

## Anniversaries

Michael O'Callaghan, Rigsdale Upr.  
Mary McCarthy, Goggins Hill.  
William Nagle, Tracton.  
Frank Roche, Halfway.  
Paddy Connolly, Tulligmore.  
Finbarr Kearney, Goggins Hill.  
William Reynolds, Ballyhooleen.  
Maura Buckley, Blarney St, Cork.



## We Remember

**Helen Hunt** (née Mulcahy),  
Scartnamuc, Templemartin;  
**Joan Mulcahy** (née Crowley),  
Innishannon;  
**Mary Theresa Collins**,  
Gortnacrusa, Ballinspittle;  
**Eileen Moynihan**, Swindon & Youghal;  
**Charlie Conway**, Shanagarry & Ballin-  
collig who died recently. *We pray for  
their families, neighbours and friends.*



## Sympathy

*We offer our sympathy* to the following  
whose loved ones died recently:-  
**Mary, Josephine, Hilda, Majella and An-  
thony Deasy**, Ballynaloughy on the death of  
their father **Paddy**, also Donie, Margaret and  
Nora on the death of their brother Paddy  
Deasy, Ballynaloughy;

**Joe, Anthony, John, Jerry, Pat and Marie  
Collins**, Rearour on the death of their mother  
**Mary Collins** (née Burke), Rearour.

*In death life is changed not ended.*

## MASS TIMES

### Next Week:-

Monday 9th:-  
**Ballygarvan 9.30am**

Tuesday 10th:-  
**Goggins Hill No Mass**

Thursday 12th:-  
**Ballyheada 10.00am**

Saturday 14th:- Vigil  
**Ballyheada 7.00pm**

Sunday 15th:-  
**Ballygarvan 10.00am**  
**Goggins Hill 11.30am**



## Children's Day of Prayer

**National Day of Prayer for Chil-  
dren** is Friday **October 13th.**

Children of Ireland have a lovely day to  
look forward to this week. The tenth **Nat-  
ional Day of Prayer for Children** is or-  
ganised by the Society for Missionary Chil-  
dren. **Friday 13th** will give children a  
good opportunity to think of those less  
fortunate than themselves, to pray for them  
and to share with them.

Children love to know that they are im-  
portant members of a global circle of pray-  
ing, sharing and caring, in this, the **Mission  
Month of October.**

They have generous hearts,  
missionary hearts, and open  
to including other children in  
their thoughts.



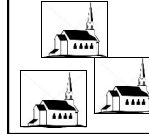
### 2017 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

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# Ballinhassig Parish

## Newsletter

*for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill*



**Vol. 26 No. 4 Sunday: October 8th, 2017** (Twenty Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time)

*Fr. Christy  
writes...*

## “They will respect my Son”

The latest killing spree in Las Vegas in the United States is a stark reminder to us of the fragility of human life. In our own country we hear about gang-land killings, revenge killings, and the many who died so tragically. Respect for the dignity of all human life is something we can no longer take for granted.

In a lot of places in our world today, people treat human life with such disdain, people are trafficked, abused, and subject to many injustices it doesn't help to create a society where a human being's life is truly valued.

Jesus' parable in our Gospel this weekend is about justice, respect and decency. “They will respect my son” the landowner says when he discovers his servants have been beaten, abused and killed. Thinking his Son would be respected but he too, is killed.

Jesus, the Son of God was also killed. The Romans spurred on by the leaders of the day, who felt threatened by Jesus and his message, executed him. He gave his life for us. He cancelled out the sins of believers and he has thrown open the gates of heaven for all.

May we cherish the gift he has given us and learn to follow his path, which is one of justice, mercy, love and peace. Following that will surely help us to cherish more and celebrate all God's gifts especially all human life.

SEEK justice,  
LOVE mercy,  
WALK humbly  
with your GOD.  
Think 68

## Special Collection

The second collection this week end Saturday/Sunday **October 7th/8th** is the **Diocesan quarterly collection.**

## Faith in Families

*Having faith in Families*  
a talk by

*Professor Eamonn Conway,*  
Mary Immaculate College,  
Limerick on:-

**Sunday October 15th**  
**Time:- 3.00pm-5.00pm**

at *Christ the King Church,* Turner's  
Cross, Cork. All welcome, donation  
only. Further details Pastoral Develop-  
ment Office **4537601.**



## Prayer For Young Adults

*Gather Monday Prayer for Young Adults:* You are invited to join the *Sisters of the Bon Secours* in prayer, quiet time, reflection and chat at **7.00pm to 9.00pm each Monday** evening in the Convent Chapel behind the Bon Secours Hospital, College Road. All young adults welcome. Further details contact Anne-Marie Whelan **087/2209994** or **eavopost@gmail.com**



## Young Adult Retreat Day "The Way, The Truth, The

**Life"** on Sunday **October 22nd**

**Time:- 10.00am-5.00pm**

**Venue:-**

**Bons Secours Convent,** College Road.  
Directed by: **Fr. John Keane.**

**Places limited. Booking essential.**

Donation only. Further details and  
**booking contact Anne-Marie**  
**087/2209994** or **eavopost@gmail.com**

## Thanksgiving Prayer

*Harvest Thanksgiving Prayers*  
will be offered at all Masses in  
the parish on week end of

**Saturday/Sunday**  
**October 21st/22nd**

**Creator God, provider of all**  
**We bring our thanks to-day.**



## Coffee Morning

*Coffee Morning* in the Marian Hall,  
Ballinhassig on **Friday October 13th**  
from **9.30am - 2.30pm** in aid of 'The  
**Mercy Hospital Leukemia Fund.'**  
All welcome, support appreciated.



## Invitation to Remember

*Service of Remembrance*  
will be held by:-  
**Cork University Maternity**  
**Hospital on:-**

**Friday October 13th at 7.30pm**  
**In the Sacred Heart Church, Western**  
**Road, Cork.** All who have experienced  
pregnancy or infant loss at any time are  
welcome to attend.

## Trócaire - Thank you

Sincere thanks to all who contributed so  
generously to the recent special Trócaire  
collection in the parish.

**A total of 226,000Euro** was  
collected in the Diocese.

## Rosary Sunday

This **Sunday October 8th** is  
**Rosary Sunday.** The Rosary will be  
prayed at:

**Friary Grotto Kinsale** at 2.00pm  
**The Abbey Well Kinsale** at 3.00pm  
**Trinity Well near Charles Fort** at 4.00pm  
**War Memorial behind Trident Hotel** 5pm.  
All welcome.



## For Your Diary

### Bereavement Mass

**Tuesday November 14th, 2017** in  
**Goggins Hill Church** at **7.30pm.**

### Confirmation 2018

**March 21st** Ballygarvan  
**April 25th** Ballyheada

### Holy Communion 2018

**May 12th** Goggins Hill  
**May 19th** Ballygarvan  
**May 26th** Ballyheada

**November Novena – Ballygarvan &**  
**Ballyheada.** More details later.

## Ballygarvan GAA AGM

**Date:-** Monday **November 6th**  
**Time:-** **7.30pm**  
**Venue:-** **Club House**

Nomination forms for Election of Executive  
Committee & Notice of Motion(s) are avail-  
able from Club Secretary,  
Nora Ní Shúilleabháin and  
must be returned or or be-  
fore **Friday October 20th** at  
**7.30pm.** All welcome.



## SECAD

Worker Wanted for *Marian Hall,* Ballin-  
hassig. Must be unemployed for 1 year and  
not on a FAS scheme in past 3 years.  
Contact **4885756** for details.

## 45 Card Drive

*Ballinhassig Camogie Club*  
weekly 45 Drive continues in the *Marian*  
*Hall* on Wednesday nights at **9.00pm.**  
Cost 10Euro. All welcome.



## Social & Active Club

*Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active*  
*Retirement Club Monthly Social*  
in the Marian Hall on:-

**Thursday October 12th**  
from **2.30pm - 4.30pm.**

Music & Song with guest  
*Con Whelton,* finalist in the over 60's  
Talent Competition. *Chat & Cuppa.*  
All welcome.



## Parish Assembly

Meeting in the Marian Hall on Monday  
**October 9th** at **8.00pm.**

## Readings Next Sunday (28th Sunday)

Is.25:6-10. Ps 22, R/v6.  
Phil 4: 120-14. 19-20. Mt 22: 1-14.

## Thank You – Coffee

### Mornings

Sincere thanks to all who attend-  
ed and contributed so generously  
to the recent '*Coffee Mornings*'  
in aid of *Marymount Hospice.*

In the home of *Noleen Coomey,*  
Gortnaclough, a total of **1125Euro** was  
raised and in *Cottrell's Gala* a total of  
**1655** was raised. Well done!!!!



## College Open Evening

*St. Brogan's College, Bandon* will hold an  
**Open Evening** for all sixth class pri-  
mary students and parents on  
**Thursday October 12th** from  
**7.00pm-8.30pm.** Principal's  
Address at 8.00pm.

All welcome.



## Friday Cuppa Group

You are invited to drop in to the *Marian*  
*Hall Meeting Room in Ballinhassig* on  
*Friday* mornings between 10.00am-  
1.00pm. Cuppa, chat and knit if you wish.  
*All welcome as this is a social group and*  
*not a knitting group!!!!!!*