

LIVE WEBCAM from our Parish Church which can be viewed from our Parish website—www.bagenalstownparish.ie

FUNERALS

24 HOUR Notice is required from the Family if they wish to have Funeral Mass recorded.

Bagenalstown Parish Pilgrimage to LOURDES 22nd June 2024 5nights
€849 Price is on Full Board basis (Breakfast, Lunch & Evening Meal incl.) 4*
Hotel Solitude €195 Single Room Supplement. Early deposit of €300 secures your place. Contact
Geraldine Monahan 087-4166803

Carlow Older Persons

Forum are hosting an Information Roadshow for over 55's on Tuesday 27th February, 10:30am-12:30pm, Lord Bagenal Hotel, Leighlinbridge. For more info phone (087) 2145262, Email: agefriendlycarlow@carlowcoco.ie

KCETB course continues with Shirley Lee- <https://lilysfield.ie/>
Creating, managing and developing a cut flower garden & community gardening class on Saturday Feb. 24th & Saturday March 2nd from 1-3pm in Bagenalstown Community Garden, R21TD21. Please contact Tommy 0892153018 or Paddy 0876211599 to book your place. Plenty to learn & do but most importantly we want to get into the habit of meeting up, so if you are available please come along and bring a friend too.

You have more to lose than money Gambling Support now available here for individuals and family members. For further information and support please contact Aine in Bagenalstown Family Resource Centre 083-0089055 email: ainebfrc@gmail.com

Gambling & Gaming Addiction Information

Evening Guest speaker Tony O'Reilly *Gambling and Addiction Counsellor & Co-Author of 'Tony10'* Thursday 29th February 7pm - 9pm Bagenalstown Family Resource Centre, Gleann Na Bearú. For more information please contact the centre 059 972 2028 or Aine 083 008 9055 ainebfrc@gmail.com

Marriage Enrichment is a Weekend experience is for married couples who want something more in their marriage ~ more fun, spontaneity, excitement, communication, understanding, romance, intimacy, passion, joy. Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is **Friday 26th to Sunday 28th April 2024**. Venue: Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Online booking only: www.marriageencounter.ie

Peace Concert (NB Please note change of date)

NOW Friday 15th March at 8pm in All Saints' Aghade with Carlow Cathedral Choir, director Marian Gaynor Adm €5 in support of UNICEF IRELAND Enq: Rev Lester Scott 087-2504322

Carlow Union of Parishes

Are holding a series of talks from 22nd February to 20th March in St Mary's Church, Haymarket, Carlow. *All are welcome to attend.*

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Parish Office Hours: Mon/Tues/Thurs 9:30-5pm / Fri 9:30-12noon
(Office closed Wednesday) Registered Charity No. 20015848

BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN
'CHURCH NOTICES'
2nd Sunday of Lent 25th February 2024



CONGRATULATIONS to all students from Queen of the Universe NS that received Confirmation this weekend.
Next week **St. Brigids Boys N.S.** Confirmation on 2nd March 2024 at 11am in Bagenalstown Church

First Friday Anniversary Mass 1st March in Newtown Church at 7:00pm
First Friday Anniversary Mass 1st March in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm

Many thanks to all who support the Envelope Collections it really is much appreciated.
New Envelopes will be available from NEXT week for the new Envelope Year.

St. Andrew's Parish Church

Fundraiser Country Concert

on Wednesday 20th March at 8:00pm in Parish Church.

Louise Morrissey, Olivia Douglas, Stacey Breen, Adrian Ryan, Mary Darcy, Teresa & The Stars as backing band.

Tickets €20 available from Parish Office 059-9721154,

Local shops & Eventbrite

Donations for Raffle on the night would be most gratefully accepted

PRAY FOR

Brian Williams, Gleann na Bearu whose Cremation took place on Monday.

MONTHS MIND

Lil Cummins, Graiguealug, Nurney. Mass on Sunday 25th February in Newtown Church at 9:00am.

Collette Fenelon, Highfield, Carlow & Curracruit. Mass on Sunday 25th February in Parish Church at 11:30am.

Michael Heffernan, 13 St. Brigids Crescent. Mass on Saturday 2nd March in Parish Church at 6:00pm.

ANNIVERSARIES

Liam Corcoran, 2 Pairc Mhuire Thomas, Margaret & Thomas Dillon Jnr, St. Brigids Crescent

David Williams, Maple Drive Tom & Peg Hickey, 12 St Brigids Crescent

Myles & Ellen Quirke, Monemore Jim O’Kane, The Hotel & Maple Drive

Esther Power, Bennettsbridge & St. Brigids Crescent

John Darcy, 85 St. Brigids Crescent Helen O’Neill, Regent Street

Peggy Geoghegan, 68 Pairc Mhuire John Condren, Ratheadon

Michael Kavanagh, High Street Jim Cushen, Pairc Mhuire & Graiguenamanagh

Kathleen Kennedy, 17 St. Brigids Crescent

Johnny Williams, 21 Conway Park
These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 1st & Saturday 2nd March 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

First Friday Anniversaries

1st March in Newtown Church at 7:00pm

Annie ‘Nancy’ Brooks, 2 Ashgrove, Fenagh

Elizabeth Hickey, Rathercan

Edward & Maryann Treacy, Boherduff

Mary O’Brien, Boherduff

Jim & Paddy Curran, Boherduff

Eileen Aughney, Newtown

Patrick & Mary-Theresa Drea, Fenagh & their daughter Mary

Thomas & Margaret O’Gorman, Boherduff

Gorman Family, Newtown

Keith O’Kane, Royal Oak Road

Michael Murphy, Boherduff

Deceased members of Ward Family, Ballydarton, Fenagh

Gerard Cox, Bagenalstown

Catherine Murray, Ballaghaderneen

Sr Mary Veronica Murray, Cambridge & Ballaghaderneen

Paddy Murray, Surrey & Ballaghaderneen

Noel Nolan, Kilconnor

Betty Murphy, Ballywilliamroe

Martin Carroll, Fenagh & his brothers Denis & Mick

Kathleen Murphy, Ashgrove, Fenagh

Richard Nolan, Ballyknockan

Deceased members of Byrne Family, Graiguenaspiddogue

Big Tree Players

Forthcoming play

“Through the chair”

in the McGrath Hall

Fri 1st, Sat 2nd & Sun 3rd

March

at 8:00pm.

Adm €10 (pay at door). *Come join us for a great nights entertainment.*

First Friday Anniversaries 1st March in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm

Jim & Maggie English, Seskinryan

Sarah Farrell, Ballinkillen

Edward Quirke, Dunroe

Katie Bolger, Coolnacuppogue

Kate Cullen, Coolnacuppogue

Denis Tobin, Ballyloughan

Mary O’Shea, Kenmare, Kerry

Paul O’Shea, Kenmare, Kerry

P.J. Brenan, Ballinkillen

Paddy Joyce, Corries

Johnny Phelan, Ballymartin

Tom Foley, Aughabeg

Catherine & Thomas Tennant, Clowater

Jimmy & Mai Murphy, Clowater &

their daughter Maria Hayden

Tom & Brigid Kane, Curranree

Paddy Kelly, Kilcruit

Mick Kelly, Kilcruit

Ballinkillen Lorum Community

BINGO Ballinkillen on Mondays @ 8pm. All are welcome

Carlow Flower Club

Our guest demonstrator for February will be Brenda Joyce from Doddervale Flower Club in south Dublin. Brenda is an AOIFA demonstrator, teacher and judge, and she will be demonstrating some beautiful Spring arrangements all of which will be raffled on the night. The competition for all categories is “A Spring Cascade” Looking forward to seeing lots of members and visitors on Tuesday 27th February at 8.00pm in the Woodford Dolmen Hotel. Non-members €10

Leighlinbridge & District Active

Retired: Committee Meeting on Mon 26th Feb at 2pm. Members meeting at 2:30pm. Refreshments followed by exercises with Eleanor at 3pm. Pickle Ball on Tues at 2pm in Old Leighlin Hall. Bowls on Thurs & Fri at 2:30pm in the Parish Centre.

Confirmation Dates 2024

St. Brigids Boys N.S. on 2nd

March 2024 at 11am in

Bagenalstown Church

Newtown N.S. on 9th March

2024 at 11am in Newtown

Church

Ballinkillen N.S. on 16th March

2024 at 11am in

Ballinkillen Church

Garryhill N.S. on 16th March

2024 at 11am in Ballinkillen

Church

First Holy Communion Dates 2024

St. Brigids Boys N.S. 11th May

2024 at 11am in

Bagenalstown Church

Queen of the Universe Girls

N.S. 11th May 2024 1:00pm in

Bagenalstown Church

Garryhill N.S. 12th May 2024 at

11:30am in Bagenalstown

Church

Ballinkillen N.S. 18th May 2024

at 11am in Ballinkillen Church

Nurney N.S. 19th May 2024 at

11am in Newtown Church

Newtown N.S. 25th May 2024 at

11am in Newtown Church