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Day of Prayer for Healing

Emmanuel House, Clonfert.
Bus leaving Barrack St. Carlow
Sat 4th August at 8.20am.
Bring a packed lunch. Contact
Lily at 087-2245193 or 059-9151245

Readers: 5th August

Sat 4th August 6:00pm

Katie O'Neill

Sun 5th August 11:30am

Kay Donnelly

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 4th August

6:00pm Team A

Sunday 5th August

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

7:30pm Team A

Bagenalstown Parish

Yearbook The Editorial Board wishes to thank the many people, groups and clubs who contributed to the very successful 2017 edition. Preparation of the 2018 edition has commenced. The time frame for the 2018 edition will be similar to that of 2017. All submissions must reach the Editorial Board no later than 1st October 2018 otherwise they will not be included. Contributions should be sent direct to bagenalstownyearbook@gmail.com and photographs should be sent as jpegs. If any assistance including typing of the article is required please contact 087 9845024.

Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration will resume again on 12th September.

Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre

Bingo here every Monday night starts @ 8pm. Jackpot €1,300 in 48 numbers.

Bowls in Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre Club on every Tuesday from 2.30-4.30p.m.

All welcome

BAGENALSTOWN-NEWTOWN-BALLINKILLEN

'CHURCH NOTICES'

17th Sunday of Year

29th July, 2018

Sponsor a Slab

Slabs are available at 083-8609921, from Ernie Beck, Sean Monaghan and Kathleen Cox, the Parish Office and also online at

www.sponsoraslabbagenalstown.com

Many thanks to all who have already sponsored a slab

FIRST FRIDAY Mass 3rd August

Mass in Newtown Church at 7:00pm

Mass in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm

BUS to Papal Mass in Phoenix Park on Sunday

26th August Buses are now **FULL**. More details will follow re:

Bus time and pick-up point once we get info from WMOF2018.

Please note: those who have booked a seat on the bus €10 is needed to confirm your seat which can be left in to the Parish Office between Wed 1st—Thurs 9th August

With just a month to go to the **World Meeting of Families**

2018 in Dublin from 21 – 26 August, we are opening up a new opportunity for those who have availability to volunteer for one day for WMOF2018. We are asking for Volunteer Papal Mass Stewards and Holy Communion Team volunteers for the Closing Mass of WMOF2018 which will take place in the Phoenix Park on Sunday 26th August. Go to www.worldmeeting2018.ie/en/Get-Involved/Volunteer/Volunteer-for-One-Day for more information.

Reminder; Bus Leaves from McGrath Hall at 6.30am for those travelling for the Live Broadcast Mass in the Studio RTE today Sunday 29th July

30 year Celebration for St. Lazerian's House, Sunday

5th August—Open day from 11am to 5pm. KCLR Classics Hits Show. Live Broadcast from 11am to 2pm. Afternoon tea. Vintage Car Show from 2pm to 5pm. Music

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

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Pray for

Mary Lillis, Fair Green, who was interred on Thursday in Bagenalstown.

Months Minds

Mary Beck, Monemore. Mass on Saturday 4th August in Parish Church at 6:00pm.

David Minchin, Station Rd., Mass on Sunday 5th August in the Parish Church at 11.30am.

First Friday Anniversaries

Newtown 3rd August at

7:00pm

Hannah Nolan, Powerstown, Milford
Jim Mooney, Jenkinstown, Kilkenny
Thomas Butler Jnr, Castletown, Carlow
John Butler, Castletown, Carlow
Michael Collins, 57 Conway Park
Patrick Nolan, Ballybromhill
Padraig Nolan, Ballybromhill
Thomas Nolan, Ballybromhill
Larry Curran, Kilcarrig and Boherduff
Mick Byrne, Greenhills, Carlow
Patrick Nolan, Augha
Catherine Murphy, Kildrenagh.
James and Frances Collins, Newtown
Tom Collins, Dublin
The deceased members of the Collins Family, Newtown

First Friday Anniversaries

Ballinkillen 3rd August at

8:00pm

Marcie Kearney, Lorum
Tommy Power, Kilgreaney
Bill & Julia Hughes Woodlawn Park,
Borris and their son Michael
Sean Barrett, Dunroe, his daughter
Brigid & son Tom
Eoghan & Ruairi Chada, Ballinkillen
John Farrell, Ballycormack
Mary 'Molly' Daly, Corries

ANNIVERSARIES

Helena Basova, Papradno, Slovakia
Lily Hickey, Ballymoon
Denis O'Brien, Dunleckney
Noel Clarke, Dunleckney
Sarah Bolger, 13 St. Brigids Crescent
Michael Doyle, 13 St. Brigids Crescent
Mary Lyons, Harrow Cross
Joseph McGrath, 14 Acres, Kilcarrig
Murphy Family, Kilcarrig
Michael Fenlon, Ballymoon
Margaret Rose Hogan, Paulstown
Tom Hennessy, Kilree St.

These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 3rd and Saturday 4th August at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

Water Safety Week

starts on Tuesday 7th August at 10.30am. It will be on each day 11am-12.30, evening 6-7pm safety, rescues, pool, lifeguard and river. For info contact pool Mary 0851521232.
Water safety gala and fun & games on Saturday 4th August 2.30pm-5pm. Medals for all. Help to promote water safety.

Our Lady's Island

An outing to Our Lady's Island, Wexford on Tuesday 21st August. Contact Josephine Randall on 0599720904 after 6pm

Graigucullen Monster Bingo.

Tuesday 7th August @ 8.30pm
Great prizes. Bring a friend

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.

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.** You are asked to bring a copy of your Baby's Birth Certificate. For booking a place at the Baptismal Preparation meeting contact Eleanor in Parish Office 9721154

The Irish Catholic

Paper is available from all churches in the parish. It continues to update and improve its quality.

St Lazerian's House Celebrating 30 years

St Lazerian's House, Bagenalstown, Co Carlow is celebrating 30 years on the 5th August 2018 and we would like the local community to join us in our celebrations. We would especially like to invite families and relatives who were part of St Lazerian's House over the years, past Board members, volunteers and staff to our Open Day from 11am to 5pm. KCLR will broadcast their Classic Hits Show live from 11am to 2pm and there will be a vintage car exhibition from 2pm to 5pm. Refreshments will be served all day along with mouth-watering brilliant home-baked cakes and scones. St Lazerian's House came into existence following the closure of the District Hospital in 1987, Fr Dowling and the Rev Gamble along with local parishioners and community leaders formed a Board of Management and set up St Lazerian's House as a Residential Care Home for Older People along with a Day Care Centre and Meals on Wheels. Sister Mary Walsh, Sister Martha Hartigan and Sister Paul O'Donovan started work in September 1988 along with local volunteers and in November 1988 Mary Gaule, Community Employment Scheme Supervisor came on board with a team of workers to support the service. The Community Employment Scheme still provides an excellent service to this day. With the support of a Section 39 Grant from the HSE the cooks, administration and care staff were appointed. With the aid of lottery funding, resident's fees, fundraising and donations St Lazerian's House has become firmly established into the local community and is inspected by the Health Information and Quality Authority (HIQA), Environmental Health and Health and Safety. The current Board of Management (Fr Declan Foley, Chairperson) would like to thank all previous Boards for all their work over the years and keeping the service running through difficult financial times, they would also like to thank the local General Practitioners, Primary Care Team and Healy's/CarePlus Pharmacy. In April 2017, Minister Helen McEntee opened the latest extension to comply with HIQA Standards. St Lazerian's House is a great asset to the local community, the residents are cared for as if they were in their own home, the building is decorated to the highest standard and the grounds are beautiful, please call in throughout the day for a tour and to see the changes and especially to meet the residents and staff. I look forward to seeing you all on the day
Marian Manning, Manager