Pray for

P.J. Doorley, Ballyryan, Nurney who was interred in Newtown Cemetery on Tuesday.

Months Mind

Pat McEvov, Glenaharry, Mass on Sunday 21st December in Bagenalstown Church at 11:30am. Marie Lohan, Pairc Mhuire. Mass on Sunday 21st December Bagenalstown Church at 7:30pm.

1st Anniversary

Paddy Byrne, Conway Park, Mass on Saturday 20th December in Bagenalstown Church at 6:00pm. Kay Joyce, Corries. Mass on Sunday John Hawe, 20 Fairgreen & his son 21st December in Ballinkillen Church at 10:00am.

Breda Kelly, 24 Conway Park. Mass Margaret & Thomas Murphy, on Saturday 27th December in Bagenalstown Church at 6:00pm. Jimmy Walsh, 62 Conway Park. Mass on Sunday 28th December in Bagenalstown Church at 11:30am. Con Murphy, England & Kerry. Mass on Sunday 28th December in Bagenalstown Church at 7:30pm.

Room at the Inn-**Christmas Carol Service** in

the Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow 5pm Sunday 21stDecember. Presider: Bishop Denis Nulty. Everyone welcome. Donations on the evening for St. Vincent de Paul

ANNIVERSARIES

All anniversary bookings must be received before 2pm on the Wed before publication. James Dillon, 26 St Brigids Crescent Angela O'Sullivan nee Jacob, Kilcarrig Street & Florida Annie Guidera, Ballyknockan Lucy Fogarty, Kilcarrig Mollie & Jack Dovle, 27 St. Brigids Crescent Peter & Mai Bolger, Kilcarrig Elizabeth Wallace, Kiltealy

Phil Wallace, Kiltealy Tom Lupton, London & Carrig Jack & Lizzie Shiels, Pairc Mhuire Mary Drea, Bohermore John

Catherine Doyle, Boherduff Ballywilliamroe Jim Cummins, Ballywilliamroe Paddy O'Connor, 3 St. Brigids Crescent Maureen Hughes, 60 Conway Park

Mary Lynch, Bohermore Sarah Comerford, St. Brigids Crescent

These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 26th & Saturday 27th December 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

Turkey Trot 12noon St. Stephen's Day (26th Dec) from the Lower Stream in Aid of Carlow/Kilkenny Homecare

Church Newsletter Notice: To guarantee inclusion in our Church Newsletter, all anniversary bookings must be received 10days before date of anniversary Mass with deadline at 2pm on the Wednesday before publication. Thanks.

CHRISTMAS DEAD LIST Frank Lee, Brigid Nevin Ger Clarke John, James & Margaret Lee Tom & Alice Reddy John & Alice Whelan Brenda Munday, Esther Power Kay & Bert Solomon Matt Byrne, Jim & Joe Reddy Stephen Whelan Mark Allen, Moira Allen John & Sheila Keenan John Keenan Jnr Michael Cowman Molly & Mattie Cowman Noel & Maureen Cowman Larry & Katie Bolger, Martin Farrell Jim Farrell, Mary Farrell Harriett & Michael Carton Catherine & Peter Carton Josephine Lyons Denis Byrne, Catherine Byrne James McDonald, Betty McDonald Pat McDonald, John McDonald Noel McDonald, Mary Bolger Patrick & Ellen McGrath Anne McGrath, McGrath Family Murphy Family Paddy & Mary Cleary Jim & Kathleen Armstrong Breda & Seamus Kirwan Pat Armstrong, John Armstrong Cillian Kirwan, Jim Keegan Jack Armstrong, Art Kirwan Thomas Murray, Elizabeth Murray Jack Murray, Jane & Patrick Salter Eamonn Mahon, Joe Kinsella Michael & Mai Egan 🖢 Bernadette Egan, Egan Family Byrne Family

James & Brigid Dillon Michael & Josephine Brophy Margaret, Thomas & Thomas DillonJnr William & Elizabeth Corcoran Liam, Brendan & Michael Corcoran Kathleen & Roger Lill Peachie & Tommy Fov Patricia & Joseph DeLacey Peter Speake, Ann Campion Michael & Mary O'Neill John Murphy, Fr Jimmy Doyle Ann Kavanagh, Matthew Kavanagh Christina Thompson James Thompson Mary Thompson, Jack Thompson Bridie Thompson, John Thompson Johanna Thompson, Kate Kennedy Peter & Margaret Doyle Dan, John & Andrew Kennedy Laurence & Bridie Cullen Rita Doyle, Brian & Larry Cullen Kathleen Deane, Kevin O'Shea Thomas O'Shea Anna & Richard Murphy Fr Billy Murphy, Fr John Kennedy John & Julia Kennedy William & Mary Ann Murphy Kathleen & Stephen Murphy Paddy & Margaret Godfrey Nell & John Madden Betty & Bob Merrigan, Miley Kelly Mrs McGrath & John McGrath William Dillon Jnr. Natasha Dillon Marian Dillon, William Dillon Snr Mary Dillon Kinsella, Ann Byrne Jack Farrell, May Farrell, Jo Canavan Lena & Phonsie McDonald Ned & Dympna Hannon John, Kathleen & Ted Doran Joe Kearney

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LIVE WEBCAM

from our Parish Church

which can be viewed from our **Parish website**

FUNERALS

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

Fr Declan Foley: 087-6684299 Fr Shem Furlong: 087-2400582

Parish Office Hours:

Mon/Tues/Thurs 9:30-5pm/ Fri 9:30-12noon (Office Closed Wednesday) Parish Office: 059-9721154

PARISH RADIO

Tune in for Mass go to **106.9fm**

Confirmation

Dates 2026

St. Brigids Boys NS on 14th February at 11:00am Bagenalstown Church

Queen of the Universe NS on 14th February 11:00am Bagenalstown Church

Garryhill NS on 14th March at 11:00am in Ballinkillen Church Ballinkillen NS on 14th March 11:00am Ballinkillen Church Newtown Dunleckney NS on 21st March 11:00am Newtown Church

First Holy Communion Dates 2026

St. Brigids Boys NS on 25th April at 11:00am Bagenalstown Church

Queen of the Universe NS on 25th April at 11:00am Bagenalstown Church

Ballinkillen NS on 9th May at 11:00am Ballinkillen Church **Newtown Dunleckney NS** on16th May at 11:00am Newtown Church

Nurney NS on 23rd May at 11:00am Newtown Church

33rd Sponsored Swim/Walk Christmas Day for Carlow Kilkenny Home Care Team

In Memory of Vera Power, Swim at 12pm outside pool. Walk around Green Road 11:30am from picnic tables. Bucket for donations or gofundme Cards from Mary.

Invitation to Mass for the closing of the Jubilee

Year Bishop Denis invites all parishioners across the diocese to join him in giving thanks for the graces of the Jubilee Year in the celebration of the Mass, in the Cathedral of the Assumption Carlow, at 10:30 am Mass on the Feast of the Holy Family 28th December. Music will be led by the Cathedral Choir.

Personal Panic Alarm If you or a member of your family would like a personal panic alarm. If you are living in the local area and are aged over 65 years. Call Maria Nolan on 0872369031 If you have a landline, your alarm will be free of charge for the first year with a monitoring fee of 665 from the second year onwards. If you need a SIM card unit, it will cost 666 for sim at time of installation and 6132 from the second year onwards. This covers the cost of the SIM card and monitoring fee.

Leighlinbridge Active Retirement will resume meeting again on Monday 12th January with their first Committee meeting at the usual time of 1:45pm. A.G.M. will take placed on Monday 26th January at 2:30pm. **New members welcome**

CHURCH NOTICES

CONFESSIONS

Christmas Eve 10:30am-12noon

CHRISTMAS EVE

Bagenalstown - $\underline{6:00pm}$ **Newtown** - 7:00pm

Ballinkillen - 8:00pm

CHRISTMAS DAY

Bagenalstown - 8:00am & 11:30am (No evening Mass)

Newtown - 9:00am (Please note time)
Ballinkillen - 10:00am

ST.STEPHEN'S DAY

Mass at 10:00am

