

Waterfall. John Nyhan, Kinsale & Riverstick. who died recently. We pray for their families, neighbours and friends. In death life is changed not ended.



We offer our sympathy to the following whose loved ones died recently.

*Tim Savag*e, *Ballygarvan* on the death of his wife **Breeda Savage**, *Ballygarvan & Meelin* also *John*, *Tim, Joanne* and *Evelyn* on the death of their mother **Breeda Savage**, *Ballygarvan & Meelin*.

> We have loved them in life, Let us not forget them in death.

MASS TIMES

Next Week Novena Continues:-Monday 7th:-*Goggins Hill* 7.00pm Tuesday 8th:-

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Wednesday 9th:-Goggins Hill 7.00pm

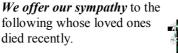
Thursday 10th:-Goggins Hill 7.00pm

Friday 11th:-Ballygarvan 9.30am

Saturday 12th:-Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 13th:-Ballygarvan 10.00am Goggins Hill 11.30am

Sympathy



Jemma Cussen, Briar Hill on the death of her sister **Joan Purcell**, *Clonmel*.

Michael Carey, Briar Hill on the death of his father Con Carey, *Bishopstown.*

2022 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday by Mary O'Halloran (4885062,4885257) PAN Centre/Parish Office (phone 4885062) ballinhassigparish@gmail.com www.ballinhassigparish.com IBAN IE44 AIBK 9343 2106 3352 61; BIC AIBKIE2D Parish Priest:- Fr. Danny Pyburn Telephone: 4885104 or 087 2412186 Deacon:- Rev. John Guirey Telephone 087 1266257

Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

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A Prayer During November

O Lord, we thank you for the gift of our loved ones who have died and who we are remembering during this month of November. We remember those who have nobody left to remember them.



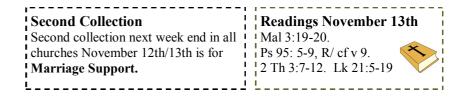
We remember all who have died and especially all those who have died during the past twelve months; those who died from illness, natural causes and those who died tragically.

We thank you, compassionate God for walking with us in all the dark moments of our grief and loneliness. Even when we find it hard to see you, we know and trust that you are beside us, and in the resurrection of Christ, Your Son, Our Lord, you give us a reason for living; a reason for hoping.

Lord, continue to be a light for us, giving us direction and courage in this difficult time.



May we live our lives treasuring the memories of those special people we have known and loved and may you help us, Lord, to bring light and hope to others. We make this our prayer through Christ our Lord, *Amen.*



Graveyard Prayers

November

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

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November 6th as follows:

Sunday 6th

Ballyheada:	2.15pm
Liscleary:	2.15pm
Killingley:	3.00pm
Ballinaboy:	3.00pm

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Please note:

Goggins Hill:

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

St. James Cemetery Chetwynd Blessing of Graves:-Sunday November 6th at 3.00pm.

St. Finbarr's Cemetery- Glasheen *Blessing of Graves:-*Sunday November 6th at 2.30pm.

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Shoe Box Appeal

You can still participate in this project by contacting *Mary at the P.A.N. Centre* (*Parish Office*) at 4885062

Get involved and make a difference to a needy child this Christmas. *All welcome.*

Reflection

On this Sunday when we gather for prayers in the cemeteries of the parish, you may like to reflect on the following:-



Lord, we come here today To revere the memory of those Whom you have called from this life, We come to the place where their Remains were returned to the earth In the way of all flesh; Earth to earth and dust to dust.

Here is where they were entrusted Into your hands, into your love. Here is where they were given The final farewell, and prayers For a safe journey into your keeping.

Here is where we especially ask you To bestow on them the joy of your peace, So that together with you In your eternal home, Where this world of dust and ashes And the fragility of this life No longer hold sway, They will find eternal rest. Amen. (christy Kenneally)

Active Retired Club

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club monthly social in the Marian Hall on Thursday November 10th, 2.30pm-4.30pm. Music, Cuppa, chat All welcome.

Upcoming events:- in the Marian Hall. Christmas Dinner/Party:- December 10th Christmas Flower Arranging:- December 13th All welcome!!!!!!!! Committee Meeting Thursday 10th @, 1pm.

Annual Mass for Bereaved November 14th

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Most of November we concentrate on

remembering our dead. The Holy Souls Novena, the visits to the graveyards are good but they make it impossible for people to avoid being revisited by the pain caused by the

death of a loved one. Here in *Ballinhassig Parish* we have had sad, sudden & untimely deaths this year and in the past few years. Consequently we have many parishioners for whom November is a very sad and lonely month. The thought of facing Christmas without the departed loved one always brings enormous sadness in need of some ray of hope to dispel the darkness of grief.

Conscious of this, the *Parish Assembly & Parish Funeral Ministry Team* have once again organised the **Annual Mass for the Bereaved** during the month of November.

All those who suffered a bereavement in the past twelve months, their family members, neighbours and friends are especially invited to attend this **Special Mass** on **Monday November 14th at 7.30pm in Ballyheada Church.**

It is hoped this Special Mass will bring a message of hope, comfort and consolation to all who live with the pain of loss, especially the death of a loved one; separation; divorce;

Active Retired Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active

Retirement Club annual Christmas Dinner /Party in the:-<u>Marian Hall</u>, Ballinhassig Saturday December 10th. Lunch at 1.00pm. Music, song and craic. *Tickets cost 30Euro.* Names and payment to:-Irene 086 8611275; Mairead 087 1376023; Joan 087 9685484; Phil 087 2901865; Kathleen 086 8821642; Mary O'H 4885062

or **086 3183645.** Early booking essential as places are limited.

All welcome!!!!!!!!

financial insecurity; loss of health both physical and mental and any other loss which we may endure as individuals.

As part of the ceremony everybody will be invited to bring a lighted candle, available at the door, to the altar

on entering the church. These individual candles will then *E* symbolise a community of hope with all candles then lighting as one.

Everybody welcome on the night, we are also conscious that we may not be

aware of all parishioners who suffered bereavements of family members who resided outside the parish. **The night, however, is not**

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only for those bereaved in the past twelve months, it is a night for remembering and praying for all who are grieving. There is a great tradition of support and understanding in our parish at times of bereavement.

Mass on Monday 14th will be another opportunity to offer sympathy, and support through being present and praying with our bereaved families, neighbours and friends. All welcome, invite your family and friends from outside the parish to join you on the night. (Mary O'Halloran writes.)

Christmas Market Stalls

Ballyheada 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

Ballinhassig GAA Club

Ballinhassig GAA Club Annual Christmas Bazaar in the Marian Hall on Sunday December 4th. Santa arrives at 5.15pm. Anyone who wishes to take a stall please contact 087 6579925.

