

Anniversaries

Eileen Crowley, Station Steps.
Finbarr Holland, Lisfehill.
Lisa Shears, Meadstown.
Bridie Murphy, Halfway.
David Finn, Chesterfield.
Eileen Walsh, Tooreen.
Patrick Hurley, Ballyguinnane.
Fr. Fachtna O'Neill, Curraheen.
Francis Kearney, Goggins Hill.
Finbarr Kearney, Goggins Hill.
Paddy O'Sullivan, Killountain.
Jeremiah Galvin, Garretstown.
Derry O'Sullivan, Shanagraigue.
Catherine O'Sullivan, Killountain.
Paddy Kelleher, Clougheenduan.
Eamon Deveney, Newtowncunningham, Co. Donegal.

*Death is not extinguishing the light,
but putting out the Lamp
because the Dawn has come*

Baptism

Baptism is one of the seven sacraments of the church. It begins your child's rite of passage into full membership of the Christian community.

We in Ballinhassig parish welcome your children and pray for their parents.

Family Prayer:-

Loving God, we ask your blessing on our family.

Watch over us and guide

us. Make our home a place of love and safety, a place of peace and joy, a place where we grow in faith together. Amen

*Christ
our Saviour
is Born*



Masses Next Week

Monday:- January 4th

Ballygarvan:- 10.00am

Tuesday:- January 5th

Goggins Hill at 10.00am

Vigil Epiphany:-

Ballyheada at 7.00pm

Wednesday:- January 6th

Ballygarvan at 10.00am

Goggins Hill at 11.30am

Thursday:- January 7th

Ballyheada at 10.00am

Saturday 9th:- Vigil

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday January 10th:-

Ballygarvan at 10.00am

Goggins Hill at 11.30am

Community Hour

Ballygarvan Community Association will hold a "Community Hour" in the old school Ballygarvan on **Sunday January 10th from 11.30am-12.30pm** tea/coffee, chat, ideas etc. All welcome

Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

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Mary O'Halloran submits....

NEW YEAR WISHES 2016

Family is something we all hold dear to our heart.

At the onset of a New Year we always hope for a brighter tomorrow for our parents; grandparents; siblings; uncles and aunts; nephews, nieces, cousins, inlaws, neighbours and friends and wish that no cloud of sorrow can mar the happiness in their life's horizon.

May this New Year bring you happy and memorable times, and if the year gone by has been bitter sweet let us continue to be each other's pillar of support in the year ahead.

Let us all pray for one another and promise to be by each other's side in the days ahead. This Year may the sunshine of happiness always be radiant in your heart and the dove of peace find a nest in your hearth.



A New Year's Prayer

May God make your year a happy one!

Not by shielding you from all sorrows and pain,

But by strengthening you to bear it, as it comes;

Not by making your path easy, But by making you sturdy to travel any path;

Not by taking hardships from you, But by taking fear from your heart;

Not by granting you unbroken sunshine, But by keeping your face bright,

even in the shadows;

Not by making your life always pleasant,

But by showing you when people and their causes need you most,

and by making you anxious to be there to help.



At times our own light goes out and is rekindled by a spark from another person.

Each of us has cause to think with deep gratitude of those who have lighted the flame within us.

(Albert Schweitzer)



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

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Baptisms 2015

We welcome to the Christian Community the following children who were Baptised in Ballinhassig Parish during 2015.

Jemma McCarthy, Farlestown, daughter of Finbarr and Susan.
Cian Holland, Lisfehill, son of Aidan and Clodagh.
Oisín Barry, 24 Gleann Dara, Ballygarvan, son of Finbarr and Karen.

Ava Drew-Yang, Blackrock, daughter of Ying Yang and Drew.
Oisín Drew-Yang, Blackrock, son of Ying Yang and Drew.
Lewis O'Donovan, 17 Gleann Dara, Ballygarvan, son of Peter and Niamh.
Colm Aherne, Barrett's Hill, daughter of Billy (William) and Ann-Marie.
Jackson Murphy, Ballygarvan, son of John and Julia.
Evie Marie Desmond, 7 Lissagroom, Crossbarry, daughter of Alan and Siobhan.
Jack Murphy, Ballyduhig, Ballygarvan, son of Gerard and Moira.
Aoibhe O'Brien, Lios Cross, Ballygarvan, daughter of Declan and Linda.
Daniel O'Brien, Ballyleigh, son of Frank and Fiona.
Stuart Florish-Desmond, Rigsdale, son of Michael and Lorraine.



Evan Twomey, Adamstown, son of Michael and Gillian.
Cian O'Sullivan, Ballinaloughy, son of John and Terry.
Neasa Burke, Ballinaloughy, daughter of John and Mari.
Juliet Murphy, Skehanagh, daughter of John and Michelle.
Rian Quinlan, Rearour, son of Emmet and Diane.
Charles Cullinane, Clougheenduan, son of Colin and Majella.
Katie O'Halloran, Curra, Upton, daughter of Nigel and Margaret.
Florence O'Halloran, Wellington, N.Z., daughter of Trevor and Andrea.
Donnacha Linehan, 19 Gleann Alainn, Ballygarvan, son of Brendan and Mary.
Riley O'Sullivan, Kingsland, son of Paul and Grace.

Charlotte Wainwright, Seattle, Washington, daughter of Adrian and Patricia.
Ruby O'Brien, 35 Gleann Rua, Ballygarvan, daughter of Jim and Kim.

Baptisms 2015

Nicholas Sherlock, Ballinphellic, son of Graham and Magdalena.
Lily Wholihan, Lios Cross, Ballygarvan, daughter of Ian and Catriona.
Daniel Wholihan, Lios Cross, Ballygarvan, son of Ian and Catriona.
Nelle Cohalan, Ballinabearna, daughter of Padraig and Fanny.
Marie Hickey, Ballyhooleen, daughter of Stephen and Quiming.
Hayley O'Sullivan, Kingsland, daughter of Declan and Joanne.
Tara Curtin, Corran, daughter of Kieran and Geraldine.
Sophie Brosnan, Ballinaloughy, daughter of John and Melissa.

Muirne Collins, Goggins Hill, daughter of Brian and Mary.
Laoise Cahill, Ballyleigh, daughter of James and Rachel.
Liam Lynchehaun-Delahunty, Ballygarvan Upper, son of Thomas and Annemarie.
Aifric O'Mahony, Goggins Hill, daughter of Daniel and Elaine.
Emily O'Donovan, Knockpogue, daughter of Cathal and Kathleen.
David Fenton, Ballinphellic North, son of Brian and Verona.
Hazel O'Brien, Ballinaboy, daughter of Michael and Claire.
Kevin O'Brien, Ballinaboy, son of Michael and Claire.
Rory Aherne, Coolatooder, son of Ian and Elaine.
Adalyn O'Donovan, 8 Gleann Dara, Ballygarvan, daughter of John and Fiona.
Emily Malone, 11 Gleann Alainn, Ballygarvan, daughter of Andrew and Elizabeth.
Rian O'Leary, Ballincranig, son of Michael and Carol.
Anna Downey, Goggins Hill, daughter of Jason and Deborah.

Brendan O'Regan, Old Abbey, son of Michael and Michelle.
Gracie Smith, Liskillea, daughter of David and Annette.
Harry Hickey, Ballyhooleen, son of Martin and Lydia.
Andrea Kim-MacDonald, 56 The Elysian, Cork, daughter of Andrew and Yun Hee.
Olivia O'Mahony, Ballinreesig, daughter of Samuel Joseph and Ruth.
Isabelle Healy, Ballyleigh, daughter of Declan and Martina.
Alexander McCarthy, Halfway, son of Martin and Claire.
Eliza O'Brien, Lios Cross, Ballygarvan, daughter of John and Christine.
Aaron Ashman, Ballygarvan Upper, son of Ken and Katherine.
Daisy Sexton, 42 Gleann Alainn, Ballygarvan, daughter of Niall and Ashling.
Oscar Murphy, Killeens, Blarney, son of Tom and Grace.
Joseph McSweeney, 2 Gleann Rua, Ballygarvan son of Gavin and Sandra.
Elizabeth O'Connell, Adamstown, daughter of James and Carol.
Eimear O'Neill, Dunderrow, daughter of Martin and Ciara.
Oliver Lombard, Old Abbey, son of Paul and Deirdre.
Alisha O'Callaghan, Ballyduhig South, daughter of Joseph and Chompunut.
Donncha Mullins, 63 Gleann Rua, Ballygarvan, son of Christopher and Jacinta.
Leighton Reidy-Hickey, Ballyhooleen, son of Adrian and Noelle.
Alex Duggan, Rearour, son of Brian and Niamh.
Tadhg Murphy, Ballyduhig South, Ballygarvan, son of Alan and Roisin.
Conor O'Neill, Meadstown, son of Eoghan and Alicja.
Tadhg Collins, Rigsdale, son of John (Jack) and Myriam.
Donncha O'Callaghan, Tulligmore, son of Sean and Caroline.