

Anniversaries

Alice Marshall, Meadstown.
Frances O'Connor, Banteer.
Maisie Roche, Halfway.
Peggy Desmond, Rigsdale.



Saturday 10th:- Vigil

Ballyheada 7.30pm

Mass Intentions:-

Catherine Keogh, Rigsdale.
John Reynolds, Ballinaloughy.



Sunday 11th:-

Ballygarvan 10.30am

Bridie O'Mahony, Fivemile Bridge.

Goggins Hill 12noon

Mass Intentions:-

Michael Finnerty, Tulligmore.

We Remember

Sheila O'Neill, Dunmanway;
Joan Hurley, Dunmanway who died recently.

*We pray for their families
neighbours and friends.*

The **Exam Candle** will continue to be lit until the end of the exams. Intentions of students of all ages will be included in our weekly parish community celebration of the Eucharist and will continue until the end of the Leaving Cert exams.



MASS TIMES Next Week:-

Wednesday 14th:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 15th:-

Ballyheada 9.30am

Friday 16th:-

Ballygarvan 9.30am

Saturday 17th:- Vigil

Ballyheada:- 7.30pm

Sunday 18th:-

Ballygarvan 10.30am

Goggins Hill 12noon

Vocations Sunday

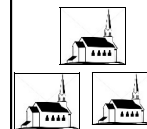
Vocations Sunday is a day of prayer for vocation to the priesthood and all religious life.

It is also an opportunity to increase awareness and understanding of vocation: who we are, what we do (*our state in life – single, married, ordained, consecrated etc*); how we live (*life style*); to help people recognise that they are called, and to encourage them to respond in their calls; and to help people be better able to 'choose to be chosen'



"Consider things from every angle"

Ballinhassig Parish



Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

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Mary O'H
submits...

Day of Prayer for Vocations

Prayer for all our Priests

You came from among us to be, for us, one who serves.
We thank you for ministering Christ to us and helping us minister Christ to each other.

We are grateful for the many gifts you bring to our communities:-

*For drawing us together in worship, for visiting us in our homes,
for comforting us in sickness, for showing us compassion,
for blessing our marriage, for baptising our children,
for confirming us in our calling, for supporting us in bereavement,
for helping us to grow in faith, for encouraging us to take an initiative,
for helping the whole community realise God's presence among us.*



For our part, we pray that we may always be attentive to your needs and never take you for granted. You, like us, need friendship and love, welcome and a sense of belonging, kind words and acts of thoughtfulness.

We pray, also, for the priests who have wounded priesthood, may we be willing to forgive, and may they be open to healing. Let us support one another in times of crisis. God our Father, we ask you to bless our priests and confirm them in their calling. Give them the gifts they need to respond with generosity and a joyful heart.

We offer this prayer for our priests, who are our brothers and friends.

· MAKE ALL WHO ARE BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST ·
· FAITHFUL IN OUR CALLING TO BE YOUR CHILDREN ·

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

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Confirmation 2025

The following children from *Goggins Hill National School* were confirmed on **February 27th** in *Most Holy Heart Of Mary church, Goggins Hill* by Bishop Fintan Gavin.



Elizabeth Bruen
Sarah Cronin
Lucas Dwane
Erin Herbert
Ryan Hickey
Lily Lombard
Billy Looney
Elizabeth Lynch
Arianna Embleton



Jack Cantwell
Niall Creed
Zoe Forde
Róisín Hackett
Ben Lombard
Neveen Lombard
Sophie Cullinane



Emma Marie Crowley
Seán Harrington
Michael Coakley
Daniel Duggan
Callie Lawless
Ellie Murphy
Laura Rice
Norah Traynor
Faye O'Connor
Fionn O'Mahony
Colm O'Mahony
Adam O'Mahony



Callie Matthews
Kyronn Mendes
Leo Ryan
Ella Sheehan
Grace Twohig
Yani Viljoen
Karen Murphy
Leo O'Halloran
Muireann Whyte
Jonah O'Mahony
Caoimhe O'Regan



Sarah Jane O'Neill
Donnacha Buckley
Aodán Bilson



*If we are led by the Spirit,
and open to the gifts,
we will bring forth the fruits:
"Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness,
Goodness, Trustfulness,
Gentleness and Self Control" (Gal.5:22)*



Day of Prayer for Vocations

This *Sunday May 11th* is *Good Shepherd Sunday* and a day of special prayer for vocations. The priesthood is a calling or a life, not simply one occupation among many that a man may choose. This means that the priest has been called by God and given the gift of God, that is, the grace to accomplish his work.



*'Fan into flame the gift of God,
which is in you through the laying on
of my hands.....
God has saved us all and called us to a
holy life - not because of anything we
have done but because of his own purpose
and grace (2.Tim.1:6,9)*

Inspire us to know **You** better and open our hearts to hear **Your** call. Open our ears to listen, our eyes to see and our hearts to love. We are ordinary people made extraordinary through your vision and power. Amen.

Cork Ecumenical Bible Week

'Let the Word of Christ dwell in you richly' (Colossians 3:16)

Thursday **May 15th** at **7.00pm.**

Unfolding the story of the Resurrection in Luke's Gospel. (Luke 24:45)

Dr. Marian Mortell & Dr. Phil Mortell, Cork Scripture Group in the Crypt, Church of the Descent of the Holy Spirit, Dennehy's Cross. T12 W728. All Welcome. Details and booking:- email corks scripturegroup@gmail.com



Darkness Into Light

Best of Luck to everyone taking part in the Darkness Into Light Walk/Run at 4.15am on this Saturday morning.

Rosary for Month of May

You are invited to join Jerry for the **Rosary** for the **Month of May** on **THURSDAY** after **9.30am** Mass in **Ballyheada Church.**



Rosary for Month of May

Rosary for the **Month of May** on **Wednesday** at **Ballinabearna Cross** at **7.00pm.**

Rosary Rally

The 40th All Ireland Rosary Rally will be held on Saturday June 7th. Bus from Kinsale, booking contact 085 7459 011. All welcome. www.allirelandrosaryrally.com

Pope Leo XIV

God bless our new **Pope Leo XIV** as he begins his role as the global shepherd of our church. We wish him health to help bring peace, calm and unity throughout our turbulent world leading us with the true teaching's of Christ.

Thank You

Eamon Long, Ballygarvan would like to sincerely thank those who organised, attended and provided refreshments for his retirement party in Ballygarvan Community Centre. Sincere thanks for all the cards, well wishes and generous donations. Eamon was sacristan in Ballygarvan church for over 40 years.

Active Retirement Club

AGM deferred from **May 12th** to **June 9th @ 10.30am** in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig.