

ENVELOPE COLLECTION

Total weekly envelope collection:

€1,425 Winner of €33 is Ernest & Maura Beck, Railway Road

Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration take s place in the Convent every Wednesday.

Winter Time—Clocks Back 1 hour NEXT Sunday.

21st Annual Cabaret

In aid of Carlow Kilkenny Homecare in Hunters Rest, Fenagh 27th October. Music by Martin Lace & Local Artists. Adm€5 Spot Prizes & Raffle

Leighlinbridge and District

Active Retired: Meeting Monday 22nd in Parish Centre at 2.30.

Refreshments followed by talk on and video demonstration of 10-Pin Bowling. Bowls club meet each Thursday and Friday at 2.30.

Readers: 28th October

Sat 27th October 6:00pm

Pascal O'Dea

Sun 28th October 11:30am

Joe Feeley

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 27th October

6:00pm Team A

Sunday 28th October

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

7:30pm Team A

Ballinkillen Lorum

Community Centre

Bingo here every Monday night starts @ 8pm. Jackpot €1,350 in 48 numbers. **Bowls** in Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre Club on every Tuesday from 2.30-4.30p.m. *All welcome*

Set Dancing Classes in the Community Centre in Bagenalstown (*across from McCullagh's petrol station*) and continues each **Tuesday 8:30pm-10:30pm**. All are welcome. No experience necessary. No partner required. Refreshments served. *More info from Mary O'Neill 087-2368471.*

Dancing in Drumphae Community Centre

on Saturday 20th October 10pm til late. Music by Adrian Ryan. Refreshments served. *Come along for a great night*

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.

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

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BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN

Church Notices

29th Sunday of Year 'Mission Sunday' 21st October, 2018

Mission Sunday:

Today we come together for a truly incredible celebration of solidarity and unity within our Church - World Mission Sunday! Today, every single parish worldwide - and YOU - share what you can so the life-transforming work of missionaries overseas can continue. Today, through your prayers and contributions, you are fully appreciating the dedication of our missionaries who live and work in communities that are struggling and often war-torn. World Mission Sunday is coordinated by 'World Missions Ireland', originally known as the Pontifical Mission Societies and the Church's official charity for overseas mission. It is part of a worldwide network of over 120 charities. Many of the international offices go by the name 'Missio'. World Missions Ireland and their fellow charities ensure that today's contributions are distributed justly to where the need is greatest within our Universal Church. Today, your prayers and generosity are helping spread the peace and love of Christ.

If you have already given, we send our heartfelt thanks. If you have yet to give, please dig a little deeper and share what you can. To donate €4.00 you can text the word 'Mission' to 50300. (Texts cost €4. World Missions Ireland will receive a minimum of €3.60. Service Provider LikeCharity. Helpline 076 680 5278. Republic of Ireland only)
Or call us Monday - Friday on 01 497 2035 to donate over the phone.

**Sponsor
a Slab**

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Slabs are still 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

Pray for

Paddy Power, Clomoney & Kilgreaney who was interred in Leighlinbridge.

First Anniversaries

Johnny McNally, 9 Barrett Street. Mass on Saturday 27th October at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

Kathleen Cahill, Knockullard. Mass on Sunday 28th October at 10:00am in Ballinkillen Church.

Denis Wall, Eastwood & Donore. Mass on Sunday 28th October at 7:30pm in Parish Church.

ANNIVERSARIES

Michael Kelly, Gormona
Patrick & MaryAnn McGrath, 14 Acres, Kilcarrig
Thomas & Alicia Manning, Regent Street Carmel Farrell, Long Range & her daughter Margaret Reid
Peg McDonnell, Rathduff
Edward & Elizabeth Lillis, 39 St. Brigids Crescent

Denis Wall, Donore
Margaret Byrne, England & Wells
Larry Ellard, Eastwood
Patsy Flynn, Wells
Sean Flynn, England & Wells
John Walsh, Royal Oak Road
Deceased Members of Bagenalstown I.C.A.
Mary Ferrissey, 17 Pairc Mhuire
Stacey Cahill, 15 Conway Park
Tom Kennedy, Mountown, Dunlaoighre
Joe O'Neill, Clorouske
John Rogers, Ratheadon
Martin Trodden, St. Brigids Crescent
Jackie Foy, Rathellan
Brigid & Paddy Edgeworth, Pairc Mhuire
These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 26th and Saturday 27th October at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

Fr. Sean Hyland launches his book, *'Whisperings of My Soul'*, with the help of Bishop Denis Nulty on **Friday, 7th December** at 8pm in The GAA Centre, McCann Park, Portarlinton. Fr. Sean, of the parish of Rhode and Clonbullogue, invites everyone to this launch and appreciates any support with the launch and promotion of his book. This book tells the story of his many heavenly blessings and extraordinary consolations of faith which ultimately led to his ordination in 2014.

This is a self-published book by Fr Sean and he is reaching out to everyone in the Diocese asking for your help to spread the word about *'Whisperings of My Soul'*. If you have any suggestions or can offer support in spreading the message of the beautiful heavenly blessings contained in this book please contact Fr. Sean at email: hylandjohnliz@yahoo.ie or mobile 087 9486769.

Youth 2000 will be hosting a Catholic youth retreat in St. Brigids College, Killarney, Co. Kerry from 26th-28th October for ages 16-35. The weekend will consist of inspiring talks, music, prayer, workshops & time to chill out & meet new people. Please bring a sleeping bag if staying on site. Donation only event. For more info contact Marie 0879361812 or check out www.youth2000.ie

Social Dance proceeds to **BEAM SERVICES**, in Step House Hotel, Borris on Friday 23rd November. Dancing 9:30pm-12midnight. Music by Cupla. Adm €10 Refreshments and Raffle. Tickets on sale in the BEAM Centre.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DATES 2019

Newtown N.S. Saturday 11th May 2019 at 11:00am in Newtown Church

Ballinkillen N.S. Saturday 18th May 2019 at 11:00am in Ballinkillen Church

St. Brigids Boys N.S. & Queen of the Universe N.S. Saturday 25th May 2019 at 11:00am in Parish Church

CONFIRMATION DATE 2019

Saturday 30th March 2019 at 11:00am in Parish Church

OCTOBER CHILDRENS BOOK FESTIVAL

Muinebheag Library
Halloween Special FILM Club.
WEDNESDAY 31st October
11.00AM

Come and join us in Muinebheag library for our Halloween Special FILM Club. Wear your Halloween costume SPECIAL PRIZE and join us at the movies (sweets and treats) All are welcome

The Miscarriage

Association of Ireland will hold its Annual Service of Remembrance on Sunday the 11th of November 2018 at 3pm in St Teresa's Church, Donore Avenue, off South Circular Road, Dublin 8. All parents, siblings, grandparents & anyone else affected by the loss of a baby are very welcome to attend, regardless of whether the loss was recent or long ago.

This year **The Alzheimer Society of Ireland's Memory Ribbon National Collection Day** will take place on Thursday 22nd November and we are seeking your help! We need volunteers to sell our Memory Ribbons pins in villages and towns across Ireland. Every donation you collect will go directly towards funding vital services based in the heart of local communities in every county in Ireland. HOW CAN YOU HELP? Simply call Jarlath on the fundraising team on 012073826 or visit our website to register as a volunteer <http://www.alzheimer.ie/Get-Involved/Fundraising/Alzheimer-s-Memory-Ribbon.aspx>

Eist will be holding a **Harvest Barn Dance** with live music on Friday 26th October starting at 8pm sharp. It will be held in Mary Kee-nan's Barn, Ballincarraig, Wexford Road (*right at Ken Blacks Roundabout Carlow*). Food will be served - bring your own wine, beer etc. Tickets €20 available from Eist Centre, telephone 059 9139684.