

Remember & Pray

We remember and pray for all our parishioners and all others, both at home and abroad who are ill in any way at this time, we also pray for the bereaved and remember those who have died recently.

Lord Jesus, friend of the sick, console those who are unwell, restore them to health and bless all who care for them.

May the Lord in his love and mercy be with all who are suffering today and be their strength and consolation.

Amen.

NASS TIMES	Next Week	
Ionday 24th:-		
Ballygarvan	10.00am	
uesday 25th:-		
Goggins Hill	10.00am	
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Ballyheada	10.00am	
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Please wear a mask, sanitise on entry and exit, follow signage. and maintain social distancing.

2022 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday by Mary O'Halloran (4885062,4885257) PAN Centre/Parish Office (phone/fax 4885062) ballinhassigparish@gmail.com www.ballinhassigparish.com Parish Priest:- Fr. Christy Fitzgerald Telephone: 4885104 or 087/9439666 Deacon:- Rev. John Guirey Telephone 087/1266257

Ballinhassig Parish



Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

Vol. 30 No. 14 Sunday: January 23rd, 2022 (Third Sunday In Ordinary Time)

Fr. Christy.....

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THAT THEY ALL MAY BE ONE

"The story of the Magi visiting the Holy Family in Bethlehem is one very familiar to us. The Magi have sometimes been seen as a symbol of the world's diversity – different religions and cultures – that comes to pay homage to the Christ-child. The story might therefore represent the unity of all created that God desires.

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in 2022, which concludes on Tuesday 25th January, has been prepared by the churches of the Middle East, the history of which was, and still is, characterised by conflict and strife, tainted with blood and darkened by injustice and oppression. The Christians of the Middle East offer these resources conscious that the world shares many of the travails and much of the difficulties that it experiences, and yearns for a light to lead the way to the Saviour who is the light that overcomes darkness.

Serving the Gospel today requires a commitment to the human being, especially the poorest, the weakest and those marginalised. It requires from the churches transparency and accountability in dealing with the world, and with each other. This means churches need to cooperate to provide relief to the afflicted, to welcome the displaced, to relieve the burdened, and to build a just and honest society. This is a call for churches to work together so that young people can build a good future according to God's heart, a future in which all human beings can experience life, peace, justice, and love."

For more information check the website www.ctbi.org



the Word of God.' He declared this to be Lord the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, I pray to be Led to Resources available from:and by you www.catholicbishops.ie

Catholic Schools Week

Sunday Of The Word Of God

setting aside a 'Sunday given entirely to

January 23rd in 2022.

At the end of the Year of Mercy *Pope Francis* proposed

This Sunday January 23rd, marks the beginning of Catholic Schools Week 2022.

During this week, we aim to celebrate the unique contribution that Catholic schools, both primary and post-primary make to supporting each other and living out Jesus' message of the Gospel.

The theme for 2022 is:-'Catholic Schools: Living Life to the Full'

Grandparents Day is part of Catholic Schools Week.

Prayer for Grandparents

Lord Jesus,

you were born of the Virgin Mary, the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne. Look with love on grandparents the world over. Protect them! They are a source of enrichment for families, for the Church and for all of society.

Support them! As they grow older, may they continue to be for their families strong pillars of Gospel faith, quardians of noble domestic ideals. living treasuries of sound religious traditions.

Make them teachers of wisdom and courage, that they may pass on to future generations the fruits of their mature human and spiritual experience.

Amen.



Please contact the P.A.N. Centre (Parish Office) 021/4885062 for dates, details and booking requirements.

Parish Assembly Meeting Tuesday January 25th at 7.15pm in side chapel **Ballyheada**

Daily Praver *May I be filled* with loving kindness, May I feel safe from harm, May I accept myself as I am, May *I* be peaceful and at ease. Sacred Heart of Jesus I place all my trust in vou. Glory be to the father





Readings January 30th Jer 1:4-5, 17-19. Ps 70:1-6, 15, 17, R/v15. 1 Cor 12:31-13:13 Lk 4:21-30.



Mass Leaflets Please continue to take your Mass Leaflets home for safe disposal.

Clothing Collection

Ballinhassig Community Development Association - Clothing Collection in the Marian Hall, until February 5th on Tuesday & Thursdays from 6.30pm -7.45pm & Saturdays from 2.30pm-4.00pm. Bags of rewearable clothing, shoes, towels, sheets and duvet covers can be dropped off at the above times. No duvets or pillows.

Collection in aid of Funds for the Marian Hall Car Park.

Helplines:-

ALONE 0818 222 024 SAMARITANS 1850 609 090 PIETA HOUSE 1800 247 247. 021/4395333 LISHEENS HOUSE 023 888 8888 AWARE 1800 80 48 48

CHILDLINE 1800 66 6666 EDEL HOUSE 021/427 42 40

Childminder Wanted

One Day per week for one child aged 5. Attends Goggins Hill preschool, transport essential. Further details contact:-086/3232342 or 087/8172915.

St Vincent de Paul

The Local St Vincent de Paul *Conference* would like to sincerely thank all who contacted SVP in 2021. those who made contact requesting support, those who gave generously to our church collections, even with limited church attendance. Thanks to the generosity of many individuals, school and club fundraising efforts, and donations from organisations and local businesses, practical support was provided to many in our community which was very much appreciated, particularly over Christmas. We wish all in our parish a very Happy and Healthy 2022. SVP Collection February 5th/6th.

Irish Catholic Paper

Please continue to collect your Irish Catholic newspaper in **Ballygarvan** Church at the exit door. If you would like to receive a copy please contact the Parish Office 4885062 for further details.



Votive Lights

Thanks to all who continue to contribute so generously to the Votive Lights collection in the three churches.

Enrolment Ballyheada N.S. Closing date for Enrolment of new pupils is January 31st 2022.

______ Childminder Wanted For two children aged 5 & 2. Playschool drop off/collection. _ Contact 085/1929953.

Thought for the Week -

Look well into yourself, there is a source of strength which will always spring up if you will always look there.

