

Anniversaries

Michael Spillane, Summer Hill.
Tim O'Regan, Ballygarvan.
Nellie McCarthy, Halfway.
Dan Coomey, Briar Hill.
Joan Desmond, Ballyheada.
Mary O'Connor, Carrickmacross.

Saturday 1st:- Vigil All Souls
Ballyheada 7.00pm

No Mass Intentions:-

Sunday 2nd
Ballygarvan 10.00am
No Mass Intentions:-

Goggins Hill 11.30am
No Mass Intentions:-

We Remember

Helen Coleman (née O'Mahony)
Halfway, Ballinhassig who died
during the week.
*We pray for her family
neighbours and friends.*

Second Collection

Second collection next week end
Saturday/Sunday **November 8th/9th**
is for **Diocesan Youth Ministry**.

First Saturdays

**First Saturday Devotions for Peace in
the world** continue in **Ballyheada** on
First Saturdays at 6.25pm before
7.00pm Mass. All welcome.

MASS Times Next Week:-

HOLY SOULS NOVENA

Monday 3rd:- No Mass
Tuesday 4th:- No Mass

Wednesday 5th:-
Goggins Hill:- 9.30am

Thursday 6th:-
Ballyheada:- 9.30am

Friday 7th:- First Friday
Ballygarvan:- 9.30am
Adoration After Mass
Ballyheada:-
Holy Hour 7.00pm-8.00pm

Saturday November 8th Vigil
Ballyheada:- 7.00pm

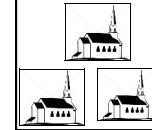
Sunday November 9th
Ballygarvan 10.00am
Goggins Hill 11.30am

Readings November 9th

Ex 47:1-2, 8-9.
Ps 45:2-3, 5-6, 8-9, R/ v 5.
1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17.
Jn 2:13-22.

Thought for the week
**Hope is faith holding out its hand
in the dark.**

Ballinhassig Parish



Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

Vol. 34 No. 8 Sunday: November 2nd, 2025 (The Commemoration Of All The Faithful Departed)

Mary O'H
submits

As we gather and pray in our Cemeteries

*On this Sunday November 2nd as we gather for prayers in the cemeteries
of our parish, you may like to reflect on the following:*

Reflection:-

Lord, we come here today-
to revere the memory of those
whom you have called from this life,
we come to the place where their
remains were returned to the earth
in the way of all flesh;
earth to earth and dust to dust.



Here is where they were entrusted-
into your hands, into your love.
Here is where they were given
the final farewell, and prayers
for a safe journey into your keeping.



Here is where we especially ask you-
to bestow on them the joy of your peace,
so that together with you
in your eternal home,
where this world of dust and ashes
and the fragility of this life
no longer hold sway,
they will find eternal rest.

Amen.

(Christy Kenneally)



2025 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday
by Mary O'Halloran (021 4885 062, 021 4885 257)
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All Souls Day - November 2nd.

Remembering our Loved ones this November.

During November we concentrate on remembering our deceased loved ones:-

The Holy Souls Novena, the visits to the graveyard, while these are spiritually good for us they make it impossible for people to avoid being revisited by the pain and loss of a loved one, whether recently bereaved or carrying the scars from a past bereavement.

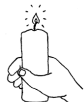
We hold dear the memory of those who have been a truly significant part of each of us.



The gift of memory and its place within our hearts brings us consolation.

Our hearts are warmed by the comfort of others and slowly over time we begin to heal and embrace life once again as our loved ones would wish us to live.

We ask God to heal our pain and sadness as the month of November is a time of **Remembrance and Thanksgiving** for the lives of our loved ones no matter how short or long that life was.



For Your Diary Parish Confirmation

Ballygarvan:-
February 10th, 2026

Ballyheada:-
March 11th, 2026

Parish Communion

Goggins Hill:-
May 9th, 2026

Ballyheada:-
May 16th, 2026

Ballygarvan:-
May 23rd, 2026

Reflection

Holy Souls



Holy souls are special people
Whom from us God did call
We are left here broken hearted
For we love them one and all.
All we have left is just our memories
Of the times when they were near
Longing for those precious moments
Wishing they were here.
But death is not the end for us
It is just an open door where
Some day we will be with them
With more happiness than before.

Once again with all our loved ones
All our sorrow it will end
In God's home we'll be re united
Parents, family and friends.
So in this special holy month
Remember them and pray
Those Holy souls our own
Dear loved ones to God
Are on their way.



Pray for one Another

We remember and pray for all our parishioners both at home and abroad who have been recently bereaved, those who had or are awaiting surgery, treatment, or are ill in any way both physically or mentally, and those facing their final days in this world.

For all who suffer addiction, loneliness, feel forgotten or helpless, those dealing with difficulties in their daily lives, and for the intentions of those who cannot pray themselves at this time.

You are all in our thoughts and prayers.



Burned Candles - If you have candles of any type which are partially burned or will no longer burn, hand them into the **PAN Centre (Parish Office)** 021 4885 062 where they will be forwarded to the nuns in Glencairn for use in their candlemaking, to raise funds for them.

Active Retired Club

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club monthly social in the Marian Hall from 2.30pm - 4.30pm on **Thursday November 13th.**

Community Garda will give a presentation and talk on **Safety, Security issues** etc. followed by **cuppa, chat.** All welcome.

Christmas Dinner in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig on **Saturday December 6th.**

Lunch at 1.00pm sharp.
Music, spots for everyone,
dancing, fun and chat
Tickets cost 40.00Euro.

Names and payment to:-
Mary 021 4885 062; 086 3183 645
or any committee member.

Early booking essential, names and payment appreciated **on or before** **November 22nd**

All welcome!!!!!!!

Christmas Flowers

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club:-

Will host a **Christmas Flower Arranging/ Demonstration** by **Mary McCrum** in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig on **December 9th at 7.30pm.**

All welcome....

Holy Souls Novena:-

Sunday November 2nd:-	Ballygarvan	10.00am
	Goggins Hill	11.30am
Monday & Tuesday November 3rd & 4th	No Mass	
Wednesday November 5th:-	Goggins Hill	9.30am
Thursday November 6th:-	Ballyheada	9.30am
Friday November 7th:-	Ballygarvan	9.30am
Saturday November 8th:-	Ballyheada	7.00pm
Sunday November 9th:-	Ballygarvan	10.00am
	Goggins Hill	11.30am

Graveyard Prayers - November

The **Annual Prayers & Blessing of the Graves** in the parish graveyards will take place on:-

Sunday **November 2nd** as follows:



Killingley: After **10.00am** Mass in Ballygarvan

Liscleary: After **Killingley** (12.noon approx.)

Goggins Hill: After **11.30am** Mass

Ballyheada: **2.00pm**

Ballinaboy: After Ballyheada (2.50pm)

Graves will be blessed by the Funeral Ministry Team.

Blessing of Graves in :-

St. James Cemetery Chetwynd:-

Sunday November 2nd at 3.00pm

St. Finbarr's Cemetery Glasheen:-

Sunday November 9th at 2.30pm



Bus to Leinster House - Greenway

Members of the community along the proposed **Cork to Kinsale Greenway** route will be attending a peaceful protest outside Leinster House on Wednesday **November 12th.**

Bus leaving Ballinhassig at 5.00am. Details and booking **087 9786 350** or **086 3896 611.**

Shoe Box Appeal 2025

Please return your **Team Hope Shoe Boxes** as soon as possible.

Still time to participate, contact PAN Centre **021 4885 062.**

Get involved and make a difference to a needy child this Christmas.



Thank You.