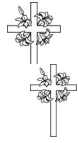


Anniversaries

Jeremiah Kelleher, Knocklucy.
Con O'Brien, Knocklucy.



Saturday 3rd:- Vigil
Ballyheada 7.00pm

Mass Intentions:-
Baby Conan O'Leary, Knocklucy.
(1st Anniversary)
John, William & Anna Deasy,
Bawnleigh.

Sunday 4th:-
Ballygarvan 10.00am

Mass Intentions:-
Michael & Catherine Cosgrave,
Ballinphellic.
Fr. Liam Cosgrave, Ballinphellic.

Goggins Hill 11.30am
No Mass Intentions:-
Missa Pro Populo

We Remember

Con Hennessy, Ballyleigh & Clonakilty who died during the week.

*We pray for his family
neighbours and friends.*



In death Life is changed not ended.

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday,
today and forever. (Heb. 13:8)

MASS Times Next Week:-

Tuesday 6th:-
Ballygarvan No Mass

Wednesday 7th:-
Goggins Hill No Mass

Thursday 8th:-
Ballyheada No Mass

Friday 9th:-
Ballygarvan 9.30am

Adoration:- Ballygarvan every
Friday after 9.30am Mass.

Saturday 10th Vigil
Ballyheada:- 7.00pm
Confession **before** Mass.

Sunday 11th:-
Ballygarvan 10.00am
Goggins Hill 11.30am
Confession **after** Sunday Mass.

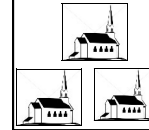
Confession **after** any week day
Mass by request.

Second Collection
Second collection next week end
Saturday/Sunday **October 10th/11th**
Diocesan Needs quarterly collection.

Thought for the week – anyone can
hold the helm when the sea is calm.

Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter



for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

Vol. 35 No. 4 Sunday: October 4th, 2026 (Twenty Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time)

Mary O'H
submits

Harvest Thanksgiving Prayers

Harvest Thanksgiving Prayers will be offered at all Masses in the parish this week end
Saturday/Sunday October 3th/4th.

Harvest festivals are traditionally held on or near the Sunday of
the Harvest Moon, this is the full moon that occurs closest to the
autumn equinox. It is a time that reminds Christians of all good
things that come from God. It is a celebration of the fruits of the
earth; food grown on the land and in the sea.

This year despite the inclement spring, we had a wonderful
summer and now that it is autumn we need to give thanks for the
Harvest:- farmers for the grain, potatoes, milk, grass and all other crops.
Gardeners for the abundance of vegetables, fruit and flowers.
Wild fruits, nuts, leaves and seeds for our wild animals and birds.



Harvest Reflection

*We thank You for the gift of sunshine and rain in due season,
of seed, soil and harvest, provision for our needs and others,
if in love we share.*

*We thank You for the gift of living water that does not run dry
and the nourishment of Your Word which feeds our souls and
others, if in love we share.*



*We give You thanks for the fruits of the earth in their
season and for the labours of those who harvest them.
For the promise of harvest contained within a seed we
thank You. For the oak tree within an acorn.
The bread within a grain. The apple within a pip.*



*The mystery of nature gift wrapped for us to sow, we thank You. Creator God,
provider of all, we bring our thanks and prayers to You for this years Harvest
as farmers are already preparing to sow some winter crops for Harvest 2027.*

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Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday
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Autumn Stations 2026

Ballynoe/Kilmurriheen/Tulligmore Upper:-

Tuesday **October 20th** at 7.00pm
in the home of **Bernie and John O'Callaghan, Kilmurriheen.**



Station Host

If you would like to **Host a Station** in your home this Autumn or any time in the future please contact the PAN Centre/Parish Office at **021 4885 062.**



Rosary for Month of October

You are invited to join *Fr. Sean* for the **Rosary for the Month of October** on **THURSDAY after 9.30am** Mass in **Ballyheada Church.**
NO MASS THIS THURSDAY 8TH.



Rosary October

Rosary on **Wednesday at 7.00pm** at **Ballinabearna Grotto** for the month of October.



Feast Days Next Week

Monday 5th:- St. Faustina of Poland.
She inspired the movement dedicated to proclaiming and imploring *Divine Mercy* throughout the world.
Wednesday 7th:- Our Lady of the Rosary.

Mater Dei Academy

An Independent Catholic School for boys and girls. (Secondary)
OPEN EVENING
Thursday **October 8th at 7.00pm.**
Mater Dei Academy, 17 Eason's Hill, Cork T23 N44W.
Register on line at materdeiacademy.ie or call **021 202 1229.**

All welcome.

Readings October 11th

Is 25:6-10. Ps 22, R/ v 6.
Phil 4:12-14, 19-20.
Mt 22:1-14.



...a time to weep and a time to laugh (Eccl.3:4)

FOR YOUR DIARY

Holy Souls Novena :- Ballygarvan 9.30am; Goggins Hill 7.00pm

Blessing of Graves:- (Please note dates and times)

Saturday October 24th:- Ballinaboy 5.30pm; Ballyheada 6.00pm

Sunday November 1st:- Goggins Hill after 11.30am Mass

Sunday November 8th:- Liscleary 2.00pm; Killingley 3.00pm

Fr. Sean will Bless every Grave while members of the **Funeral Ministry Team** continue with Prayers and the Rosary.

Bereavement Mass:- Ballyheada Friday **November 20th** at 7.00pm

Please inform your relatives and friends inside and outside the parish of the above.

MISSIO

Children Helping Children

Children's Day of Mission Prayer is celebrated on the second Friday of October each year, this year **October 9th.**

The purpose is to enhance the prayer lives of children, encouraging them to pray for each other and for overseas missionaries on mission with children. This special day fosters awareness of mission and the need to help and serve others.

Details www.missio.ie
info@missio.ie



Active Retirement Club

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club **Monthly Social** in the Marian Hall on Thursday **October 8th** from 2.30pm - 4.30pm.

Special guest for the month of October:-

Willie Grainger, Green Piece Nursery, will give a **Talk on Gardening:-** Plants, Flowers, Bulbs,



Shrubs, Plant Care, Weed control, colour and planting for autumn and winter.

An opportunity for questions and answers.

This will be followed by the usual cuppa, chat, raffle and prizes. All welcome.

45 Card Drive

Ballinhassig Camogie Club 45 Card Drive will commence on Wednesday **October 7th** in the Marian Hall at **8.30pm sharp.**

All welcome.

Harvest Prayer

*Lord, plant the seeds of goodness deep within me,
so that they may grow and flourish,
and yield their fruit in due season for the harvest of life.
Then I can thank you with all my heart. Amen*



An Ciorcal Comhrá/Irish Conversation Group

An Ciorcal Comhrá every Monday at Ballinhassig GAA New Clubhouse 7.00pm-8.00pm.
All levels welcome.
No charge, eolas/info **086 2578 698.**

All welcome.

Enrolling for 2027/2028

Ballyheada N.S enrolling for the 2027/2028 school year. Applications accepted from **October 5th.**

Download at:-

ballyheadans.ie

or request by email:-

admin@ballyheadans.ie

or write to:-

Ballyheada N.S. Skehanagh, Ballinhassig, Co. Cork. T12KT99.

Goggins Hill N.S

Enrolling for the 2027/2028 school year.

info@gogginshillschool.com



Pioneer Lunch

Mid West Pioneer Region Annual Sunday **Lunch** in **Actons Hotel, Kinsale** on Sunday **October 4th** at **1.30pm.**

Music by **Lee Sound.**
Tickets cost **35.00Euro.**
Booking **087 7686 112.**
All welcome.