

## Anniversaries

Catherine Galvin, Newcestown.  
Sonny Canniffe, Gortnaclogh.  
Eileen Canniffe, Gortnaclogh.  
Tony Jeffers, Rigsdale.  
Mary Spillane, Ballynabearna.  
Tim O'Callaghan, Ballyduhig.  
John Joe Spillane, Meadstown.  
Donal Murphy, Ballintemple.  
Elizabeth Murphy, Ballintemple.  
Denis O'Mahony, Goggins Hill.  
Barry O'Donovan, Corran Cross.

*Those who die in grace go  
no further from us than God  
and God is very near.*

## Pilgrimage To Knock

*Apostolate of Perpetual Eucharistic  
Adoration First Annual Pilgrimage to  
Knock on Saturday April 20th.*

**Kinsale Adoration Committee** are  
organising a bus and will include a  
stop at Five Mile Bridge.  
Details & booking **087/4119708;**  
**021/4774256/ 085/7459011.**

## Church Concert

**Finbar Wright Concert** on Sunday  
**April 21st** at 8.00pm in *St. John the  
Baptist Church, Kinsale.* Tickets  
25Euro and available from Parish Of-  
fice 4773821 or Boland's Craft Shop,  
Kinsale. All welcome

## MASS TIMES

### Next Week

**Monday 15th:-**  
*Ballygarvan 9.30am*

**Tuesday 16th:-**  
*Goggins Hill No Mass*

**Thursday 18th:-**  
*Ballyheada No Mass*

**Saturday 20th:- Vigil**  
*Ballyheada 7.00pm*

**Sunday 21st:-**  
*Ballygarvan 10.00am*  
*Goggins Hill 11.30am*

## Baptisms

Baptisms in the parish are celebrated  
as follows:

**Goggins Hill:**  
**1st Weekend of the Month**

**Ballygarvan:**  
**2nd Weekend of the Month**

**Ballyheada:**  
**3rd Weekend of the Month**

**Time: Sunday 12.45pm**

**Contact: Fr. Kieron O'Driscoll PP**  
*at 4885104; 087/9439666 or Parish  
Office at 4885062.*

# Ballinhassig Parish

# Newsletter

*for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill*



**Vol. 21 No. 31 Sunday: April 14th, 2013 (Third Sunday of Easter)**

*Mary O'Halloran  
submits....*

## My Prayer for You



I said a prayer for you today  
and know God must have heard.  
I felt the answer in my heart  
although He spoke no word.



I didn't ask for fame or wealth  
I know you wouldn't mind  
I asked Him for a treasure  
of a far more lasting kind.



I asked that He be near you  
at the start of each new day,  
To grant you health and blessings  
and light to show your way.

I asked for happiness for you  
in all things great and small.  
But it was His loving care  
I prayed for most of all.



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*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)  
info@ballinhassigparish.com  
www.ballinhassigparish.com*

## Adoration Ballygarvan

Adoration in Ballygarvan Church every Monday after 9.30am Mass.

## Offertory Collection

We thank you for your generous contributions to the Offertory Collections as follows:

### Contributions Week Ending:

January 6th:	1927
January 13th:	1721
January 20th:	1615
January 27th:	2007

February 3rd:	1660
February 10th:	1529
February 17th:	1709
February 24th:	1616

March 3rd:	1405
March 10th:	1760
March 17th:	2085
March 24th:	1693
March 31st:	1991

We also thank all those who are paying by S.O., DD, cheque, drafts, and those who return envelopes etc. direct to the parish office. Your contributions are greatly appreciated.

## Special Collections:

Bishops Commissions	650Euro
Diocesan Trustees	515Euro
Holy Places	746Euro

## Spring Clean Village

**Ballinhassig Tidy Village Association** reminder of annual Spring Clean. Details and date next week.

## Community Alert Meeting

*Ballinhassig Parish Community Alert* will hold a meeting in the Marian Hall **MONDAY April 15th at 9.00pm**  
New members welcome.

### NOTE: Personal Alarms

We urgently invite individuals and families of those with **Personal Alarms who no longer need or require them to return them immediately.** We have a waiting list of elderly and vulnerable parishioners in need of these alarms. The purchase of new alarms is primarily funded from our funds as grant aid is now very limited.

Now more than ever we all need to be more vigilant of strangers in the area, some of these can be very convincing, posing as representatives from legitimate organisations and targeting the elderly and vulnerable of the parish.

*We all need to:-*

***Be active, Be alert, Be involved***

### **Ballinhassig Parish Summer Camp**

**Dates: July 1st - July 4th**

The concept of *Summer Camp/Community Schemes* is a programme of fun and learning activities organised by local adults for primary school children in the community. Schemes are community based, non profit making, planned and run by a local adult volunteer committee as well as parent helpers.

Last year was the thirteenth year.

**Registration on Wednesday:**

**May 15th Marian Hall.**

*Cost 1 Child 65Euro; 2 Children 100Euro; 3Children/Family 130Euro. Places will be allocated on a first come first served basis.*

*More details nearer registration date. All welcome.*

## Mercy Hospital Foundation

Church Gate collection in Goggins Hill on **Sunday April 14th.**

## Fun Walk

Ballinhassig Underage GAA 'Fun Walk' in aid of the **Mercy Hospital Foundation** will take place on **Saturday April 27th at 4.00pm** from the pitch in the Village. Sponsorship cards available from members shortly.

## Fund Raiser/Coffee Morning

*Ballygarvan Foroige Youth Club* Fund Raiser/Coffee Morning in Ballygarvan **Old N.S.** on **Sunday April 14th** from 11.00am - 12noon. All welcome.



## Thank You- Coffee Morning

Sincere thanks to all who supported the **Daffodil Day Coffee** Morning in aid of the Irish Cancer Society in the home of *John O'Callaghan, Rathroe.* A total of **663Euro** was collected and has been lodged to the Irish Cancer Society.

## Gardening Class

*The Pavilion Garden Centre,* Ballygarvan will host a **class** by *Margie Lynch, Herbal Practitioner* on **Wednesday April 17th** at 10.30am. **Topic:- Health, Healing & Herbs Part 1.** Cost 5Euro.



Details **4888134** or **www.thepavilion.ie**

## Gardening Talk

*Ballinora/Waterfall Garden and Lifestyle Club* will host a Talk on **Container Gardening** at Pat Tuites Nursery and Plant Centre, Ballinora on **Monday April 15th** at 7.00pm.



## Busy Kids

*Busy Kids Pre School, Killeady.*

Limited number of **Free Places** available for *September 2013.* Details and booking contact Kay **087/7426563.**

## Maths Revision Course

*Cork Maths Circle (085/1611573)* will hold a **Junior Certificate Honours Maths Intensive 8 hour revision** course in Bishopstown, on **Saturday May 11th & 18th, & Leaving Certificate Ordinary Maths Intensive course on Sunday May 12th & May 19th** covering all questions including 'Theorems & Project Maths' given by experienced teacher/exam corrector. Enquiries and booking to above.

## Croi Na Gael

**Leaving Certificate Honours Irish 5 hour revision course in Bishopstown** on **Sunday April 28th** from 1- 6pm given by experienced teacher/ exam corrector. All topics covered. Details and booking **085/1541560.**

## Thank You

*Ballinhassig Underage Mini Cul Camp* would like to extend our thanks to the 86 children who participated in the recent camp despite the snowy weather conditions. Sincere thanks to Donal Lombard, the sixteen coaches and the Camogie Club for their help. The children were very well behaved and it was remarked upon by two visiting coaches. Well done all.

## Pitch Caretaker

Ballinhassig GAA Club vacancy for a Pitch Caretaker. Must be eligible for Community Employment. Apply **087/2790006** or send Application to Innishannon Hall.