Cathedral Parish Sunday 28th. October 2018 Dev. Fund €2184 Offertory €1010 Many thanks for your continued support

EVENTS ALPHA

The Alpha course continues in the Parish Centre Monday night at 7pm - 8.30pm. This 11 week course explores the basics of the Christian faith and is open to anvone aged 18+. There is no charge for Alpha. Each meeting will have food, a presentation and then group discussion and feedback. Newcomers are most welcome. For more information please see the flyers at the back of the Cathedral or contact Philip on 085 108 3582 / alphacarlow01@gmail.com.

YOUTH GROUP

A youth group for ages 15 - 18 is running in the Parish Centre on Wednesday evenings from 7.30pm to 8.30pm. All are welcome to attend.

PRESENTATION SCHOOL BAND

celebrates 50 years on Thursday 8th. November in the Seven Oaks Hotel at 7.30pm with Fr. Liam Lawton, Aspiro, Carlow Youth Orchestra, Reelig, Reelog, Scoil Mhuire Gan Smal and other friends. Tickets €10 from the Cathedral Parish Centre

CARLOW CATHEDRAL CONCERT on Monday 17th December at 8pm The Priests recently performed at Croke Park for his Holiness the Pope during his recent visit. This will be an evening of Christmas songs, seasonal Hymns and a few traditional favourites. Tickets €25 each are on sale from the Parish Centre

MASS TIMES MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday 10th. November 6.15pm Caoimhe Ní Fhearaíl

Sunday 11th. November 8.30am Maeve Mc Dermott 11.00am Rody Kelly 12.30pm Rory Healy Rosemary O'Hara 7pm

If you are unable to attend PLEASE APPOINT A SUBSTITUTE WEEKDAY MASSES - MONDAY TO FRIDAY 7.30AM AND 10AM / SATURDAY 10AM

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES NATIONAL COLLECTION - Saturday and Sunday 10th & 11th November

PROCEDURE FOR REQUESTING CERTIFI-CATES - All persons requesting Sacramental Certificate will have to fill our Form F001 - 1 and will be requested to produce photographic identifi-

THE KNIGHTS OF THE ST. COLUMBANUS information evening on Wednesday 14th. November at 7pm in the Cathedral Parish Centre, Carlow. For more information see www.knightsofstcolumbanus.ie

ST VINCENT DE PAUL Church Gate Collection will take place this weekend Saturday 3rd. and Sunday 4th. November. Thanks for your continued support.

ACCORD Pre - Marriage Course

There are a small amount of places available on the forthcoming courses in the The Cathedral Parish Centre, Carlow, January 11th &12th 2019 If you are getting married in early 2019 it is important that you book now. How to Book a place? Book on line www.accord.ie Contact Mary at Accord Carlow 059 9138738 for

further information

4th. November 2018



Bob's Your Uncle Lotto

Numbers drawn 28th. October 2018 6 - 9 - 25 - 26 **Jackpot Winner** 2 Match 3's share €1000

Lotto Tickets available in Lotto Office across from Cathedral after Saturday evening & all Sunday Masses or at the Parish Centre. Bingo every Friday & Sunday night in the Youth Centre, Green Lane at 8.30pm. All welcome.

'Whisperings of My Soul', with the help of Bishop Denis Nulty on Friday, 7th. December (N. B. change of date) at 8pm in The GAA Centre. McCann Park, Portarlington. Fr. Sean, of the parish of Rhode and Clonbullogue, invites everyone to this launch and appreciates any support with the launch and promotion of his book.

EMMANUEL HOURS OF PROVIDENCE CLON-FERT - day of prayer for the Holy Souls on Sunday 11th. November. Bus departs Tullow Church car park at 8am. Closh Stores at 8.30am and bus stop Barrack Street, Carlow. Bring packed lunch. Reservations Lily 9151245 087 - 2245193.

MASS - for members of bowls and short mats (both living and deceased) in Carlow Tennis Club on Thursday 8th. November at 3pm. All wel-

INDEPENDENT SENATOR FRANCES BLACK -

is coming to the Osprey Hotel, Naas on Monday 5th November at 7.15pm to speak about her recent visit to Palestine, the people she met, and the concrete steps Ireland can take against the ongoing injustice - including her Occupied Territories Bill 2018. The bill would end trade between Ireland & Israel's illegal settlements and passed a There is Storytime for U'6s every Saturday (except historic first vote in July. It soon returns to Seanad Éireann for the next stage. Senator Black will outline why she tabled the bill, how we can help to On Wednesday, 7th November, 6pm at Tullow Liis needed now more than ever.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE CARLOW FRINGE ARTS FESTIVAL- will be For further details on any of the above events, please Oaks Hotel, Athy Rd, Carlow. All Welcome.

FR.. SEAN HYLAND - launches his book, CARLOW ACTIVE RETIREMENT - going to National Concert Hall Dublin on Wednesday 14th November.to view a performance of "Carousel" bus leaving at 3pm Contact Noreen on 087 6522374 Members please note November monthly meeting will now be on Friday 16th November .at 2.30pm in Cathedral parish centre

> THE VINCENT DE PAUL SHOP - will have a large range of very nice gifts on sale next Tuesday morning November 6th. If you are looking for a Christmas present at a bargain price or you just want to treat yourself why not drop into the shop. St. Vincent de Paul will be extending their shop in the next few months so they are looking for extra SHOP VOLUNTEERS and also VOLUNTEER VAN DRIVERS. If you have 3 hours free per week can you help. Please contact Alex Stenson on 059 9173679 or

RAMBLING ROVERS - walking group in the Youth Centre, Green Lane (Monday and Wednesday nights) at 7.50pm for 8pm. Please wear high visibility clothing as the nights are getting darker. Suggested donation of €1 per walk with funds raised go to Down Syndrome Carlow branch. All welcome to attend.

FREE EVENTS IN CARLOW LIBRARY:-

bank holiday weekends)

get it passed, and why Irish-Palestinian solidarity brary, there is The Stolen Bollard Tour, an evening of poetry and fiction from Ireland and the U.S. starring Derek Coyle and Patrick Parks.

held on the 8th November at 7.30pm in the Seven phone Fiona at 059 9129705 or email fotoole@carlowcoco.ie

PARISH TEAM

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Diocesan Website www.kandle.ie

MERCY SISTERS

Bishop Denis Nulty, will unveil a plaque at the Mercy convent gate on Dublin Road **this Sunday 4th. November at 1pm.** 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**.

The Journey Concert: in St Clare's Church, Graiguecullen this Sunday 4th. November at 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. It promises to be a very special occasion.

All are welcome and admission to the concert is free.

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY

Sr. Maureen Kelly, St. Leo's Convent of Mercy, Carlow / Bagenalstown, Carlow.

May she rest in peace.

Our sympathy to the family and to all who mourn.



NEWSLETTER

THE THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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ANNUAL NOVEMBER MASS FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

The Annual November Mass for the Faithful Departed will be celebrated on Wednesday 14th. November at 7.30pm in the Cathedral.

Those from our parish who have died and those whose funerals took place in the Cathedral over the last 12 months will be especially remembered.

All are welcome to come along and to pray for their loved ones.

November List of the Dead

If you wish to have your departed relatives and friends included in the November List of the Dead, you may do so by using the envelope provided in your box of envelopes or any envelope (envelopes are provided at the entrances to the Cathedral). These will be remembered in Masses offered for those on the lists during the month of November.

Book of Remembrance

You are welcome to include the names of your dearly departed in our Book of Remembrance during the month of November.

Praying for the Faithful Departed

It is the practice of Christians to pray for those who have died. When we depart this life, we continue our journey to God and are prepared to meet him face to face. This preparation (cleansing or purification) is necessary to remove all stain of sin or remaining imperfection. God's grace achieves this in us, and special graces are granted in the month of November when we pray for the dead, visit a church or cemetery. These graces are called indulgences, and although they've gotten a bad press over the years, they are a way for us to help the Holy Souls by our prayers. Plenary indulgence for the faithful departed, by visiting a Church or Oratory and there reciting the Our Father and the Apostle's Creed. Confession may be made at any time within a week before or after 1st Nov. A plenary indulgence for the Holy Souls may also be gained once every day from Nov. 1st to 9th by visiting a cemetery having fulfilled the same conditions.

FEAST OF ST. WILLIBRORD ON WEDNESDAY 7TH. NOVEMBER