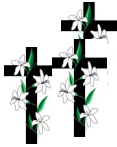


Anniversaries

Francis Kearney, Goggins Hill.
Finbarr Kearney, Goggins Hill.
Mairead Murphy, Old Abbey.
Finbarr Holland, Lisfehill.
Lisa Shears, Meadstown.
Eileen Walsh, Tooreen.
Alfie Roberts, Scart.
Teresa Hennessy, Upton.
Bridie Murphy, Halfway.
John Forde, Knockpogue.
John Cullinane, Rearour.
Richie Cullinane, Liskillea.
Paudie Butler, Meadstown.
Kevin Cleary, Ballygarvan.
John & Larry Tobin, Raheen.
Patrick Hurley, Ballyguinnane.
Fr. Fachtna O'Neill, Curraheen.
Hannah O'Neill, Ballynaloughy.
Paddy Kelleher, Clougheenduan.
Peter & Anna Cronin, Dromoureen.
Daniel & Catherine Deasy, Skehanagh.
Michael & Maureen Murphy, Lisfehill.
John & Margaret O'Mahony, Meadstown.
Paddy & Kitty O'Sullivan, Killountain.
Billy & Hannie Cronin, Ballinphellic.
John Holland, Liskillea & Cambridge.
Lizzy Sheehan & Sheehan Family, Ballyduhig.
Daniel F. Walsh, Drumcondra and Knocklucy.
Noel & Catherine Barry Murphy, Coolmakee.



Thought for the week

However great the flood, it will ebb.

Masses Next Week

Monday:- January 14th
Ballygarvan:- 9.30am

Tuesday:- January 15th
Goggins Hill:- 9.30am

Thursday:- January 17th
Ballyheada:- 10.00am

Saturday 19th:- Vigil
Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 20th:-
Ballygarvan 10.00am
Goggins Hill 11.30am

Diocesan Needs collection

Special collection next week end Saturday/Sunday January 19th/20th is the quarterly collection for diocesan funds. It enables the diocese to fund programmes in areas of education, parish pastoral development and diocesan administration.

Stations- Spring 2019

If you would like to host a Station in your home for Spring 2019 please contact the P.A.N Centre (Parish Office) at 4885062 to arrange same.



First Anniversary Mass

Liam O'Halloran, Rigsdale, Saturday January 19th in Sacred Heart Church, Ballyheada at 7.00pm.



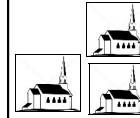
2019 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

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) email: ballinhassigparish@gmail.com www.ballinhassigparish.com Parish Priest:- Fr. Christy Fitzgerald Telephone: 4885104 or 087/9439666

Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



Vol. 27 No. 16 Sunday January 13th, 2019 (The Baptism Of The Lord)

Fr. Christy writes.....

The Spirit brings a new beginning!

We have been baptised with the same Spirit that descended on Jesus at his baptism. We know the favour God has blest us with. How shall we, empowered by that same Spirit, shed the light of love, acceptance and compassion on others?

Baptism, is God's favour and promise poured out on all who receive it. A central message in the whole book of Isaiah is that God keeps God's word. His promise endures. God does not go back on the promises God has made, even when the people have broken their promises with God. And that's what they did time after time. God always waits for his people to come to their senses and to return to him. That's the message and new beginning.



God is a loving, caring and protective shepherd who will carry us in his loving arms and lead us home. God's powerful, mighty arm will save, heal, protect, support and lead his loved ones.

Each new year, we make resolutions, we make promises to do certain things or try to be better at other things. Let us promise to try and be better as God's messengers of hope and consolation "Comfort, give comfort to my people... Isaiah says. May we be people who bring that comfort, hope, light and reassurance to all during 2019.

Remember in Prayer all our parishioners who are unwell at this time, especially those ill in hospital, in nursing homes and those who are in their final days of this life. Pray for carers, the homeless who have nobody to care for them. Also those suffering any loss at this time.

Baptisms 2018

We welcome to the Christian Community the following children who were Baptised in Ballinhassig Parish during 2018.

Jamie - May Coleman, Rigsdale, daughter of Martin and Ann-Marie.

Aoibhinn O'Sullivan, Rigsdale, daughter of Colm and Áine.

Casey Hurley, Tulligmore, daughter of Michael and Helen.

Saoirse Keohane, Carrigaline, daughter of Barry and Lyndsey.

Levi Sexton, Gleann Alainn, Ballygarvan, daughter of Niall and Ashling.

Scott Dunne, Carrigaline, son of Seán and Jessica.

Oscar Lee, Rigsdale, son of Paul and Cliona.

Abbey Clancy, Ballinaloughy, daughter of Michael and Ann-Marie.

Tom Memery, Carrigaline, son of Paul and Fiona.

Tomás Spillane, Ballinphellic, son of John and Liz.

Lily Butler-McCarthy, An Bruach, Halfway, daughter of Con and Eileen.

Danny Dowd, Ballea, son of Michael and Julieanne.

Rian O'Driscoll-McCarthy, Gleann Alainn, Ballygarvan son of William and Yvonne.

Jay O'Donovan, Gleann Dara, Ballygarvan son of Peter and Niamh.

Tadhg Galvin, Wilton, son of Gerard and Eileen.

Eoin Quinlan, Ballyleigh, son of Emmet and Diane.

Lucia Forde, Ballyduhig South, daughter of Luke and Lauren.

Emma Holland, Lisfehill, daughter of Aidan and Clodagh.

Seán Culloty, Lisfehill, son of Enda and Bridget.



Alice Dunn, Gortnaclough, daughter of James and Niamh.

James Cosgrave, Ballincollig, son of Michael and Mary.

Barry Keane, Tulligmore, son of Shane and Margaret.

Riley Corcoran, Ballinabearna, daughter of Ruaidhri and Anna.

Aisling Duggan, Rearour, daughter of Brian and Niamh.

Robyn O'Callaghan, Briar Hill, daughter of Liam and Susan.

Frankie Crowley, Ballinaloughy, daughter of Damien and Nora.

Fionn Whelan, Ballygarvan son of John and Laura.

Grace Walsh Curran, Carrigaline, daughter of Chris and Melissa.

Daniel O'Leary, Goggins Hill, son of Tom and Sarah.

Tiarnan Walsh-O'Suilleabháin, Gleann Rua, Ballygarvan, son of Ciarán and Laura.

Aisling McCarthy, Lehenaghmore, daughter of Eamonn and Niamh.

Neidín Harrington, Ballintemple, daughter of Damien and Mary Kate.

Sean Aherne, Coolatooder, son of Ian and Elaine.

Tara Harding, Bishopstown, daughter of John and Tara.

Sean Galvin, Lisfehill, son of Rory and Rose.



Baptisms 2018



Aidan Collins, Tulligmore, son of James and Eimear.

Harry McCarthy, Halfway, son of Denis and Margaret.

Jack O'Connor, Skehanagh, son of Michael and Margaret.

Fiadh Sheehan, Ballinphelic, daughter of Barry and Roisin.

Adam Murphy, Gleann Alainn, Ballygarvan, son of Brian and Susan.

Aisling Cullinane, Rearour, daughter of Philip and Niamh.

Clodagh O'Leary, Farlistown, daughter of Alan and Lorraine.

Darragh Duggan, Fahanalooscane, son of Diarmuid and Caroline.

Pippa O'Leary, Ballinphellic, daughter of Jeremy and Kate.

Ellen Healy, Goggins Hill, daughter of David and Gillian Murphy.

Isla-Mae Hurley, Tulligmore, daughter of Anthony and Róisín.

Róisín Murphy, Coolatuder, daughter of Fergal and Julia.

Aoibheann Boyling, Carrigaline, daughter of John and Ava.

John Butler, Meadstown, son of Alan and Orlagh.

Isabelle O'Leary, Coachford, daughter of Shane and Sinead.

Danny Walsh, Knocklucy, son of Eamonn and Anne-Marie.

James Nolan, An Bruach, Halfway, son of James and Janice.

Thomas Ryan, Kilmurriheen, son of Aoife and Callum.

Nathan Daly, Halfway, son of John and Victoria.

Siomha Dwyer, Rigsdale Upper, daughter of Anthony and Órla.

Cáit O'Leary, Myrtle Hill, Ballygarvan, daughter of Daniel and Rachel.

Norah Lyons, Surrey, UK, daughter of Thomas and Layla.

Julie O'Leary, Ballincranig, daughter of Richard and Deirdre.

Childminder Wanted

Wanted **childminder** to mind 4 children aged 8, 6, 4, and 1 **four days a week** for Ballinhassig Village area. School runs to *Ballyheada N.S. & Farleys Rusks playschool*.

Further details contact **087/9573296**.

Jive Classes

Jive Classes commencing in the **Marian Hall**, Ballinhassig on Monday **January 14th at 8.00pm**. Details kazbros@gmail.com.

All welcome.

Mindful Movement Classes

Mindful Movement Classes commencing on Thursday January 17th from 10.00am-11.00am at Rasayana Centre, Ballinreslig, Ballygarvan. Details **4888750**. All welcome.

Irish Conversation Group

An Ciorcal Comhrá commencing on Monday **January 14th** in the *GAA Club, Ballinhassig* from 7.00pm-8.00pm. No charge. Gach eolas/information **086/2578698**.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE EX CORK

Walk in the footsteps of Jesus.

This trip of a lifetime (fully guided) is from **August 21st to 29th 2019**.

Highlights include: A boat trip on the *Sea of Galilee*, visits to *Nazareth, Cana, Jericho, The Dead Sea, Jerusalem, The Mount of Olives, Bethlehem, Bethany* etc.

Includes: Return flights ex Cork, a comprehensive daily programme, entrance fees, 4* Hotels, dinner, **bed and breakfast throughout**.

Spiritual Director Fr. Christy, Fitzgerald.

Details please contact MAP Travel **01/8783111** or Jim Keogh **021/ 4885371**, mobile **087 /2678793**. Please note that **places are strictly limited** and will be allocated on a **first come first served basis only**. All welcome.