

**Parish Pilgrimage to ENVELOPE COLLECTION**

**Medjugorje**  
May 28th 2019 7 Nights €725pps  
Spiritual Director: Fr Declan Foley.  
Anyone interested can contact  
Helen Wall 086-8226930

Total weekly envelope collection:  
**€1,240 Winner of €33 is  
Seamus & Maire Lee,  
Kilree Lane**

**Eucharistic Adoration**

In the Convent every Wednesday.  
All welcome.

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Every Tuesday from 12noon to 3pm  
in Our Lady's Chapel in Parish  
Church. *All welcome.*

**Bagenalstown Branch  
Carlow Kilkenny Home Care  
Team**

Meeting in Doyle's Railway House  
on Tuesday 29th January at  
**8:00pm** to arrange Presentation of  
sponsored Christmas Day Swim/  
Walk. Please return cards to Mary.  
**All donations welcome.**

**The Quiet Revolution of  
Pope Francis**

Fr Gerry O'Hanlon SJ will give a talk on his  
book "The Quiet Revolution of Pope  
Francis – A synodial Catholic Church  
in Ireland?" on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February  
at 7.45pm in Leighlinbridge Parish  
Centre. Fr O'Hanlon has written  
extensively on Church reform and the  
role of the Church in the public  
square. Bishop Denis will be in  
attendance for what will be an  
interesting opportunity to gain an  
insight into a vital change for the  
Church. *All are welcome.*

*BAGENALSTOWN-NEWTOWN-BALLINKILLEN*

*Church Notices*

3rd Sunday of Year 27th January, 2019

**Ballinkillen Lorum  
Community Centre**

**Bingo** starts @ 8pm every  
Monday. Jackpot €1,600 in 48  
numbers.

**Bowls** is on every Tuesday a 2.30  
- 4.30pm in Ballinkillen  
Community Centre.

**Day of Prayer for**

**Healing** Emmanuel House,  
Clonfert. Bus leaving Barrack St.  
Carlow Saturday 2nd February at  
8.20am. Bring a packed lunch.  
Contact Lily at 087-2245193/ 059-  
9151245

- **Mass on Friday 1st February at 10:00am**  
the Feast of St. Brigid, Patron of our Diocese. We pray that  
through her intercession, new life and health will bless all  
we know and love.
- **Feast of the Presentation of the Lord—  
Candlemas Day** Blessing of Candles will take place  
Saturday 2nd February at 10am Mass.
- **Feast of St. Blaise, Sunday 3rd  
February— Blessing of Throats** will take  
place at Masses in the Parish next weekend.  
*All are welcome to attend.*

**Months Mind**

Ellie Tansey nee Sullivan, England & St. Brigids Crescent. Mass on  
Saturday 26th January at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

Kathleen O'Brien, Kilree Crossings. Mass on Sunday 3rd February at  
11:30am in Parish Church.

**First Anniversaries**

Molly Walsh, Dunleckney. Mass on Saturday 2nd February at 6:00pm in  
Parish Church.

**Confirmation Preparation Mass**  
on Thursday 31st January at 7:30pm in Parish Church

**FIRST FRIDAY Mass 1st February**

Mass in Newtown Church at 7:00pm

Mass in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm

**Readers:3rd February**

*Sat 2nd February 6:00pm*

Katie O'Neill

*Sun 3rd February 11:30am*

Fintan Higgins

**Eucharistic Ministers**

*Saturday 2nd February*

**6:00pm** Team A

*Sunday 3rd February*

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

**7:30pm** Team A

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**First Friday Anniversaries  
in Newtown 1st February  
at 7:00pm**

Elizabeth Dobbs, Ballywilliamroe  
Percy Ryan, Augha  
Annie Fleming, Cranaha, Fenagh  
Paddy Murphy, Nurney  
John Connors, Ballytarsna  
Kathleen McCarthy, Clonburrin House  
Charlie Nolan, Ballinakill  
Patsy Hughes, Ballybromhill  
Thomas & Margaret O'Gorman, Boherduff

**First Friday Anniversaries  
in Ballinkillen 1st  
February at 8:00pm**

Arthur O'Hare, Ballyloughan  
Larry Bolger, Coolnacuppogue  
Harry Bolton, 3 McDonnell Park  
Martin Daly, Corries  
Monique McDonnell, Kilree  
Tom Kane, Lorum  
Aine O'Brien, Ballinkillen  
John Ryan, Corries Cross  
Michael O'Shaughnessy Jnr, Ballycormack  
Peter Byrne, Dunroe  
Larry O'Neill, Aughabeg

**Newtown Dunleckney N. S.**

Enrolment for September 2019 in Newtown Dunleckney N.S. , will take place from **Monday 28<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019** during school hours **9.10 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.** A copy of your child's Birth Cert and PPS number are required on the day of enrolment

**St.Vincent De Paul**  
Local helpline no. 086-4042631

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Rita Walshe, Royal Oak Road  
John Tuite, 1 Station Road  
John Foster, Kilree  
Matt & Brigid Corr & their son Dick, Johnswell  
Patrick & Agnes Cahill, 28 Conway Park  
James Cody, Conway Park  
Kathleen Kelly, Gormona  
Michael & Mary Kelly, Gowran  
Nicholas Cormack, St. Brigids Crescent  
Nicholas Johnson, 69 St. Brigids Crescent  
Denis Wall, Donore  
Jack Storey, Kilcarrig Street  
Teresa Duffy, Dunleckney  
Michael & Theresa Finnerty, Loughrea  
Christy Lawlor, Pairc Mhuire  
Frances Hogan, Harrow Cross  
Mary Cohen nee Hogan, Harrow Cross  
John & Ellen Devine, Royal Oak Road  
Frank Devine, Rathellan  
Kathleen Byrne, St. Brigids Crescent  
Frank Dermody jnr, Nurney  
Eileen Sheehan, Ballynoe  
Brigid Hickey, 3 St. Brigids Crescent  
Brigid Nolan, Coolmanagh, Hacketstown  
William Holligan, Levitstown, Athy  
John Keating, Gormona  
Tom Fenelon, Curracruit  
*These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 1st & Saturday 2nd February at 10am Mass in Parish Church*

"Kilquan Players Coon, Co. Kilkenny are presenting their 26th drama production on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd of February at 8pm sharp in Coon Hall. This year's play is a three act comedy called 'Poor Jimmy', which is directed by Benny Mills. Come along and enjoy the performance with refreshments served afterwards, no need to book in advance"

**Ballinkillen N.S.**

Enrolment for September 2019 will take place in Ballinkillen N.S. from **Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup> - Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup> from 9.30 a.m. - 2.00 p.m.** Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate and his/her PPS No. If you would like an enrolment form posted to you please contact Anne in the school 0599775153.

**Our Lady's N. S. Nurney**

Enrolments are now being taken for September 2019 at Our Lady's N.S. Nurney. If you wish to enrol your child please contact the school on 059 9146297 or email [nurneyns@gmail.com](mailto:nurneyns@gmail.com)

**Newtown Fenagh  
Nurney Senior Citizens**

group are selling tickets at present for the Adelaide Concert in Myshall Community Centre on 1st February. An evening of live music, ballads and country sing-along. Door prize and raffle on the night. Tickets €10 available from the Newtown Senior Citizens committee.

**Leighlinbridge and  
District Active Retired:**

AGM Monday 28th in Parish Centre at 2.30. Refreshments followed by a talk on Local History to be given by Martin Nevin. The Musical "Titanic" will be staged by Kilkenny Musical Society Wednesday 10th April. We must book as soon as possible. For inquiries ring Jim 0868116506. Annual Registration Fee for members due this month please.

**Muinebheag Library-**

Val Mullally MA is a parenting author, relationship coach and workshop facilitator - she will be giving a parenting workshop in Muinebheag Library on Tuesday morning 5<sup>th</sup> February at 11:00am Enquiries: [fotoole@carlowcoco.ie](mailto:fotoole@carlowcoco.ie) or contact: Muinebheag Library at 059 9136299

**Bagenalstown Credit  
Union AGM**

**Thursday 8pm Presentation De La Salle**

Voting for proposed merger with BCU and St Canice's Credit Union. BCU would appreciate all members to come along and vote. The Board of Directors and Staff would greatly appreciate your support

**Pro Life Carlow**

Talk with Vicky Wall of Every Life Counts in Seven Oaks Hotel, Carlow on Thursday February 7th 7:30pm located in the Milford room suite. Organised by Family & Life. Vicky lost a child shortly after birth with life limiting conditions and joined Every Life Counts to offer help and support to children and couples who are expecting a child with short term life diagnosis. All welcome.

**The Three Tenors in Concert,  
Borris Church**

Ireland's Greatest Voices, an evening of popular classic hits from Sinatra, The Dubliners, Pavarotti & Spiritual Favourites! Saturday 16th Feb 8.00pm, Tickets €25 Available from The Parish Centre, Borris, O'Shea's Centra Borris, Brophy's Shop Borris, The Little Shop Bagenalstown & Doran's Supervalu Graiguenamanagh. This is a Fundraiser for Borris Church.