Anniversaries

Jack O'Sullivan, Rigsdale Upper.
Bernie Hickey, Ballyhooleen.
Francis Hickey, Ballyhooleen.
Donnacha Finn, Tulligbeg.
Michael Holland, Liskillea.
Julia Mulcahy, Corran.
Eily O'Donovan, Coolatooder.
Michael O'Donovan, Coolatooder.
John Forrest, Ballygarvan Upper.
Edmond Forrest, Ballygarvan Upper.
Patrick O'Shea, Ballinphellic North.

We Remember

John O'Sullivan, Fivemilebridge; Carl Mulcahy, Ballinora & Adamstown;

Matthew Coakley, Douglas & Grenagh;

Julia Fennell, Minane Bridge who were buried recently. We pray for their families neighbours and friends.

Sympathy

We offer our sympathy to Anne O'Sullivan, Gortnaclough on the death of her brother Patrick (Paddy) O'Sullivan, Innishannon and to Margaret on the death of her husband Patrick (Paddy) O'Sullivan and Kav, Donal, Padraig, Jerome, Joanne, Rosarie on the death of their father Patrick (Paddy) O'Sullivan, Innishannon and Kitty on the death of her brother Patrick (Paddy) O'Sullivan, Innishannon.

MASS TIMES Next Week

Monday 30th:-

Ballygarvan No Mass

Tuesday 1st:-

Goggins Hill No Mass

Thursday 3rd:-

Ballyheada No Mass

Friday 4th:- First Friday October

Ballygarvan <u>9.30am</u> Ballyheada No Mass Adoration Ballyheada 7.00pm – 8.00pm

Rev. John Guirey will make the *First Friday calls to the housebound.*

Saturday 5th:-

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 6th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am Goggins Hill 11.30am

Sympathy

We offer our sympathy to Bernie
O'Sullivan, Fivemilebridge,
Peg and Beatrice on the
death of their brother John
O'Sullivan, Fivemilebridge;

Catherine Mulcahy, Corran on the death of her mother Sheila (Cissie) McCarthy, Ovens & Innishannon.

Sympathy also to all other relatives, neighbours and friends of the above.

2019 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

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Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter



for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

Vol. 28 No. 3 Sunday: September 29th, 2019 (Twenty Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time)

Finance Committee writes...

Purpose of Church Envelopes?

There are a variety of envelopes used for church collections and many people are confused about what is for what purpose.

In any parish there are two purposes for which money is collected.

PARISH INCOME (maintain parish)
PRIESTS INCOME (personal income)

Parish Income comes from the Saturday/ Sunday and Holyday collections, Standing orders, Direct Debits, Annual Cheques, Graves and Tax Refund.

These are lodged to the Parish Bank Account and used to run the Parish.

Our building and development projects are also financed out of this. None of that money is used by the priest for a source of personal income.

Parish Income is primarily used for:

Altar supplies (breads, wines, candles, altar linens, church cleaning);

Church Heating: Electricity/ Gas/Oil; Insurance; post; telephone; stationery; Sacristans, secretary payments; Repairs & maintenance of churches, presbytery;

Loan Repayment;

Diocesan levies (8% and 10% contributions)

There are two church collections which go to the priest as part of their income.

The collection on Christmas Day and Easter Sunday.

Priests Income

The priest is not paid a salary but receives his income from voluntary offerings of parishioners. The way these are collected can vary from parish to parish. In Ballinhassig parish the priests income comes from the following:

Station Dues spring & autumn; Petrol collection autumn stations; Christmas & Easter offerings; November Novena offerings; Baptisms; Marriage & Funeral offerings; Mass offerings week end & week day.

Special Collections are lodged directly to their accounts

Details of Parish Income & Expenditure are submitted to the diocese annually and published in the parish newsletter annually.

Weekly Collections

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June 2nd	1172
June 9th	1238
June 16th	1421
June 23rd	1120
June 30th	1160
July 6th	1725

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July 13th	1030
July 20th	1390
July 27th	1137

August 4th	1243
August 11th	1290
August 18th	1539
August 25th	1450

Ballinhassig Parish Finance & Buildings Committee sincerely thank all those who contribute so generously to the *Offertory Collection*; those who contribute to the weekly collection in church, pay by Standing Order/Direct Debit, Cheques, Drafts, Postal Orders and those who call directly or post payments to the Parish Office/Pan Centre.

We also thank all others for **Donations**/ Bequests; and those who Participate in the Tax Reclaim Scheme.

You can still **participate** in the **Tax** scheme for 2019 by contacting Mary at the Parish Office 4885062 where all details will be treated confidentially. Your continued generosity and contributions are much appreciated.

Our PARISH LOAN ACCOUNT

is 226,000 and a number of FUND-RAISERS WILL BE ORGANISED IN THE COMING WEEKS, MONTHS AND YEAR WITH ALL PROCEEDS GOING DIRECTLY TO THE LOAN.

You continued support appreciated.

FUNDRAISING 6K WALK

SUNDAY OCTOBER 6TH AT 2PM COMMENCING MARIAN HALL PROCEEDS IN AID OF PARISH DEBT

FUN BINGO FUNDRAISER

Ballinhassig Camogie Club 'Fun Bingo' night in the Marian Hall on Saturday October 19th at 8.00pm. PROCEEDS IN AID OF PARISH DEBT

Please note: Any donations, one off payments etc. meant Finance Committee for parish purposes please ensure cheques are pavable to BALLINHASSIG PARISH.

Monthly Holy Hour

Monthly Holy Hour to pray for vocations at Redemptorist Community at SCALA, Castle Road, Blackrock on Monday September 30th at 7.30pm. All welcome.

St. Patrick's Upton

Mass, Rosary, Benediction. Celebrant: - Fr. John Keane. Date: - Monday September 30th at **7.30pm**. All welcome.

Matt Talbot Shrine

To celebrate 120 years of the Pioneers a bus from Cork will visit the Shrine of the Venerable Matt Talbot in Our Lady of Lourdes in Sean McDermott St. on October 6th. Details 086/3642619.

Mobile Library

Visits Ballinhassig, Ballyheada and Bawnleigh fortnightly on Tuesdays, next on October 8th & 22nd. Ballinhassig Village at 10.45am-11.00am Ballyheada (near school) 11.10am and Bawnleigh Cross at 2.40pm details www.corkcoco.ie/en/library-services

Ballinhassig Parish Assembly

Fundraising 6K Walk









in aid of Ballinhassig Parish Debt Sunday October 6th at 2pm.

For the last number of years the Parish Assembly have organised day trips of a religious and historical nature eg, Glencairn Abbey, Mount Mellery, Glenstall Abbey, Phoenix Park for Papal visit.

This year we have decided to stay in the parish and organise a **FUNDRAISING 6K WALK**

This will be a *guided walk* with commentary by local historian John L. O'Sullivan on items of religious, folklore and historical interest along the route.

No registration fee, **DONATION ONLY**. All proceeds to BALLINHASSIG PARISH LOAN ACCOUNT

Walk will commence from the Marian Hall, car park. Proceed up the Mill Hill, take the old road through the Half way, on to Ballyheada via the MASS PATH, continue to Ballinaboy and back to the Marian Hall. The MASS PATH from Rigsdale to **Ballyheada** will connect us with those who have gone before us and passed on the Faith which we are free to celebrate to day.

You can join in or opt out at any stage along the route.

We suggest a high vis vest and walking shoes or boots. Enjoy an afternoon of friendship, fun and faith and get to know your neighbour and parish while helping us reduce our parish debt.

All welcome, bring your friends and neighbours from within and outside the parish.

REFRESHMENTS IN THE MARIAN HALL









Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club

Meeting on Monday September 30th in the Marian Hall at 1.30pm.

Monthly social Thursday:-

October 10th from 2.30pm - 4.30pm. Details next week.

Coffee Morning Ballyheada n.s Coffee Morning on Friday October 4th in the **GAA Rooms**, Ballinhassig from 10.00am-12noon. All welcome.

Carer Available Live in Carer available. Details contact 083/8910070.

Thought for the Week Kindness is a language that the deaf can hear and the blind can read (Mark Twain)





Ballinhassig Camogie Club 45 Card drive in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig Wednesdays at 9.00pm