEROUS OTHER PRIZES, ALL KINDLY SPONSORED**

Christopher West in

Carlow College: Join

Christopher, a world renowned speaker and author who is coming to Carlow College on **July 7th at 7.30pm** to share Pope John Paul II's incredible vision of the human person, human love and the gift of our sexuality. This message has since spread around the world transforming hearts and minds. Come and be inspired! No fee, donation only and open to all. For more information email ask@purinheartireland.com

Wells Graveyard

Mass on Friday 7th July at 7:30pm.

BAGENALSTOWN-NEWTOWN-BALLINKILLEN

'CHURCH NOTICES'

13th Sunday of Year

2nd July, 2017

St. Andrews Parish Church Yard

Next meeting is in the Parochial House
MONDAY 3RD JULY AT 8:00PM

A good meeting took place last Tuesday. It is hoped to have the tenders back by the end of July with a contractor appointed in August. The job will cost between €80,000-€100,000 approx. We need to look at fundraising strategies, with ideas and support. So come along Monday night at 8:00pm in Parochial House.

FIRST FRIDAY 7th July 2017

Mass in Newtown Church at 7:00pm **Mass** in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm. **Confessions** on Saturdays from 10:30-11am and 5:30pm - 5:45pm in Parish Church

Eucharistic Adoration There will be **NO** Eucharistic Adoration in the Convent during the months of July and August beginning from **NEXT** Wednesday 5th July. *Adoration will resume again on 6th September.*

Bagenalstown Parish Yearbook 2017 Welcomes contributions from individuals, clubs, groups and organisations within the parish. There is a vast amount of work involved in preparing it for publication and as a consequence the *deadline for submissions* is **1st October, 2017**. All contributions must be sent by email: bagenalstownyearbook@gmail.com Photographs should be sent as jpegs. Any person or group who requires assistance of any kind including typing of their submission should contact **087-9845024** The committee looks forward to receiving contributions. ***So get writing.***

HAVE YOU A BABY FOR BAPTISM?

If you have a baby for Baptism, you are asked to book in and attend Baptismal Preparation Meeting in the Parochial House—the meeting is on the **second Monday of every month at 8:00pm**. For booking a place at the Baptismal Preparation meeting. Contact Eleanor in the Parish Office 9721154

Parish Office -Eleanor: 059 9721154

Fr Declan Foley: 087 6684299 Fr Declan Thompson: 087 0610473 /059 97 23886

Pamela Whelan (Parish Pastoral Minister): 085 8230207

Email: bagenalstownparish@gmail.com www.bagenalstownparish.ie
www.kandle.ie

PRAY FOR

Mattie Nolan, Southampton, England & Carrig.

MONTHS MIND

Una Minchin, Kilmarrig. Mass on Sunday 9th July at 11:30am in Parish Church.

FIRST ANNIVERSARIES

Joan Lawlor, 16 St. Brigids Crescent. Mass on Saturday 1st July at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

ANNIVERSARIES

William McDermott, Roscommon
Kathleen Lennon, St. Brigids Crescent
Patrick Lyons, 57 St. Brigids Crescent
Mary Lawlor, Pairc Mhuire
Catherine Trodden, St. Brigids Crescent
John Murphy, 42 Pairc Mhuire
Martin & Liz Flynn, Wells
Denis Byrne, St. Brigids Crescent
James McDonald, Barrett Street
John McDonald, Barrett Street
Mary Bolger, Fr Cummins Park
Noel McDonald, Fr Cummins Park
Eileen Curry, Main Street
Annie Phelan, Slyguff
Vincent Gallagher, Donegal
Esther O'Sullivan, 75 St. Brigids Crescent
Kathleen & Patrick Walsh, Green Road
Bridget Dermody, Oldtown
These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 7th & Saturday 8th July at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church.

First Friday Anniversaries on Friday 7th July at 7:00pm in Newtown

Michael Joseph Nolan, Clonagath
Charlie Curran, St. Brigids Crescent
Ellen Kelly, Kildrenagh
John Butler, Castletown, Carlow
Thomas Butler Jnr, Castletown, Carlow
Ikey O'Brien, Fenagh
Bridie Browne, Newtown, Nurney
John Aughney, Boherduff
Edward Aughney, Boherduff

First Friday Anniversaries on Friday 7th July at 8:00pm in Ballinkillen

Tommy Murray, Ballybromhill
Billy Murray, Corries
Dominic & Patricia Canavan,
Ballinree Jack Murphy, Kilgreaney
Brigid Power, Kilgreaney
Kate Kane, Curranree
Margaret Pender, Ballinkillen
Patrick Brennan, Timbergap

Carlow MABS(Money Advice & Budgeting Service)^{72d}

Tullow Street, Carlow Tel: 076 107 2070. **Free and confidential, Money Management and Advice Service**
Assisting people in dealing with their existing debts and helping them to begin to manage their own resources
MABS offers free Debt Relief Advice under Personal Insolvency options Community Education Programmes provided for Transition/Leaving Cert Students & Community Groups

EIST CANCER SUPPORT CENTRE

Do you have a spare four hours per week? Do you enjoy meeting new people and learning new things? The Eist centre is now taking on new Meet and Greet volunteers for one 4 hour shift per week. All training provided. We also need a small number of retired nurses to support the our general volunteers. If interested phone Valerie on 059 9139684.

Ballinkillen Lorum

Community Centre under the TÚS Programme are at present seeking three new TÚS employees. There are three separate positions (each working 19 and a half hours per week) Applicants must be on the live register for 12 months and in receipt of Job Seekers allowance.

Position 1 **Cleaner:** Duties include cleaning, tidying, vacuuming and all general cleaning duties.

Position 2 **Caretaker:** Caretaker duties including setting up rooms for classes, moving chairs tables as required, painting and generally odd jobs keeping the interior of the Community Centre functioning on a day to day basis.

Position 3 **Caretaker:** Caretaker duties including odd jobs, painting, cleaning, gardening and general maintenance mostly outdoor work.

Also wanted is someone for a RSS scheme for the village (must have a herd number or a family members will do either).

For more information or to enquire about any of the above positions please contact Tus Supervisor on 086 0223211 or contact Community Centre by email at officeblccc@gmail.com.

Ballinkillen/Lorum Community Centre

Bingo here every Monday night starts @ 8pm. Jackpot €1,10 in 48 numbers.
Snooker Room Open in Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre Club. No need for membership, come along and pay and play.

Lough Derg Pilgrimage 2017

Rathvilly Parish are organising a 3 day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg on **Mon 24th to Wed 26th July**. You may have thought about going to Lough Derg 'some day' but never managed to get there or if you have been there in the past and thought you would like to return 'some day' – now you can let 2017 be your 'some day' and join our group to make this very unique Pilgrimage.

The pilgrimage programme includes prayer and quiet reflection in bare feet, keeping Vigil for 24 hours and maintaining the Fast (one simple Lough Derg meal each day). Pilgrims must be over 15 years, physically able to walk and kneel unaided and to maintain the Fast.

Admission to Island €70 and bus fee will be €40 approx depending on numbers travelling. Please contact Rathvilly Parish office 059 9161114 or Sophie Kelly 087 1302587 if you are interested in booking a place or if you would like more information about Pilgrimage

Are you grieving for a loved one?

The Parish have a team of people who have been professionally trained to support all parishioners who have been bereaved. A letter offering this confidential support is sent out to one member of the Bereaved family where the funeral has taken place in Bagenalstown Parish. This support is also available to all members of the family and to bereaved parishioners where the funeral has not taken place in Bagenalstown. If you would like to avail of this support please phone Rita O'Quigley 9131323 or Eleanor in the Parish Office 9721154 who will make the arrangements for someone to call to you