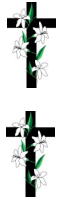


Anniversaries

Daniel Deasy, Skehanagh.
Catherine Deasy, Skehanagh.
Mary Hegarty, Kingsland.
Catherine Cronin, Corran.
Denis McCarthy, Tulligmore.
Michael Hurley, Clogheenduan.
Mary O'Neill, Dunmanway.
Anna Moynihan, Ballygarvan Upper.



Lord welcome our brothers and sisters to Paradise and help us to comfort one another with the assurance of our faith, until we all meet in Christ.

Parish Baptism Team

Parents of children for Baptism:- You are invited to come to the **Parish Baptismal Preparation Session** in the **Marian Hall** at 7.30pm on one of the following dates:-

June 26th; July 31st or August 28th.
Please indicate which date you will attend to 4885062.

Thank You –Word of God

Thanks to the Parish Assembly members and those who gathered in the Marian Hall for the two short evenings to explore together how the **'Word of God'** impacts on our daily lives. *(Details of more in the Autumn)*

Alzheimer Tea Day—Thank You

Sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to the recent **Alzheimer Tea Day** in the home of Seamus & Zoe Fleming, Corran. Total proceeds **360euro**.

MASS TIMES

Next Week:-

Monday 3rd:-
Ballygarvan No Mass

Tuesday 4th:-
Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 6th:-
Ballyheada 10.00am

Friday 7th:-
Ballygarvan 9.30am
Ballyheada 8.00pm

Friday is the First Friday of June.
Fr. Kieron & Sr. Josephine will make the usual monthly visits.

Saturday 8th:- Vigil
Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 9th:-
Ballygarvan 10.00am
Goggins Hill 11.30am

Camino

Meeting in the Marian Hall on Tuesday **June 11th** at 8.00pm for all those travelling this June.

Pledge

Any confirmation children wishing to take the **Pledge** can do so when Fr. Kieron will visit the schools.

Child minder available to mind child/children in own home.
Contact **087/6607544**

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Permanent Diaconate

Bishop John Buckley has issued a statement to the effect that he has decided to introduce the permanent diaconate in our diocese. Following the information sessions that were held throughout the diocese in 2010 Bishop Buckley has reflected on the observations made and believes that this is the opportune time to introduce this ancient order into the local church.



In this, Bishop Buckley is following the practice of many countries that have done so over the past 50 years, and more recently, many Irish dioceses who have introduced the Diaconate. This development will be in tandem with the main pastoral thrust of the diocese which has seen the growing involvement of lay people in leadership and life of our parishes. One of the deacon's main functions will be to ensure that this development is consolidated. The permanent deacon shares with the bishop and priest in the sacrament of orders.

He can perform many of the functions currently associated with the priest: baptism; weddings; funeral preaching. But, he brings the grace of his ordination to all aspects of his life and is expected to have a particular care for the poor. The diaconate is open to married and single men alike: married men must be at least 35 on applying; celibate men can be accepted at 25. The upper age limit is 63 at ordination. The preparation takes four years.

It consists of an introductory year aimed at helping a candidate to discern if he has a vocation and a three year study programme which is approved by the Pontifical University of Maynooth. The introductory year will begin in September next and those interested should contact their local priest or the *Diocesan Director of the Permanent Diaconate for Cork and Ross: Canon Bertie O'Mahony, Carrigaline 4371684.*



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Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday
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First Holy Communion 2013

The following children from *Ballygarvan National School* received their *First Holy Communion*, at *Mary, Mother of God, Church* on Saturday *May 25th, 2013*.



Dylan Corcoran
David Anthony
Aaron O'Leary
Colin Crowley
Jack Cottrell
Gavin Moore
Ben O'Flynn
Josh Crowley
Timmy Hawkins



Micheal O'Mahoney
Brona Kearney
Jemma Looney
Dalbha Lyons
Tara Lyons
Sean Casey
Susan Harris
Orla Madden
Eric Condon
Ronan Curley
Conor Hunt
Julia Field
Lily Field
Eimear Geary
Peter Dorney
Jack Mangan
Adam Phelan
Robert Herlihy
Eanna McCarthy
Emily O'Sullivan
Grace Buckley
Amy Coveney
Anita McIntyre



Charlie Moynihan
Evan O'Connor
Cillian O'Regan
Kevin Lyons
Jack Ronan
Leo Troy
Lucy Casey
Eva Mangan
Abbie Cussen
Sophie Elliffe
Charlie Moloney
Charlie McCarthy
Daniel O'Mahoney



Childs Prayer

God, our loving Father, we thank you for giving us Jesus to be our friend.

We know that he loves us and is always with us.

May he who loves and guides us all and listens when we pray be close to you and bless you on **Your Communion Day**.

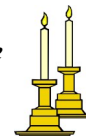


Vintage to New

Fun Girls Night Out in *Goggins Hill N.S.* on Thursday **June 13th** at 8.00pm in aid of *School Development Fund*. Tickets 10Euro. Featuring :- Marian McCarthy personal stylist collection of designer labels. Selection of sale items on the night. Needed: - and gratefully appreciated smart casual wear, dresses, tops, skirts, belts, bags, and unworn shoes. N.B. ensure clothes are washed and clean. *Donate unwanted items to Adrienne Kelly in Crossbarry 086/0470845. or Maura Mackey, Ballyhooleen 087/7699714 or drop into school week beginning June 10th. Thank You.*

Best of Luck

To the students of the parish and students everywhere as they commence their Junior & Leaving Cert Exams this week. *The Exam Candle will continue to be lit at all week end Masses in the coming weeks.*



Prayer for Students

Lord, pour out your spirit of Wisdom on our students, help them to remain calm, to attend carefully to the questions asked, to think clearly, to remember accurately, and to express themselves well. Grant that they may reflect the best of the work they have done and the best of the teaching they have received.



Accept their best efforts in these examinations and in the great test of life on earth. May your love be upon us, O'Lord, as we place all our trust in you.

Ballinhassig AFC

Summer Soccer Camp:- July 8th-12th, age 6-14years. 65Euro per child, 5Euro discount per family. Details **086/2125663**

Flowers of Hope Collectors

Collectors urgently required in the parish particularly in the Ballygarvan area. Contact **Cottrell's Shop** or **4885062**.

Eacht Awards

Congratulations to the following past pupils of *Goggins Hill N.S., Mairead Tyres* who received **Student of the Year 2nd Year** at the recent *Eacht Awards at Ballincollig Community School* and *Adrian Murphy* who received **Student of the Year 5th Year**. Congratulations also to the other past pupils of Goggins Hill N.S. who received awards.

PARISH WALK Sunday June 9th

Marymount Hospice

Antiques Roadshow, Valuation Day
In aid of Marymount Hospice by members of the Irish Antiques Dealers Association at Curraheen on Sunday **June 16th** from 12noon-4.30pm. Experts will value your antiques. One valuation 5Euro; three 10Euro. All welcome.

Liskillea Montessori School

Those wishing to attend *Liskillea Montessori School* in September should enrol immediately as places are limited. We are registered for the Government Early Childhood Education Scheme. Contact Fiona **087/2333070** for details and booking.

Belgooly Show Sat. June 1st.

Family day, cattle, show jumping, dog show, vintage, sheep shearing, crafts, best dressed lady, bonny baby.

Cul Camp Registration

Ballinhassig GAA Underage Section Cul Camp Registration on Tuesday **June 4th** from 7.00pm-8.00pm in GAA Rooms. **Camp from August 19th - 23rd** from 9.30am-1.30pm. Cost 1st child 55Euro; 2nd 45Euro; 3rd 35Euro. Coaches contact **087/6738745**.