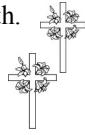


Anniversaries

John O'Shea, Ballinphellic North.
Johnny Marshall, Meadstown.
Paddy O'Leary, Knocklucy.
Daniel Walsh, Ballea &
Ballyphehane.
Joe (Joseph) Lynch, Gortnaclough.
Thomas Whelton, Gortnaclough &
Ballincollig.



Saturday 16th:- Vigil

Ballyheada 7.30pm

Mass Intentions:-

Joan Desmond, Ballyheada.

Sunday 17th:-

Ballygarvan 10.30am

Mass Intentions:-

John Bernard, Meadstown.

(1st Anniversary)

Mary, Denis & Tim Bernard,
Meadstown.

Alan Kiely, Ballinabearna.

Pat Spillane, Ballinabearna.

Philomena Timmons, Cahergal.

Con Bowen, Gortnaclough &
Ballygarvan.



Goggins Hill 12noon

Mass Intentions:-

Dan & Nellie Coleman,

Ballinagrumoolia.

Dan Coomey, Briar Hill.

Ben Cottrell, Ballyhooleen.

Michael, Mary & Joe Collins, Rearour.

John, Jim & Margaret Ryan, Ballinooe.



MASS Times Next Week:-

Wednesday 20th:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 21st:-

Ballyheada 9.30am

Friday 22nd:-

Ballygarvan 9.30am

Saturday 23rd Vigil

Ballyheada:- 7.30pm

Sunday 24th:-

Ballygarvan 10.30am

Goggins Hill 12noon

Christmas Flower Demo

Owenabue Flower Group will host a
Christmas Floral Demonstration by
Chris Bailey on Monday November
25th at 8.00pm in St. Mary's N.S
Waterpark. All welcome & 7Euro.

Church Flower Collections

Church Flower Groups
church collection in all three
churches on Saturday/Sunday
November 30th & December 1st.
This collection will help defray costs
of Christmas, Easter and flowers for
other church occasions.
Thanks for your continued support.

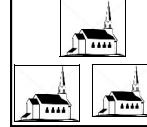


Please return Shoe Boxes this week.

Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



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Mary O'H
submits.....

Cherished Memories

November Reflection :-

You can shed tears that they have gone,
or you can smile because they lived.

You can close your eyes and pray that they'll come back,
or you can open your eyes and see all they have left.

Your heart can be empty because you can't see them,
or you can be full of the love you shared.

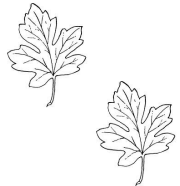
You can turn your back on tomorrow & live yesterday,
or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.

You can remember them only that they have gone,
or you can cherish their memory and let it live on.

You can cry and close your mind,
be empty and turn your back.

Or you can do what they'd want:

Smile, open your eyes, love and go on.



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Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday

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Thought for the Week.....

Staying positive doesn't mean you have to be happy all the time.

It means that even on hard days you know
that there are better ones coming.



World Day of the Poor

This is the **eight World Day of the Poor** and will be observed on this Sunday **November 17th, 2024**. In his apostolic letter to close the Year of Mercy, Pope Francis suggested the Catholic Church set aside one day each year when communities can “*reflect on how poverty is at the very heart of the Gospel.*” It will be celebrated on the *33rd Sunday In Ordinary Time* each year.

A Prayer For Families to say on World Day of the Poor

Dear God, Our Father.
As we remember the **World Day of the Poor**, We pray for our family and for all families who experience poverty around the world.



When we eat, we thank you for our meal, and we remember families who do not have enough food. We do not waste what we have, and we share our food with others.

When we play, we thank you for the gift of free time and safety, and we pray especially for all the children around the world who are not able to play freely.

When we pray, we thank you for our family, and we pray for all families around the world who live in poverty. May you be with them, and help our family to always remember to reach out to them. Amen.

Remembrance Sunday

World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims is celebrated on the third Sunday of November each year, this year it is **November 17th**.

It is a day to remember those who died or suffered serious injuries in road traffic accidents and also remember their families.

On this day we also pay tribute to the dedicated emergency crews, gardaí and medical professionals who deal daily with the traumatic aftermath of road collisions.



Thank You

Sincere thanks from the parishioners to all the members of the **Parish Funeral Ministry Team** for their dedication and time on Sunday **November 3rd** for the **Annual Blessing of the Graves** in all Graveyards of the Parish.



Best of Luck to Tina Sexton as she retires from the Funeral Ministry Team after many years of voluntary service. Your time, empathy and dedication was appreciated by all during that time.



We welcome Eileen Donohoe who recently joined the Funeral Ministry Team.



Childrens Day

International Childrens Day is November 20th.

Camogie Bingo

Ballinhassig Camogie Club annual Christmas BINGO NIGHT in the Marian Hall on Saturday **November 23rd at 8.00pm.**

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Hampers galore, *spots*.
Great fun night assured. Baskets and items for hampers appreciated.



Christmas Markets

Outdoor Markets:-

Ballyheada N.S Parents Association
Sunday **November 24th** from 1.30pm-4.00pm at Ballyheada School Grounds.

Ballygarvan Community Association

Sunday **December 1st**
11.00am –2.30pm..
At Community Centre Grounds (Old National School).
All Welcome!!!!



Ballinhassig Bazaar

Ballinhassig GAA Club Christmas Bazaar on Sunday **December 1st** in conjunction with the turning on of the lights in the Village. Santa arrives at 5.15pm. If you wish to take a stall please contact **087 657 9925**.

St. Vincent de Paul

The local **St. Joseph's Conference of St. Vincent de Paul** would like to sincerely thank all who support our monthly Church Gate Collections and other fundraising efforts throughout the year. Through your generosity, people who are struggling financially in our community are supported to ensure that their essential needs are met.

If you need support, please do not hesitate to contact SVP Cork Central Office on **021 4270 444** or **www.svp.ie**. All referrals made centrally are passed on to local volunteers and treated with absolute confidentiality and sensitivity.
Christmas Church Gate Collection December 7th/8th.

Active Retired Club

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club
Christmas Dinner/Party in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig

Saturday December 7th
Lunch at 1.00pm
(all seated 12.45pm)
Music.
Tickets cost 35Euro.



Names and payment to:- Mary 021 4885062 or 086 318 3645 or any committee member.

Early booking essential. Names and payment appreciated on or before November 30th. All welcome!!!!

Christmas Flower Arranging:-

Tuesday December 10th @ 8.00pm
(in the Main Hall of the Marian Hall)
Demo by **Mary Coughlan**.
Cost 10Euro including refreshments and raffle tickets.
All welcome!!!!!!!!!!



Church Cleaning Ballygarvan

November 30th at 10.00am.
One hour appreciated. All welcome

Carry On Regardless

Carry on Regardless Committee are inviting children born in **2016** only to join the cast for **2025**. Show runs from **March 13th-16th**.
Rehersals begin 1st week of January on Sunday. If interested contact **086 0410 707**.
Unfortunately there are no vacancies in any other age group.