Anniversaries

Fionnuala Crowley, Briar Hill. Michael Sheehan, Ballinaboy. John O'Sullivan, Goggins Hill. Joan O'Sullivan, Goggins Hill. Des Deasy, Lisfehill.

Spillane Family, Meadstown. Catherine Barry, Coolatooder.

Jim, Peggy & Benny Finnerty, Co. Mavo.

Damien Crowley, Halfway & Lehenaghmore.

Con Bowen, Gortnaclough & Ballygarvan.



But putting out the lamp because the

Dawn has come.



Fun Run/Walk

Sean Hurley Memorial 6 K Fun Run/ Walk will be held on: Saturday November 28th

Time:- Commencing at 12noon Registration in Marian Hall from 11.00am.

All proceeds in aid of St. Patrick's Upton. All welcome.



MASS TIMES Week Davs Next Week

Monday 23rd:-

Ballygarvan 9.30am

Tuesday 24th:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 26th:-

Ballyheada 10.00am

Saturday 28th:-

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 29th

Ballygarvan 10.00am Goggins Hill 11.30am

Stations

Rigsdale Lower:-

Friday November 27th at 8.00pm in the home of David and Mairead Hurley.

Feast of Christ the King this Sunday November 22nd –is the last Sunday of the Church's year.

Christmas Tree

Ballinhassig Tidy Village Association will hold its Annual Christmas Tree Lighting on Sunday December 6th. Details next week.

2015 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday by Mary O'Halloran (4885257) Mary O'Donovan (4888268) PAN Centre/Parish Office (phone/fax 4885062) info@ballinhassigparish.com www.ballinhassigparish.com

Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

Vol. 24 No. 11 Sunday: November 22nd, 2015 (Our Lord Jesus Christ, King Of The Universe)

Mary O'Halloran submits....

I Need You Lord Today

Every day I need you Lord But this day especially, I need some extra strenath To face whatever is to be. This day more than any day I need to feel you near, To fortify my courage And to overcome my fears. By myself, I cannot meet The challenge of this hour, There are times when human creatures need a higher power To help them bear what must be borne, And so dear Lord, I pray, Hold on to my trembling hands And be with me today.









Commissioning Prayer

New Parish Assembly (2015-2018) members will be commissioned in Goggins Hill Church at 11.30am Mass on Sunday November 29th, First Sunday of Advent.

Commissioning Blessing

We pray to God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit to bless our Parish Assembly. May God the Father deepen your faith. May God the Son enthuse you with hope. May God the Holy Spirit fill your hearts with love.

Parish Assembly Members

Liturgy & Celebration Group:-

Maire Ui She, *Deputy Chairperson*.
Helen O'Donovan; Helen Deasy;
Mary Watkins; Arthur O'Shea;
Anne Marie Casey; Fr. Kieron O'Driscoll;
Mary O'Halloran.

Community & Outreach Group:-

Olan Lynch, *Chairperson*; Mary Brady, *Secretary*; Jennifer Dunne; Sheila Lynch; Mary O'Donovan; Mary Keigher; Denis O'Connor; John O'Leary; Helen O'Mahony; Aoife O'Hea; Audrey O'Leary; Breeda Murphy;

Congratulations

To the following past pupils of *Ballyheada National School* on winning the following awards at *Kinsale Community School Awards Night recently:-Garry O'Leary, Knocklucy* - in Science & Technology Award:- Received Academic Award for Chemistry; *Kaylie Shine* - Killian Ryan Memorial Award:- Received Award for Drama; *Niamh Sheehan*, Ballinaboy received the Joe McGrath Memorial Award. Well Done to All!!!!!!!

Songs of Faith

We would like to invite you to come and hear our young people from parishes across the Diocese sing and play their SONGS OF FAITH - 16 pieces of contemporary liturgical music in their concert on Sunday November 22nd at 7.00pm at *Our Lady Crowned Church, Mayfield.* No tickets— donation only. All welcome.

Encountering Mercy

As we prepare for the *Year of Mercy* we are hosting three sessions on the theme of Mercy in the Gospel of Luke on Monday's **November 30th**, **December 7th and 14th.** Coffee from 10.30am, session from 10.45am to 12noon. **Venue:-** *Pastoral Development Office*,

Venue:- Pastoral Development Office, Parochial House, Ballyphehane. Further details 4537601. All welcome.

Congratulations

To Cathal Ryan, Kilmurriheen who competed in the I.W.A.S. Junior World Games in Staddskannal in the Netherlands in July. In extreme heat fantastic results were achieved:- Under 16 Discus - Silver (second) Under 18 Javlin -Bronze (third) Well Done!!!!!

To *Joseph Desmond*, Orchard Cottage Farm on winning Gold for his Goats Cheese at Blas na hEireann Irish Food awards recently.

Thank You

Sincere thanks to all who contributed to the recent *Coffee Morning* in Ballyheada church Sacristy in aid of *Marymount Hospice*. A total of 171Euro was collected.

Ballinhassig GAA Christmas Bazaar:-

Annual Christmas Bazaar in Marain Hall, Ballinhassig on Sunday December 6th from 5pm onwards. Santa will arrive at 5.15pm. Donations of hampers, baskets, spot prizes etc. Anyone wishing to take a stall at the bazaar contact 087/6579925. Great family evening. All welcome.

Table Quiz

Fivemile & District Vintage
Club fundraising 'Table Quiz'
in the Fivemile Inn on Saturday
November 28th at 9.00pm. Table of 4,
40Euro. Great prizes, spots and raffle.
All welcome.

Book Launch

Tom Ryan will launch his book
'Ballygarvan Historically' on
Monday November 23rd at 8.00pm
in the New School,
Ballygarvan.
All welcome.

History Society

Ballygarvan and District Local
History Society will host a lecture on
'Great Cork Exhibition of 1902—A
snapshop of Edwardian Cork' by
Tom Spalding in the Park Hotel, Cork
Airport on Thursday November 26th at
8.00pm. All welcome.

Table Quiz

'Table Quiz' in the Huntsman Bar, Belgooly on Saturday November 28th at 8.00pm. All proceeds to the *Kevin Bell Repatriation Trust*. All welcome.

Active Retirement Club



Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club annual Christmas Flower Arranging in the Marian Hall by Mary McCrum on Tuesday

December 1st at 7.30pm. All welcome.

Annual Christmas Dinner

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club annual Christmas Dinner /Party in the:Carrigaline Court Hotel,
Saturday December 5th.

Lunch at 12.30pm. All welcome Tickets cost 25.00Euro and available from Noreen 4888213; Breda 4885449; or

John 087/7546818

Camogie Bingo Night

Ballinhassig Camogie Club will hold their annual Christmas BINGO NIGHT in the Marian Hall on Saturday November 28th at 8.00pm. Hampers and prizes galore. Great fun night assured. Baskets appreciated for making up hampers, contact members. All welcome.

Christmas Bazaar

Ballyheada N.S. Parents Association Annual Bazaar will be held on Saturday December 12th in the school after 7.00pm

Mass in Ballyheada. Donations of items and baskets for hampers appreciated and can be handed in to the school from November 20th. Further details **086/2855891**.

Carry on Regardless

Show Dates:- March 16th-20th, 2016. Registration Night on Tuesday November 24th in the GAA Rooms from 7.30pm-8.00pm for new children born in the year 2008 or before, who are interested in taking part in this years Show. Please register your child in person. This is your only chance to register your child's interest, phone calls will not suffice. Places limited.