

Anniversaries

Hannah Doody, Ballygarvan.



Saturday 23rd:- Vigil

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Mass Intentions:-

Nuala Daly, Ballinaboy.

Mossie Healy, Ballinaboy.

Catherine Looney, Farlistown.

Sonny Looney, Farlistown.

Christy Connolly, Ballynaloughy.



Sunday 24th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

No Mass Intention:-

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Mass Intentions:-

Joe & Nora Lynch, Ballinphellic North.

First Holy Communion

We continue to pray for the children of the Parish who will receive their *First Holy Communion* this month.

Ballygarvan:- May 23rd

God, our loving Father,
we thank you for giving us
Jesus to be our friend.

We know that he loves us
and is always with us.



Readings May 31st

Ex 34:4-6, 8-9. Ps Dn 3:52-56,

R/ v 52. 2Cor 13:11-13.

Jn 3:16 -18.



MASS TIMES Next Week:-

Wednesday 27th:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 28th:-

Ballyheada 9.30am

Friday 29th:-

Ballygarvan 9.30am

Saturday 30th:- Vigil

Ballyheada:- 7.00pm

Sunday 31st:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Eucharistic Procession

100th Anniversary of Cork City

Eucharistic Procession June 7th, at 3.00pm, Cathedral of St. Mary and St. Anne to the Grand Parade.

Two -Week Mission:-

May 23rd - June 7th

Relics of St. Carlo Acutis:-

May 29th - June 1st

100 Hours for 100 Years:-

June 3rd - June 7th

Saint Carlo pray for us as we prepare for our Eucharistic Procession 1926 - 2026.

Ballinspittle Grotto

Rosary Ballinspittle Grotto at

8pm this Sunday May 24th, to

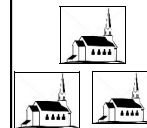
mark the birthday of St. Padre Pio.



Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



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MOH submits..

Easter Time Ends Today

The *Fifty Days Of Easter* conclude with the celebration of *Pentecost Sunday*.

The church was made manifest to the world on the day of **Pentecost** by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

To-day, we especially remember and pray for all those confirmed in our parish and beyond this year.

Easter Time also ends today.

We resume the readings of *Ordinary Time* this year with week 8 on Monday 25th.

Holy Spirit,
Spirit of God,
fill my live with love,
joy, peace, patience,
kindness, goodness,
faithfulness,
gentleness,
and self control.



Show me how to live
as a follower
of Jesus.

Help me to bring
your gifts into
the lives of others.

Amen.

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

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First Holy Communion 2026

The following children from *Ballyheada National School* received their *First Holy Communion*, at *Sacred Heart Church Ballyheada* on Saturday *May 16th, 2026*.

Eucharist is a family celebration; our immediate family, the parish family, teachers and school and the universal Church.



Conor O'Leary
Jean Looney

Seán Patrick Aherne
Jamie May Coleman

Ali Murphy
Oran Mangan



Victoria Thomas
Seán Culloty



Logan Scully
Fiona Holland

Tadhg Galvin
Eoin Van Riel

Casey Hurley
Abbie Clancy

Sean Stephen Ahern
Hannah McCarthy



Childs Prayer

God, our loving Father,
we thank you for giving us Jesus to be our friend.
We know that he loves us and is always with us.

May he who loves and guides us all and listens when we pray
be close to you and bless you on **Your Communion Day**.



Ballinhassig Parish Pastoral Council

The Parish Pastoral Council (P.C.C.) met on May 12th, 2026 and reflected on the facilitated training that they attended on April 18th in Kinsale.

Ballinhassig has had structured involvement in the running of our parish for over thirty years. Many parishioners have in the past, and many continue to use their gifts and talents in our community; some in the different ministries in our churches, and others, quietly and in ways that are not seen in public. Everyone's contribution of their time and talents, both visible and invisible, makes a very positive difference to our faith community and for this, we are very grateful.

A *Parish Pastoral Council* is a leadership group, which includes the parish priest, who take co-responsibility for the running of the parish for a period of three years. Through our Baptism, all members of the faith community are called to serve, and a key role of the P.C. C. is to continually encourage and support people to use their gifts and talents in our faith community.

Members of the P.C.C. are called to reflect on the needs of the parish, to engage with and listen to parishioners and to reflect on any suggestions, issues or concerns that may come to the P.C.C. Any issue that is brought to the attention of the P.C.C. is given careful consideration and the P.C.C. come to a decision by consensus. Prayer and discernment are key elements to the working process of the P.C.C.

The Parish Pastoral Council welcome your suggestions and feedback and can be contacted at ballinhassigppc@gmail.com

Active Retirement Club

Social & Active Retirement Club Outing:-
Next Wednesday **May 27th**.
Bus will leave Ballinhassig at 9.00am sharp.
Please be there for **8.45am**.
Please note no pick up in Ballygarvan.

Rosary for May

You are invited to join **Jerry** for the **Final Rosary** for the **Month of May THURSDAY 28th after 9.30am** Mass in **Ballyheada Church**.
All welcome.

You are invited to **Ballinabearna Cross**, Ballygarvan for the **Final Rosary** for the **Month of May on WEDNESDAY 27th at 7.00pm**.
All welcome.



Céilí - Marian Hall

Céilí in the Marian Hall on:-
Friday:- **May 29th at 9.00pm**
Music by **Tim Joe & Anne**
Admission 10.00Euro.
Refreshments served.
All welcome.

Social Dance Marian Hall

Social Dancing in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig on:-
Friday:- **June 5th at 9.00pm**
Music by **Declan Aungier**
Admission 10.00Euro.
Refreshments served.
All welcome.

Balance Classes

Balance Classes - Older Adults,
Ballygarvan Community Centre
(Old National School)
Commencing:-
Friday **May 22nd** at 10.00am.
Further details & registration
087 3997 565, or email:
seanmartinb1@gmail.com
Cost 10.00Euro **Pay As You Go**
or **Five Classes 40.00Euro**.
All welcome.