

Anniversaries

Tony Cullinane, Ballynoe.
Finbarr Fehilly, Rearour.
Jerry Forde, Ballyhooleen.



We Remember

Elizabeth (Betty) Lane (née Madden)
Gortnaglough & Riverstick;
John Lynch, Earlwood Estate &
Ballinhassig;
Mary Dalton (née Moynihan)
Mayfield & Turners Cross who
died recently. *We pray for their fami-*
lies, neighbours and friends.



Sympathy

We offer our sympathy to *Dan Lane, Gortnaglough* on the death of his wife *Elizabeth (Betty) Lane* and to *John, Pat, Donal, Michael, David, Anthony, William Pio, and Denis Lane, Gortnaglough* on the death of their mother *Elizabeth (Betty) Lane, Gortnaglough* and to *John and Kathleen Madden* on the death of their sister *Elizabeth (Betty) Lane, Gortnaglough*.
Sympathy also to all other relatives, friends and neighbours.



PAN CENTRE(PARISH OFFICE)

Remains open please phone 4885062

** Hand sanitiser available as you enter and exit the office.

** Maintain Social Distancing.

MASS TIMES

Churches will remain closed for Public Mass Diocesan directive in line with HSE & Government Guidelines.

The churches in this parish are open as follows:- for

PERSONAL PRAYER ONLY

BALLYGARVAN 9.30am – 6pm
BALLYHEADA. 9.30 am – 8pm
GOGGINS HILL 9.30 am – 6pm

The Newsletter is available in the shops & churches.

Watch Daily Mass

Mass on Facebook Live on the Ballinhassig Parish Facebook page at 11am from Fr. Christy's home Monday to Friday & Sunday at 11am from one of our three churches.

Rosary for the Month of June

on Monday & Friday at 7.30pm live from Ballyheada Church.

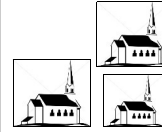


You don't have to be on Facebook. Just log on to www.facebook.com/Ballinhassig-Parish or <https://www.facebook.com/105732007775162/live/>

Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



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Fr. Christy writes.....

Jesus Is With Us

Corpus Christi this year is certainly like no other in my lifetime. It is a long time for people to be without the Lord in Holy Communion. It is true to say that people are hungering for the Lord.

This year as we reflect on the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist it is a reminder for us that our need for him and of him is never greater, yet, many pine for and really yearn to be united once again with the Lord in Holy Communion.

It is also a reminder for us that the Lord is present in many ways around and particularly in his people. Caring for each other, keeping each other safe is as important now as it was at the beginning of this pandemic crisis.

WE look forward to returning to Masses in our churches in the coming weeks and preparations for that are ongoing both at Diocesan and Parish level. Even attending Mass will be different, most obviously in the numbers we will be allowed to have in our churches for Masses, due to the requirement of 2 metre physical distancing.

Until then, let us continue to celebrate and give thanks for the Lord who is and will always be among us.

Prayer for Spiritual Communion: *My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament, I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, Please come spiritually into my heart. I embrace you now, as if you were already there. And I unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.*

2020 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 Parish Priest:- Fr. Christy Fitzgerald Telephone: 4885104 or 087/9439666

Blessings of a new Day

Morning Prayer

Somewhere, out at the edges, the night
Is turning and the waves of darkness
Begin to brighten the shores of dawn.
The heavy dark falls back to earth
And the freed air goes wild with light,
The heart fills with fresh, bright breath
And thoughts stir to give birth to colour.



I arise to Day:-

In the name of Silence
Womb of the Word,
In the name of Stillness
Home of belonging,
In the name of Solitude
Of the Soul and the Earth.



I arise to Day

Blessed by all things, Wings of breath,
Delight of eyes, Wonder of whisper,
Intimacy of touch, Eternity of soul,
Urgency of thought, Miracle of health,
Embrace of God.



May I live this Day

Compassionate of heart, Gentle in word,
Gracious in awareness, Courageous in thought,
Generous in love. *Amen.*



Novena Prayer to the Sacred Heart

O My Jesus, you have said: Truly I say to you, ask and you will receive, seek and you will find, knock and it will be opened to you. 'Behold I knock, I seek and ask for the grace of... (name request) Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be to the Father...
Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in you.



O my Jesus, you have said: 'Truly I say to you, if you ask anything of the Father in my name, he will give it to you. Behold, in your name, I ask the Father for the grace of... (name request) Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be to the Father...'

Padre Pio recited this novena every day for all those who requested his prayers.

Irish Catholic Newspaper

The Irish Catholic newspaper is again available weekly in **Ballygarvan Church**. Please collect your copy.

Mass Cards

Available in the PAN Centre (Parish Office) (*sympathy cards, mass intentions, anniversary cards etc.*) Contact Mary 021/4885062.

Feast of Corpus Christi EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday June 14th

Due to current restrictions on public gatherings **Eucharistic Processions** will not be held in June 2020.

Eucharistic ADORATION in BALLYGARVAN Church on Sunday June 14th from

2.00pm to 4.00pm.

Please sanitise your hands as you enter and exit and beware of social distancing.



TRÓCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN

Sincere thanks to all those who returned your Trócaire Boxes to the parish. You can still donate by *returning boxes;* www.trocaire.org or post to *Trócaire, Maynooth, Co Kildare.*



Sacred Heart Novena

Sacred Heart Church, Western Road Novena continues until **June 19th Live streamed** daily at 10.00am and 7.30pm. Google "*Missionaries of the Sacred Heart –live stream*"

Carmelite Friary Kinsale Novena continues to June 19th daily at 7.00pm. Church will be closed but view through webcam.

Log onto www.carmeliteskinsale.ie or www.churchservices.tvkinsalecarmelites

Covid -19

As we continue phase 2 of the Covid 19 National Programme we are all urged to continue **social distancing, hand and respiratory hygiene and permitted gatherings.**



Covid -19 ALONE

ALONE has launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID -19. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary.

The support line is open seven days a week, **8.00am-8.00pm** contact **0818 222 024.**



Happy 90th Birthday

Congratulations to **Kit Bowen, Ballygarvan** and **Peggy O'Callaghan, Ballynagrumbolia** who celebrated their 90th birthdays recently.



Lourdes 2020

This year we are unable to gather together physically in the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Lourdes, but we are all invited to join our 2020 Diocesan **Spiritual Pilgrimage** to Lourdes. As far back as the nineteenth century, the Church instituted the practice of making a spiritual pilgrimage for all those who could not attend a Holy Place.

Thank You-Votive Lights

Thanks to all who continue to contribute so generously to the **Votive Lights collection box** in the three churches since re-opening for Personal Prayer. Please continue to use sanitising dispensers, gloves to light candles and wipes before exiting.

