MASS TIMES

Week Days Next Week

Ballygarvan: Monday 9.30am Goggins Hill: Tuesday 9.30am Ballyheada: Thursday 9.30am

Anniversaries

Tom & Nora Ahern, Ballinaboy.
Gobnait Donovan, Rathroe.
Kitty Fouhy, Goggins Hill.
Con Cronin, Corran.
Dan Looney, Ballygarvan.
John Joe Spillane, Meadstown.
Christine O'Callaghan, Ballea.
Tony Jeffers, Rigsdale Lower.
Tim O'Callaghan, Ballyduhig.
Sonny Canniffe, Gortnaglough.
Eileen Canniffe, Gortnaglough.
Padraig O'Neill, Glounthaune.
Christopher O'Callaghan, Ballea.
Brid Healy, Douglas & Ballyleigh
Nora Hegarty, Killavallig (Titanic)

We Remember

Sr. Julia O'Gorman, Cork & Limerick. We pray for her family, neighbours and friends.

Sympathy

We offer our sympathy to Connie Foley, Ballygarvan, and Kathleen Middleton on the death of their mother Sheila Foley, Ballygarvan; Glen Goggin, Rigsdale on the death of his father Michael, Grange; Jerry Coakley, Ballyheada N.S. on the death of his mother Mary Coakley, Riverstown.

Stations

Meadstown:

Thursday April 19th at 8.00pm in the home of Seamus and Kitty Butler.

Ballinphellic South:

Friday April 20th at 8.00pm in the home of Denis and Joan Keohane ?????.

Parish Assembly

Ballinhassig Parish Assembly meeting in the Marian Hall on Monday **April 16th** at 8.30pm.

Mercy Hospital Collection

Mercy Hospital Foundation will hold a church gate collection in Goggins Hill this week-end.

KYSS

KYSS (*Kinsale Youth Support Services*) will host a talk by Liam Doocey from Youth Health Services on Wednesday April 18th in The Trident Hotel, Kinsale at 8.00pm.

Reflection

I've felt Him take my hand in prayer I've known His love beyond compare I've sought Him early on the way And had Him stay with me all day I've seen the storm clouds disappear When love like this was ever near I've longed to walk close by His side In peace so sweet to e'er abide.

2012 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday by Mary (4888268), Mary (4885257) PAN Centre/Parish Office (phone/fax 4885062)

Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

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Mary O'Halloran submits.....

Look on the Sunny Side

There are always two sides, the good and the bad The dark and the light, the sad and the glad-But in looking back over the good and the bad We're aware of the number of good things we've had.

And in counting our blessings we find when we're through We've no reason at all to complain or be blue So thank God for good things he has already done And be grateful to him for the battles you've won And know that the same God who helped you before Is ready and willing to help you once more.

Then with faith in your heart reach out for God's hand And accept what he sends, though you can't understand

For our Father in heaven always knows what is best And if you trust in his wisdom your life will be blest.

For always remember that whatever betide you You are never alone for God is beside you.





Knock Pilgrimage

Togher/Ballyphehane and District annual Pilgrimage to Knock on *June 5th/6th/7th*, 2012. This year is very special as a Triduum of Prayer for the success of the Eucharistic Congress. A non refundable deposit of 50Euro can be paid at the library on Tuesday morning or in the convent on Wednesday morning.

Bus pick up points:

Five Mile Bridge 7.40am; Togher Church 7.50am; Ballyphehane Church 8.00am. Further details contact Maura 086/8255288 or Elanor 086/8172836.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Divine Mercy Novena Good Friday April 6th to Mercy Sunday April 15th. Church of the Real Presence, Curraheen Sunday April 15th:Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 2.00pm; Confessions, talk on Divine Mercy, Rosary at 3.00pm; Stations of the Cross at 3.20pm; Chaplet of divine Mercy at 3.30pm, Benediction/Mass followed by Veneration of relics of St. Faustina.

Come and See

Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Mary invite single men and women of all ages to the Sacred Heart Convent, Blackrock, Cork on any Saturday in May from 9.30am -5.00pm.

** Find new ways to bring the Eucharist alive in daily life.

**God has an amazing dream for each and every one of us.

**Come and share the Dream. Further information contact 4616099 or 086/3926161.

Flower Festival

St. James Church, Ballinora Flower Festival from Friday April 20th to Sunday April 22nd.

Friday April 20th:

Opening by Charlie Wilkins 7.30pm Saturday April 21st:

12.00noon-9.00pm

Sunday April 22nd:

12.00noon - 6.00pm Admission 10Euro including refreshments. All proceeds in aid of church/parish funds. All welcome.

Apple Blossom Walk

Apple Blossom Walk in aid of St. Patrick's Hospital/Marymount Hospice on Sunday April 15th from 2.00pm-6.00pm at the orchards of James Scannell, Knockanaealagulla (signposted from Killumney) Admission by donation. All welcome.

Masterchef Demonstration

Christine O'Sullivan, Bawnleigh from Masterchef Ireland will give a demonstration in the Marian Hall on Tuesday **April 17th** at 8.00pm. Entry 10Euro. Receipes and refreshments provided.

Neven Maguire Demonstration

Colaiste Chriost Ri in association with Neven Maguire will host a Cookery Demon**stration** at Rochestown Park Hotel, on Wednesday April 25th. Food Exhibition from 6.30pm. Demonstration at 8.00pm. Cost 20Euro. Tickets available from school or 087/2021909.

Mobile Phone Appeal

For the month of April Ballinhassig Parish Foroige Club will collect old mobile phones in aid of the Jack & Jill **Foundation**. Hand in to Cottrell's Shop; P.A.N. Centre or to any member.

Ballinhassig Community Development Association (B.C.D.A.) **Presents** All in an April

Evening

Sunday April 15th - Marian Hall, Ballinhassig at 8.00pm.

A musical extravaganza with

** The Carrigaline Singers Musical Director: Brian MacNamara **Ruth Stanley** Accompanist: *Featuring*

Soprano Linda Kenny Tenor Rvan Morgan & The Lehane Family String Quartet **Compere**: Denis McSweeney

Tickets 10Euro and available from: Cottrell's Shop, Ballinhassig The Pavilion, Ballygarvan Centra Supermarket, Crossbarry The Gallery Restaurant, Wilton Kay Bermingham 087/2944637 or at the door on the night. Tickets will also be on sale after all masses this week-end. Reminder to buy early to avoid disappointment. Your support would be appreciated as funds raised will go towards the running and upkeep of the Marian Hall. All welcome.

April Airs

Come along to a evening of light vocal classics at St. Patrick's Church, Bandon on Friday 27th **April** at 8.00pm, with Michael Lawlor (All Ireland Talent Show 2010), Louise O'Sullivan and Veronica O'Keeffe. Chorus of Opera Cork. Conductor: Frank Buckley and Narrator: Kevin Goggin. All proceeds to Hamilton High School. Tickets 15Euro available from Sinead Jones (086/3678815) Hickey's and Farrell's Newsagents Bandon.

Ballinhassig AFC

Soccer Camp:

Back by popular demand Ballinhassig Summer Soccer Camp from July 9th-13th. New for this summer is the Ballinhassig AFC Challenge 13-16 year olds. Challenges every day for prizes. Cost 90Euro per child with 10Euro family member discount. Secure a place Registration on Wednesday April 18th in Gortnaglough from 6.30pm– 8.00pm. 40Euro deposit secures.

Ballinhassig AFC Dreams Draw.

On June 16th would vou like to be in Poland cheering on the 'Boys in Green' Great draw prize Package to Poland for two for Ireland -V- Italy match in Euro 2012 finals. Tickets 20Euro, don't'miss your chance, not in you can't win.

Golf Classic:

Friday June 15th Kinsale Golf Club. Team of three 150Euro.

CAO Information Evening

Cork Institute of Technology will hold a CAO Applicant Information Open **Evening on Thursday April 26th** from 6.00pm-8.00pm in the Gallery of the student Centre in the Bishopstown Campus. This will allow students who have chosen CIT as one of their preferences in their CAO application to learn more about courses and student life in CIT.

CIT Golf Classic

The 3rd CIT Alumni Association Annual Golf Classic will be held on Friday May 11th at the Lee Valley Golf & Country Club first tee off 14.04. Cost 60Euro person, includes golf and BBQ, Contact 4326589.

Cashel Hillfort Knockavilla

Meeting in Knockavilla Hall on Monday April 16th at 8.00pm. Speakers from Cork County Council and Leader.

Childminder Wanted three days a week from 8.00pm-2.00pm, Car essential, school drop off. Contact 087/6294943.