

Anniversaries

Daniel O'Callaghan, Ballynagrumoolia.
Frank Roche, Halfway.
Pat O'Callaghan, Kanturk.
Michael Holland, Liskillea.
John, Nora & Peter O'Keefe, Kingsland.



We Remember

Ellen (Eily), O'Donovan (née Walsh) Coolatuder who was buried during the week. *We pray for her family, neighbours and friends.*



Sympathy

We offer our sympathy to Jane, on the death of her mother Ellen (Eily) O'Donovan, Coolatuder also to all other relatives, neighbours and friends;

Sympathy to **Pat Mackey, Rathmacullig** on the death of his sister, **Sr. Margaret Mackey, Kilkenny** also to all other relatives, neighbours and friends.



Workshop

Workshop on The Acts of the Apostles A Story of Mission and Church for Today presented by Luke MacNamara OSB (Glenstal & Maynooth) on Saturday **October 20th** from 10.00am – 1.00pm at *Sacred Heart, Western Road*. Cost 10Euro. Details and booking corkscripturegroup@gmail.com or 4295122. All welcome.

Parish Assembly Meeting

Monday **October 8th** at 8.00pm in the *Marian Hall, Ballinhassig*.

MASS TIMES Next Week

Monday 8th:-

Ballygarvan 9.30am

Tuesday 9th:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 11th:-

Ballyheada 10.00am

Saturday 13th:-

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 14th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Ordination Ballygarvan 3.00pm

Thank You

Sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to the recent coffee morning in the home of *Noleen Coomey, Gortnaclough*, in aid of *Marymount Hospice*. A total of **1030Euro** was raised on the day.



Village Stories Day

Ballinhassig Village Stories Day in the Marian Hall on Sunday November 25th. Following the successful and enjoyable day last year we are looking for old photos of the **Marian Hall**, from the building of it right up to the present day, likewise for the **Ballinhassig Co-Op**. *All stories and characters associated with the Hall and Co-Op appreciated.* Contact Denis 087/2688174.

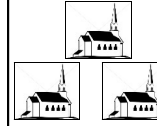


2018 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

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

Newsletter



for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

Vol. 27 No. 4 Sunday: October 7th, 2018 (Twenty Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time)

John Guirey writes...

What Does The Deacon Do?

The vocation to the diaconate like that of a priest comes as a "call" from God. **Permanent deacons** are not "substitute priests" nor are they intended to take the place of religious or lay ministers. The **deacon** is called to proclaim the Gospel and to preach the word of God, to instruct the people of God through the homily and through Catechesis.

Liturgically and sacramentally, by virtue of his ordination, the **deacon** can celebrate some of the sacraments, for example, **Baptism, Marriage and the Rite of Christian Burial**. He blesses people, and objects, he assists the bishop and the priest in the celebration of the Eucharist. The **deacon** cannot celebrate the Eucharist himself, hear confessions or anoint the sick.

The bishop may appoint **deacons** to different pastoral areas or a parish. This may be a liturgical or prayer service, and the pastoral care of people. It is a part-time voluntary service. The Church recognises that the priority of **deacons** is family first, employment next and then the community which he serves.

The Permanent Diaconate, although active in the U.S.A. for the past fifty-three years, is relatively new to Ireland. **Archbishop Eamon Martin** ordained the first eight deacons in 2012. After next Sunday's ordination, we will have three Permanent deacons serving in our diocese.



John Guirey will be ordained a **Permanent Deacon**, in Mary, Mother Of God, **Ballygarvan** on Sunday next **October 14th** at **3.00pm**. Everybody welcome. This will be followed by refreshments in the **Marian Hall, Ballinhassig**. All welcome.





Ballinhassig Parish Assembly



Nomination Form

*Church of the Most Holy Heart of Mary, Goggins Hill;
Church of the Sacred Heart, Ballyheada;
Church of Mary, Mother of God, Ballygarvan .*

Please Print in the space below..... **Adult Nominee (over 18)**

Name of Nominee (1).....

Address:

Telephone/Mobile

Email:

Name of Nominee (2).....

Address:

Telephone/Mobile

Email:

Name of Nominee (3).....

Address:

Telephone/Mobile

Email:

Nomination Process:

** You are invited to volunteer or nominate adult persons (over 18) you consider most suitable to continue the high standard of commitment and dedication we enjoy in the Parish Assembly.

** Details of nominations will be kept strictly confidential. (Parish Office)

Social & Active Club

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club Monthly social in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig on Thursday October 11th, 2.30pm - 4.30pm. Guest Speaker Garda Declan Lynch will give a talk on Crime Prevention, awareness and community alertness. Followed by usual cuppa and chat. All welcome



Concert – Phil Coulter

The *Carrigaline Singers in Association* with *The Carrigaline & District Lions Club* Presents **Phil Coulter** in Concert:- Carrigaline Court Hotel Wednesday **October 17th** Doors Open 7.15pm, **Starts 8.00pm** Compère: Elmarie Mawe Tickets 35Euro available from Hotel & Walsh's Pharmacy, Shopping Centre or **086/2550368**. All welcome.



Thank You - Open Garden for Marymount Hospice July

Sincere thanks to all the volunteers who helped, and the many that supported our **Garden Party**. It was a wonderful success raising **11,434.00 Euro**, which is greatly appreciated on behalf of *Marymount Hospice*. *John Prendergast and Iris Anderson Prendergast.*



Home Baking, Sandwiches, Confectionery etc.-

Ballinhassig Parish Assembly would appreciate **Home Baking, sandwiches, confectionery** on Sunday **October 14th** for the **Reception** in the **Marian Hall, Ballinhassig** following the ordination of **John Guirey** to the *Permanent Diaconate*.



You can hand these into the **Marian Hall** from **11.00am** or bring with you on arrival.

We are blessed to live in a parish where your generosity and continued support make our parish occasions truly memorable. This will be a special and joyous occasion for both *Ballinhassig Parish* and *John and his family*.

Ballinhassig Goes Strictly

Ballinhassig Goes Strictly in **Rochestown Park hotel** on **Saturday November 17th**. Tickets on sale in the Club Rooms on Sunday **October 14th** at 6.30pm. Tickets 25Euro, limited to 4 per person and on a first come first served basis. This event is strictly over 18's. Bus on the night, cost 12Euro return and must be booked in advance. Bus tickets also available on Sunday October 14th. All proceeds in aid of *continued development of facilities in Tulligmore, Ballinaboy used by GAA, Camogie and Ladies Football*.



Pairing of partners will be announced at the launch night in Coleman's Bar on **Saturday October 13th at 9.30pm**. All welcome.

Childminder Wanted

Wanted childminder in the *Ballinhassig area* Monday-Friday 1.30pm -5.30pm including school collection. Details **085/7274144**.