

### Cathedral Parish

Sunday 11th. November 2018

Dev. Fund €1244

Offertory €1123

Many thanks for your continued support

### AUTUMN DUES

For the support of the Bishop and Priests of the Parish may be handed in today and during the next couple of weeks. Envelopes are provided for this purpose in your box & also at the back of the Cathedral. Thanks to all those who already contributed.

### 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 anyone aged 18+. There is no charge for Alpha. Each meeting will have food, a presentation and then group discussion and feedback. New-comers are most welcome. For more information please see the flyers at the back of the Cathedral or contact Philip on 085 108 3582 / alphacar-low01@gmail.com.

### YOUTH GROUP

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

### ANNUAL PARISH CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

It is that time of year again when the parish is launching its annual Christmas Raffle. If anyone has any unwanted or unopened gifts at home and would like to donate them, we would very much appreciate them to use as spot prizes. Please leave anything you wish to donate into the Parish Office, thank you. This years fundraiser is In aid of Alopecia for Children Carlow/Kildare Branch

### MASS TIMES MINISTERS OF THE WORD

**Saturday 24th. November**  
6.15pm Walter Lacey

**Sunday 25th. November**  
8.30am Catherine O'Hare  
11.00am Richard Hoolan  
12.30pm Kay Slattery  
7pm Bob Holmes

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

### PROCEDURE FOR REQUESTING CERTIFICATES

All persons requesting Sacramental Certificate will have to fill out Form F001 - 1 and will be requested to produce photographic identification. This is in line with GDPR regulations.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

A Sunday School has been established in the Cathedral Parish for children ages 6-8 years of age. It will run concurrently with the 11am Mass. Any parents who wish their children to attend should bring their children to the Parish centre for 10.50am. The children will be brought through the Gospel of the day and there will be an arts and crafts activity around the Gospel. They will then be brought to the Cathedral during the Offertory

### SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS -

The Sunday School is looking for new volunteers. If you would like to join the team please leave your contact details into the Parish Centre

### PARISH SHOP

Now stocking a beautiful range of Christmas goods for the Christian Home. Open Monday to Friday 9am—5pm, come and browse at your leisure.

18th. November 2018



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.

### Bob's Your Uncle Lotto

Numbers drawn 11th. November 2018

5—15—17—26

Jackpot Winner

7 Match 3's share €1000

**ÉIST CANDLELIGHT WALK OF HOPE** on Saturday 24th November starting from Bank of Ireland Shamrock Plaza at 4.30pm, walking through the town behind Santa to Potato Market for the turning on of the Christmas Lights at 5pm. Join us in Bank of Ireland from 3.30pm for tea and a chat before the walk. All welcome.

**BETHANY HOUSE** A Beautiful Selection of quality Christmas Cards now on sale in Bethany House Alzheimer Day Care Centre, Barrack Street, Carlow. Pack of 12 assorted cards €8.50. Also a Beautiful Cook Book for sale €20. Call in to our office or phone Caroline/Moira/Laura 0599134736 or 0879126555

**ASKEA SENIOR CITIZENS - Annual Christmas Party** is on Sunday 25th. November in the Seven Oaks Hotel at 1pm members need to book and pay by 15th. November. New members welcome. Transport available. Contact Marian 059 - 9143010.

### CARLOW CHORAL SOCIETY

Presents

A Glorious Christmas

In the Cathedral of the Assumption

Carlow

On

Saturday December 8th 2018

At 8pm.

Tickets €20 and children free. Tickets available from [www.eventbrite.ie](http://www.eventbrite.ie) and on [www.carlowchoralsociety.net](http://www.carlowchoralsociety.net) and from choir member. For further info contact Miriam at [carlowchoral-society@gmail.com](mailto:carlowchoral-society@gmail.com)

**FR. SEAN HYLAND** - launches his book, *'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.

**WORLD WAR 1 MEMORIAL EVENT** at Carlow Town Hall, Sunday November 18th. Co ordained by Carlow County Council Centenary Committee, the ceremony will commence at 1pm. No charge for admission and all are welcome.

**ANYONE FOR BRIDGE?** If you like the game of Bridge and are free to play bridge on a Tuesday and or Wednesday night in Carlow Town, you would be very welcome to come and join these clubs. For more information please contact 087 9964839

**CARLOW GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS** meet every Monday night at 8pm in Cathedral Parish Centre. New members always welcome. All meetings are strictly confidential.

### 'THE PRIESTS' IN CONCERT

on **Monday 17th December at 8pm in Carlow Cathedral**— 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

### PARISH TEAM

Fr. Ruairi Ó'Domhnaill Adm., Fr. Brian Maguire C.C., The Presbytery, Dublin Road.  
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### CARLOW BINGO REMINDER

At the Youth Centre, Green Lane, on Sunday 2nd December at 3pm.  
€10,000 in prize money. All Full House on Book—€500/Full House on Jackpot €1,500  
Full House on Raffle Game €1,000/Full House on Flyer Game €1,000  
6 Panel Book €5 / Double Book €10 Plus Bumper Lotto Jackpot  
Don't Miss It !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

VENUE HIRE  
ENQUIRY



### CARLOW YOUTH CENTRE HIRE

Now taking bookings for all indoor events, sporting and otherwise,  
at very competitive rates. Ample parking and accessibility.

**For enquiries contact Jimmy on 087 3261578**

### WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY

**Tony Lacey,**  
12 Riverside, Carlow

May he rest in peace.  
Our sympathy to the family and to all who mourn.



## CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION NEWSLETTER

THE THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

November 18th 2018

### A Prayer for World Day of the Poor

Loving God,

You hear the cry of each of your children, and especially those who are  
poor and suffering.

We pray that we too might hear the cries of people in need:

The family crying out for food.....

The migrant child crying out for his mother.....

The youth crying out for education.....

The farmer crying out for rains for his harvest.....

The trafficked and abused, crying out for freedom.....

All of who are poor and vulnerable, crying out for help

Lord, open our hearts that we may hear the cries of the poor as you do and  
respond as your hands and feet on earth.

In your name we pray

**AMEN**