Deacon's Mass

Bishop Denis will celebrate Mass in Carlow Cathedral this Sunday the 28th October at 12.30pm to mark the 5th Anniversary of the Ordination to the Diaconate of our seven permanent deacons and the introduction of the permanent diaconate to the Diocese.

The Journey Concert:- venue: St Clare's Church, Graiguecullen

Date: Sunday November 4th @ **7.30pm Admission: FREE:**- To mark the amazing journey of 7 Mercy Sisters who left Carlow 1843 to travel to America where they set up numerous convents, schools, orphanages and hospitals, we are putting on a concert in St Clare's Church, Graiguecullen on Sunday, November 4th at 7.30pm. Fr Liam Lawton, Hollywood actor Patrick Bergin and local singer songwriter Justin Kelly will all perform on the night. All are welcome and admission to the concert is free. *Please spread the word.*

Readers:4th November

Sat 3rd November 6:00pm Graham Pender Sun 4th November 11:30am Fintan Higgins

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 3rd November
6:00pm Team B
Sunday 4th November
8:00am Team B, 11:30am Team A

Sponsor a Slab

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

Table Quiz organised by Parents Association in PDLSB on Wednesday 14th November at 8:00pm. Table of 4 €20 in Aid of school Breakfast Club.

Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre

Bingo here every Monday night starts @ 8pm. Jackpot €1,450 in 48 numbers. **Bowls** in Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre Club on every Tuesday from 2.30-4.30p.m.

All welcome Christmas party night Friday 7th Dec @ 8:30pm 4 course meal and music by Adrian Ryan. Adm by ticket only €25 tickets available from Paddy Farrell 087 2562537 or Mary Farrell Cummins 085 7850010.

OCTOBER CHILDRENS BOOK

FESTIVAL Come and join us in Muinebheag library for our Halloween Special FILM Club on WEDNESDAY 31st October 11.00AM Wear your Halloween costume SPECIAL PRIZE and join us at the movies (sweets and treats) All are welcome

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BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN Church Notices

30th Sunday of Year

28th October, 2018

HOLY DAY Thursday1st November **FEAST OF ALL SAINTS**

Mass Times

Parish Church Vigil Mass on Wednesday 31st October 6:00pm Newtown Mass on Wednesday 31st October at 7:00pm Ballinkillen Mass on Wednesday 31st October at 8:00pm Parish Church Mass on Thursday 1st Nov at 8:00am and 11:30am

<u>Friday 2nd November</u> All Souls Day Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed. Mass at 10:00am.

November—Remembering our Dead

November is the month when we traditionally remember our loved ones who have gone before us. The Tree of Life is an encouraging symbol. Just as in Spring, new leaves turn into new life. Such is our Christian hope regarding the promise of everlasting life.

Please write your loved ones name and place it on our Tree of Life where they will be remembered throughout the month of November.

NOVEMBER SPECIAL MASSES

For all who died since November 2017 Newtown at 7pm on First Friday Nov 2nd

Ballinkillen at 8pm on First Friday $Nov\ 2nd$

(including Anniversaries)

Bagenalstown at 6:00pm on Saturday Nov 3rd

Dead List Envelopes can be handed in from 1st Nov with names of those who have died. All people whose names are in these envelopes will be remembered at many of our Masses in the Parish throughout the month of the Holy Souls. (*Please put names in envelope*)

If you now feel you would like to talk to someone, you can contact Rita O'Quigley 059-9131323 who is our Bereavement Counsellor in the parish

Winter Time—Clocks back 1 hour

Pray for

Carmel Comerford nee Kelly, Dublin ANNIVERSARIES & Gormona (sister of Maureen, Anne & Mary Lawlor, Kilcarrig Street Henry)

Tom Nolan, Kilbride (brother of John Nolan, Clonegath)

Br Nicholas Leahy, Patrician Brothers & Ballyfin.

Sheila Ryan, Westport (sister of Jimmy Jordan, Ratheadon & Fr Tom Jordan)

Andy Pender, Bristol & Ballinkillen. Burial of Ashes on Sunday 4th after November 10am Mass Ballinkillen.

James O'Gorman, (son of Michael & Anne O'Gorman, Dunroe)

Months Mind

Michael Hickey, 60 Pairc Mhuire. Mass on Saturday 3rd November at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

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.

Mai Roche, Rathduff. Mass on Sunday 4th November at 11:30am in Parish Church.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 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

Margaret Monaghan, 14 Maple Drive Kathleen Brennan, Oak Grove Michael Egan, Royal Oak Road Patrick Furlong, Pairc Mhuire Elizabeth & Brendan Corcoran, 2 Pairc Mhuire Kathleen Lill, c/o 2 Pairc Mhuire James & Margaret Lee, St. Brigids Crescent John Lee, London & St. Brigids Crescent

Paddy & Kitty Williams, Bachelors Walk Laurie & Dermot O'Connor, Pairc Mhuire Margaret Breslin, Ballycormack Maureen Tully, Dunleckney Annie Jones, 15 Pairc Mhuire Fr Tom Kennedy, Church Road, Kilree Street & Liverpool Martin & Margaret McDonald, 77 St. **Brigids Crescent** Mary Lupton, Carrig John Rea, Lough House Fr Larry Newman, Rathduff These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 2nd and Saturday 3rd November at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

First Friday Anniversaries in **Ballinkillen on Friday 2nd** November at 8:00pm

Maura Doyle, Ballymartin, Borris Elizabeth O'Neill, Ballinkillen Fin Lawlor, Heath, Corries Mary Bolton, Slyguff Martin 'Gussie' Daly, Corries James & Mary Cummins, Skahanrane James & Annie Power, Kilgreaney Annie Byrne, Ballinkillen Noreen Callan, Ballinkillen Mary 'Molly' Mulrooney, Cluann Mhuire, Goresbridge Margaret Breslin, Ballycormack Patrick Power, Kilgreaney Sean Kane, Lorum Michael Canavan, Ballinkillen

First Friday Anniversaries in Newtown on Friday 2nd November at 7:00pm

Tommy Dobbs, Aclare, Myshall Liam Nolan, Ballaghaderneen Agnes Murphy, Nurney Jack & Sarah Butler, Fenagh Kate Nolan, Newtown & her sons Pat. Tom & John James Dowling, 1 Ashgrove, Fenagh Liam Doorley, Ballyryan, Nurney Paddy Cox, Fenagh Michael Kelly, Nurney & Green Road Mary 'Bab' Nolan, Rathnageera Patrick & Sarah Mullins, Nurney Patrick Hughes, Ballybromhill Kathleen Hughes, Ballybromhill James & Mary Dowling, 1 Ashgrove Fenagh

Bryan Nolan, Eastwood Eileen O'Rourke, Augha Willie Murphy, Evergreen, Fenagh

Mission Sunday Thank you so much for your kindness on World Mission Sunday last week. Your generosity means that you are helping to empower people who are struggling to form sustainable communities of faith, hope and love. Your prayers and donations will help missionaries across the world share the love of Christ with those in greatest need. Your generous support means that people will have the chance to experience love and support within our Church family. Please continue to pray for the work of World Missions Ireland and everyone who works to show the love of Jesus. To continue to support the vital work of our missionaries call World Missions Ireland on 01 497 2035 (Monday -Friday) or go to the World Missions Ireland website www.wmi.ie

ENVELOPE COLLECTION

Total weekly envelope collection: **€1, 215 Winner of €33 is** Louis & Teresa Kearney, Heath

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.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX

APPEAL Queen of the Universe N.S. have been asked again this year by the Heart to Hand Charity to help with their appeal for Street Children in Albania. The items required this year are any of the following: New - hats/scarves/mittens/ gloves/underwear/socks/colouring books/ crayons/pencils/pens/markers/toothbrush/ toothpaste/jigsaws/ soap etc., The age range of the children is 5 to 12 yrs. boys and girls. We would especially ask this year that all items be new as this maybe the only gift that these children receive this Christmas. If you would like to help please send any of the above items to the school no later than Monday 19th Nov. When wrapping the box please wrap the lid of the box separately (for customs inspection) or just send in the paper and we'll look after it. Thank you so much for your continued support every year.

Bishop Denis Nulty, will unveil a plaque at the Mercy convent gate on Dublin Road at 1pm on November 4th 2018 with representatives of the Mercy order from Carlow and Pittsburgh. In St Leo's College, speakers will outline the background to the 1843 journey of seven Carlow nuns to Pittsburgh and the work of the sisters in the United States including the founding of Mercy Hospitals, schools and Carlow University as well as further convents. All are welcome.