

Bagenalstown Parish

Bingo Every Wednesday at 8:00pm in the McGrath Hall. Please come and give your support and have a great night

ENVELOPE COLLECTION

Total weekly envelope collection: €1,080 *Winner of €33 is Liam & Bridie Doyle, Ballinkillen*

Visit to the Housebound will be attended

Monday 5th & Tuesday 6th February

Monday — Town Area

Tuesday — Kilcarrig, Bohermore, Fenagh, Newtown, Ballytarsna, Nurney, Oldtown, Rathduff

Tuesday—Borris Road, Ballinkillen, Killoughternane, Garyhill

Readers:12th February

Sat 11th February 6:00pm

Fiona O'Halloran

Sun 12th February 8:00am

No Reader

Sun 12th February 11:30am

Joe Feeley

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 11th February

6:00pm Team B

Sunday 12th February

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

7:30pm Team A

'One Book One Community' Festival

Tuesday 7th February: Coffee

Morning will be held in Bagenalstown Library at 11am.

Pupils and Parents will discuss our community book '*Spirit of the Titanic*' by Irish author Nicola Pierce. Refreshments served, all are welcome to pop in on the day.

Monday 6th March: Table

quiz in Doyle's Railway Bar at 8pm-€20 per table.

Wednesday 15th March

"Titanic Expo" presented by local schools in MVS Sports Hall: 10.30-1.00. A talk by Nicola Pierce, author of "Spirit of the Titanic" at 12 noon. **S.O.S.** Does anyone in

Bagenalstown have any relatives who had any connection with the Titanic? If you have a story to tell you can contact Maire Lee at 086-1923267 or email to leemaire@gmail.com

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

In the Convent every Wednesday 11:00 am—6:00pm. All Welcome

St. Vincent De Paul

Local helpline no.
086-4042631

BAGENALSTOWN-NEWTOWN-BALLINKILLEN

'CHURCH NOTICES'

5th Sunday of Year

5th February, 2017

NOVENA 2017

Tuesday 28th February - Tuesday 11th April

7:30pm Bagenalstown Parish Church

7 Nights

Rosary will be recited at 7:10pm



TUESDAY 28th February - Maria Kane will speak at the beginning of our Lenten campaign on the work of Trocaire
TUESDAY 7th March - Fr Tom Jordan O.P. A Dominican Priest and native of Bagenalstown has worked all over Ireland and is a former Provincial of the Dominicans in Ireland and currently editor of Spirituality magazine, a Dominican publication.

TUESDAY 14th March - Sr. Anne Pender Presentation Sister. An active member of A.P.T. Act to Prevent Trafficking, creating awareness about Human Trafficking.

TUESDAY 21st March - Pro-Life Speaker Keeping to the forefront of our mind the sacredness of Human Life.

TUESDAY 28th March - Sean Doran Secondary School teacher in Newbridge and author of 'Ways to Well-being'

TUESDAY 4th April Mary Smyth Eist Cancer Support Centre, The Eist centre is a peaceful, tranquil, supportive place where all those affected by cancer can avail of support.

TUESDAY 11th April - Fr Conn O'Maoldomhnaigh President of Carlow College. Ireland's Oldest Catholic Third Level College.

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PRAY FOR

Elizabeth Murphy, Camolin, Wexford
(*sister of Phil Rea, Kilcarrig Street*)

Rosaleen McHugh, Carlow (*sister of Patsy Murphy, Ballinkillen*)

Kathleen Byrne, Corries who was interred in Ballinkillen on Friday.

MONTHS MIND

Dominic Kiely, 22 Fr Cummins Park.
Mass on Saturday 4th February at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

Tilly Monaghan, 17 Kilcarrig Street.
Mass on Sunday 5th February at 7:30pm in Parish Church.

Marona O'Donoghue, 15 Oak Grove.
Mass in Parish Church on Saturday 11th February at 6:00pm.

Dr Ger Breen, 3 Main Street & Ballsbridge. Mass on Sunday 12th February in Parish Church at 11:30am.

FIRST ANNIVERSARIES

Maureen Connors, Ballyloughan.
Mass on Sunday 5th February at 10:00am in Ballinkillen Church.

Marie Murphy, Wells. Mass on Sunday 5th February at 11:30am in Parish Church.

Brigid 'Bonnie' O'Brien, 32 Pairc Mhuire. Mass on Sunday 12th February in Parish Church at 7:30pm.

First Friday Anniversaries in Ballinkillen 3rd February

Larry Bolger, Coolnacuppogue
Harry Bolton, 3 McDonnell Park
Larry O'Neill, Aughabeg

First Holy Communion Preparation Mass **Sunday 12th February**

Newtown Church 9:00am
Ballinkillen Church 10:00am
Parish Church 11:30am.

First Friday Anniversaries in Newtown 3rd February at

Denis & Ellen Doherty
Josephine Nolan, Newtown Hill
John Connors, Ballytarsna
Mamie & Josie Murphy, Augha
Joseph Curran, Ballywilliamroe
Charlie Curran, Ballywilliamroe
Jim Bryan, Shannon, Clare
Stephen Brien, Ballybromhill
Ted Guidera, Fenagh
John Guidera, Kilcullen
William Dowling, Clonegath
Tom Nolan, Ballour, Ballon
James-Joseph Nolan, Kilconnor
Mary Nolan, Kilconnor
Mary-Frances Nolan, Kilconnor
Percy Ryan, Augha
Patrick & Jane Lennon, Mount Pleasant

ANNIVERSARIES

Jason Brennan, 51 Pairc Mhuire
Dan Moore, Donore
Joe & Winnie Appleby, Pairc Mhuire
Charlie & Rose-Brigid McSteen, 14 Acres
Andrew & Margaret Kane & Kane Family, Ballinree, Borris
Josephine O'Rourke, 31 Pairc Mhuire
Michael Kennedy, Birmingham & 17 St. Brigids Crescent
Agnes Cahill, Conway Park
Brian McCullagh, Kilcumney
Anastasia McGrath
Tom Fenelon, Curracruit
Elizabeth Keegan, Corries
Nellie Connors, Newtown & Borris
Thomas & Margaret Fitzgerald, Rathduff
Kathleen Kelly, Gormona
Catherine White, Eastwood
Charles McNally, 80 St. Brigids Crescent
Thomas & Brigid Monaghan, 17 Kilcarrig Street

These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 10th & Saturday 11th February at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church.

ENROLMENT

Enrolment for September 2017 in **Newtown Dunleckney National School**, will take place from **Monday 13th to Thursday 16th February 2017** 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.

ENROLMENT

Enrolment for September 2017 in **Queen of the Universe N.S. Bagenalstown** will take place from Monday 13th February to Thursday 16th February from 9.30 am - 12.00 noon and from 1.30 pm - 3.00 pm each day. Please bring your child's birth certificate, PPS Number and any other relevant reports.

ENROLMENT

Our Lady's National School, Nurney,
Phone 059 9146297 or
email: nurneyns@gmail.com

Enrolment of Junior Infants for September 2017 will take place in the week beginning **Monday, 6th February**. Please contact the school for an enrolment form. Please note that children for enrolment must be four years of age prior to 1st April 2017 to enrol.

Leighlinbridge and District

Active Retired: Committee Meeting Monday 6th February in Parish Centre at 2pm
Members Meeting 2.30. Refreshments followed by Session 5 of "Interior Design" course given by Margaret Mellett. Reg Fees still being collected. Annual Dinner Dance takes place on Sunday 26th Feb in The Lord Bagenal hotel at 1pm. Enjoy a 4 course meal followed by music and dancing with Jimmy Hogan's 2-piece band. Tickets costing €20 available from committee. Members and friends most welcome.

The President of the GAA,

Aogán Ó Fearghaíl, will visit Ballinkillen N.S. and Hurling Club on **Tuesday, March 7th** to plant a tree as part of Tree Week. We need your help!! We hope to have a presentation of photographs of our teams through the ages. **If you have any photographs** of any of our players or teams, both school and club, we would be very grateful if you would share them with us. You can call to the school with your photograph and we will scan it and return it to you immediately. Or, you can put it in an envelope with your name and address on it and post it to the school and we will return it to you when it is scanned. If you have a memory to go with the photograph, please include it on a slip of paper. We hope to have a great display on the day. More information will follow closer to the event.

Ballinkillen Féile Fun Run 5k or 12k fun run in Ballinkillen on Sunday 5th February. 12noon Race Starts.

Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre Club

The AGM of Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre will be held in the Centre on Tuesday, 7th February at 8.30pm. This would be an ideal opportunity for the Trustees and Committee to collect data/information on what the general public in our Community would like to see happen in the Community Centre in the immediate future. Please come along and let us know what events, courses etc. you would like to see taking place. All are welcome to attend.