

Anniversaries

Esther O'Donoghue, Coolatuder.
Sean Quinlan, Bawnleigh.
Denis O'Leary, Ballygarvan.
Sandie O'Leary, Ballygarvan.



Saturday 25th:- Vigil
Ballyheada 7.00pm

Mass Intentions:-
Mary O'Leary, Tulligmore.
(Months Mind)

Con O'Leary, Tulligmore.
Dan Joe Sheehan, Ballyheada.
John Keating, Larne, Co. Antrim.

Sunday 26th:-
Ballygarvan 10.00am

Mass Intentions:-
Cornelius Kiely, Ballinabearna.
Maura Kiely, Ballinabearna.
John Casey, Ballygarvan.
Fr. Wilfrid Aherne, Ballygarvan West.
Sr. Ellen Mary Aherne,
Ballygarvan West.
Noreen Comerford Aherne,
Ballygarvan West.
Christina O'Halloran, Turners Cross.
Kevin O'Halloran, Turners Cross.
Abina & Matty Finn, Ballinphellic.

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Mass Intentions:-
Mary Keigher, Coolatuder.
(Months Mind)

Patricia Connor, Corran.
John Casey, Ballygarvan.

MASS TIMES Next Week:-

Wednesday 29th:-
Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 30th:-
Ballyheada 9.30am

Friday 1st:- First Friday
Ballygarvan 9.30am
Adoration after Mass
Ballyheada:-
Holy Hour 7.00pm - 8.00pm

Saturday 2nd:-
Ballyheada 7.00pm
First Saturday Prayers 6.25pm

Sunday 3rd:-
Ballygarvan 10.00am
Goggins Hill 11.30am

We Remember

Mary Coleman (née Ronan) Halfway,
Ballinhassig.

Josephine (Jo Jo) Jones (née
O'Connor) Kanturk who died
recently.



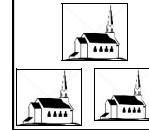
*We pray for their families,
neighbours and friends.*

*Those we love don't go away,
they walk beside us every day,
unseen, unheard but always near,
still loved, still missed and very dear.*

Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



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Mary O'H
submits..

Good Shepherd Sunday

This is *Good Shepherd Sunday*, a day of special prayer for vocations to the work of service in the Church. This Sunday is *World Day of Prayer for Vocations*. Pastoral work on behalf of vocations involves all members of the Church: - laity, bishops, priests, deacons and religious.

'Be generous in giving your life to the Lord. Do not be afraid.'

Prayer for Guidance...

*Holy Spirit, give us wisdom
and the courage of our convictions,
as we make life decisions
to-day and every day.
Some may be simple,
others are complex,
but all require honesty
and quiet reflection.
We pray that, with your help
and guidance, our hearts will be open
to God's will in whatever choices
we are asked to make. Amen.*



Heavenly Father, since the time of the Apostles you have inspired the Church to commission certain members to assist in a special way in the pastoral mission of Christ. Bless all ordained and non ordained ministers that they may be humble and faith inspired in their service.

Readings May 3rd

Acts 6:1-7. Ps 32:1-2, 4-5, 18-19, R/ v 22.
1 Pt 2:4-9. Jn 14:1-12.

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Confirmation 2026

The following children from *Ballyheada National School* were confirmed on **March 11th** in *Most Holy Heart of Mary church, Goggins Hill* by *Fr. Tom Hayes VG*



Lochlann Ahern
Evie Desmond
Colm Aherne
Rory Aherne
Neasa Burke

Isabelle Kiernan
Aoife O'Sullivan
Seán O'Sullivan
Liam Aherne
Mollie Clancy



Lee Finnerty
Aisling Hickey
Cian Holland
Katie Holland
Emily Howe

Conor Coleman
Brook Clarke
Jane Hurley
Sarah Holland
Aidan Dennehy

Ronan Kingston
Juliet Murphy
Mason O'Neill

Sadhbh McDonagh
Tadhg Mullaney
Finn O'Toole



Nick Rice
Rebecca Rice

Emma Whyte
Odhran O'Brien



Emma Ring
Dan Salter

Alisha O'Leary
Elsie O'Riordan



Andrea Kim McDonald
Jemma McCarthy
Stuart Florish Desmond

Oisín O'Sullivan
Maya O'Regan
Cian O'Sullivan



*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)*



Warm Welcome - Choirs

This Saturday **April 25th**, we welcome *St. Columba's Church Choir, Douglas* who will sing at **7.00pm Mass in Ballyheada.**



This Sunday **April 26th** *Ballinhassig Parish Choir* will sing at **11.00am Mass in St. Patrick's Church, Rochestown.**

On **Sunday May 3rd** Ballinhassig Parish will be welcoming the *Mount Merrion Parish Children's Choir, Dublin* who will sing at **11.30am Mass in Goggins Hill.**

Your support for the visiting choirs would be appreciated while being an opportunity to participate in a liturgy greatly enhanced by music and singing.



Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Diocesan Pilgrimage 2026.

September 18th to 23rd, 2026.

- **Departure Ex Cork Airport
- ** Choice of Hotels from 939.00Euro
- **Full Pilgrimage Programme.

Booking now open with Joe Walsh Tours at **01 2410 800.**

Volunteers Required:-

Doctors, Nurses, Care Assistants and Helpers. Enquiries **085 2525 040.**
Email: lourdes@corkandross.org

Lough Flower & Gardening Club

The Lough Flower & Gardening Club announce 'Teach In' with **Rose Hickey** in the **SMA Hall, Wilton** on **Tuesday April 28th at 7.30pm.** Admission 10Euro.

Refreshments served.

All welcome.

Cross Border Surgery

If you or anyone you know is on a **waiting list for Surgery in Ireland** and would like to know more about accessing it under the **Cross Border Directive in Spain**, contact:-

Cllr. Ben Dalton O'Sullivan on **089 4690 352** as a representative for Healthcare Abroad will be offering free consultations in the parish next Wednesday.

All queries welcome

Social & Active

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club:-

Annual Outing May 27th

Only **Two Places Remaining** and a waiting list.

Thanks to those who have already paid. Payment appreciated as soon as possible from those who have already reserved seats.

Details & Booking:-
Mary O'Halloran **021 4885 062, 086 3183 645** or any committee member. All welcome.

Knock 2026

Day Trip to Knock

Saturday June 27th.

Details and booking next week.

Social Dancing

Social Dancing in the Marian Hall Ballinhassig on **Friday May 1st.**

Music by Ger Coakley.

Admission 10.00Euro including refreshments. All welcome.