Anniversaries

Josephine Irwin, Ballygarvan. Michael O'Halloran, Farmers Cross.

Saturday 29th:- Vigil Ballyheada 7.00pm

Mass Intentions:-

Joan Desmond, Ballyheada.

Sunday 30th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

Mass Intentions:-

Jackie Drinan, Meadstown. DD O'Leary, Ballygarvan. Finbarr Madden, Ballygarvan. Tom Connolly, Carrigaline & Kingsland.

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Mass Intentions:-

Dan O'Sullivan, Goggins Hill. Joan O'Sullivan, Goggins Hill. Ronnie O'Leary, Rigsdale. Ellen Coleman, Ballynagrumoolia. Dan Coleman, Ballynagrumoolia.

We Remember

Fr. Francis (Frank) Morgan, St. Patrick's Missionary Society, Kiltegan & Ballinhassig.

Joe Harrington, *Limerick & Ballinhassig*.

Archbishop Patrick Coveney,

Crosshaven & Tracton Abbey
Parish who died recently. We pray for
their families, neighbours and friends.

MASS TIMES

All Saints: Vigil Mass

Monday October 31st

Ballyheada:- 7.00pm

Tuesday November 1st:

<u>All Saints</u>

Goggins Hill NO MASS
Ballygarvan NO MASS

Wednesday November 2nd:-

All Souls-Novena Begins
Ballygarvan No Mass
Ballyheada No Mass
Goggins Hill 7.00pm

Thursday 3rd & Friday 4th Goggins Hill 7.00pm

Novena Masses

Saturday 5th:-

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 6th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am Goggins Hill 11.30am

Prayer for children

Whatever the Weather
The sun may shine
The rain may fall
But God will always



Love us all. (chosen by Eimear aged 5)

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Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter



for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

Vol. 31 No. 7 Sunday: October 30th, 2022 (Thirty First Sunday In Ordinary Time)

Thank You

It was a very rewarding and fulfilling six years. Together, we navigated a lot of difficulties: financial and Covid.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you, the parishioners of Ballinhassig parish for your support, encouragement and generosity over the years. I have been truly humbled by all the cards, letters and beautiful words written by so many along with your personal gifts.

Last Sunday's *Farewell Event in the Marian Hall* was so lovely. I was amazed by the huge turnout and the generosity of the people in the formal presentations made to me. It was so enjoyable meeting so many and I apologise for not being able to speak with everyone. Sincere thanks to Mary O'Halloran and to the Parish Assembly, Deacon John Guirey, for all their time and effort in organising what was a wonderful afternoon.

I appreciated so much your invitation and presentations to my family. They were really amazed. I leave with wonderful memories and friendships and pray God's continued blessings on you in the years ahead.

(Fr. Christy Fitzgerald)

Marriage Enrichment Week-end

Friday **November 4th** - Sunday **November 6th**, 2022 *The International Hotel, Cork Airport.*Details and booking:-

www.marriagrencounter.ie

Graveyard Prayers November

The Annual Prayers & Blessing of the Graves in the parish graveyards will take place on:-

Sunday **November 6th** as follows:

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Sunday 6th

Ballvheada: 2.15pm Liscleary: 2.15pm

3.00pm Killinglev: 3.00pm Ballinabov: Goggins Hill: 3.00pm

Please note:

Blessing of graves in two gravevards at the same time is correct as these will be blessed by the Parish Funeral Ministry Team.



Mass for Bereaved

The Annual Parish Mass for the Bereaved will be held in **Ballyheada church** on Monday November 14th at 7.30pm. (More details next week)



Friday 4th is the First Friday of November. Fr. Danny will visit the housebound during the week. Rev. John Guirev will make his usual monthly visits to the housebound.

Thought for the week

Worry looks around; Sorry looks back Faith looks up; Hope looks forward.

Remembrance Cards Bookmarks; Wallet Cards; Memorial Cards etc.

During November the month of the Holy Souls, memorial /remembrance cards will be displayed on a wooden cross in the Sanctuary of Ballyheada & Ballygarvan church. Anyone who wishes to remember their loved ones in this way are invited to hand in their cards to the church on or before **November 1st.** and they will be displayed until the end of the month.

Candle Lighting Service

On the first evening of the Novena Mass everyone who wishes to remember their loved ones can collect a candle at the door and light it at the altar before Mass begins. The candles will be lit daily and placed beside the altar for the duration of the Novena.

November Envelopes

November offering envelopes are now available in the churches. Please return your envelope with **the list** of vour deceased loved ones enclosed on or before the opening of the Novena.

No Holy Hour

No Holy Hour in Ballyheada church or **Adoration** in *Ballygarvan* on the First Friday November 4th. as it is during the Novena Masses.

Readings November 6th

2 Mac 7:1-2, 9-14. Ps 16: 1, 5-6, 8, 15, R/ v 15. 2 Th 2:16-3:5. Lk 20:27-38.



Remembering our Loved Ones

Many people find November a difficult month, those who have been recently bereaved and those who carry the scars from a past painful bereavement. Most of November we concentrate on remembering our deceased loved ones:-The Holy Souls Novena, the visits to the graveyard, while these are spiritually good for us they make it impossible for people to avoid being revisited by the pain and loss of a loved one.

We hold dear the memory of those who have been a truly significant part of each of us. The gift of memory and its place within our hearts brings us consolation. Our hearts are warmed by the comfort of others and slowly over time we begin to heal and embrace life once Cove one ANOTHER again as our loved ones would wish us to live. We ask God to

the month of November is a time of Remembrance and Thanksgiving for the lives of our loved

heal our pain and sadness as

ones. (Mary O'Halloran writes...)

Beware of Bogus Callers

Do not engage with unknown and bogus callers offering to carry out work or maintenance to your property. Be aware of bogus telephone callers purporting to be from your bank, revenue, or couriers, HSE about your vaccine. Be cautious of emails and texts, there are numerous scam ones circulating at the moment. Evenings are getting darker, light up and secure windows and doors.

SUMMER TIME ENDS SATURDAY 29th PUT YOUR CLOCKS BACK.

Reflection:-**Holy Souls**

Holy souls are special people Whom from us God did call We are left here broken hearted For we love them one and all. All we have left is just our memories Of the times when they were near Longing for those precious moments Wishing they were here. But death is not the end for us It is just an open door where some day we will be with them With more happiness that before.

Once again with all our loved ones All our sorrow it will end In God's home we'll be re united Parents, family and friends. So in this special holy month Remember them and pray Those holy souls our own dear loved ones to God are on their way.

Rosary Ballyheada

Sincere thanks to Jerry O'Sullivan who led us in the Rosary after morning Mass in *Ballyheada* church during the month of October.

Christmas Market Stalls

Ballvheada Parents Association are now accepting bookings for **Stalls** at the Ballyheada National School Christmas *Market* on Sunday **November 27th** from 1.30pm-4.00pm, at the school grounds. Booking **087 2268172** or email: ballyheadaparentsassociation@gmail.com

Halloween

Children enjoy your trick or treat, halloween party or disco. Enjoy the holiday in your own homes with your families.

Be safe and enjoy!!!!!



Rove one Another