

Anniversaries

Tricia Johnson, London & Blackrock.
Bridie O'Mahony, Fivemile Bridge.
Alice Marshall, Meadstown.
Maura Johnson, Blackrock.
Frances O'Connor, Banteer.
Marian Crowley, Rochestown.
William & Mary Coleman, Cobh.
Catherine O'Sullivan, Coolatooder.
William O'Sullivan, Coolatooder.
Deirdre Sheehan, Lehenaghmore.
Owen Moynihan, Ballygarvan Upper.



Saturday 13th:- Vigil

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Mass Intentions:-

Catherine Keogh, Rigsdale Upper.
Nuala Daly, Ballinaboy.
Mossie Healy, Ballinaboy.
Barry O'Brien, Raheen.
Maisie Roche, Halfway.
Michael, Bridie & John Walsh, Farlistown.



Sunday 14th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

Mass Intentions:-

Norma O'Loughlin, Ballinabearna.
Angela Harrington, Shanagraigue.

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Mass Intentions:-

Ann & John Forde, Knockpogue.

Lough Derg - Leaving Cork at 9.00am
on **June 9th**, returning **June 12th**.
Booking **021 4502572**. All welcome.

MASS TIMES Next Week:-

Wednesday 17th:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 18th:-

Ballyheada 9.30am

Friday 19th:-Ballygarvan 9.30am

Saturday 20th:- Vigil

Ballyheada:- 7.00pm

Sunday 21st:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Readings May 21st

Acts 1:1-11. Ps 46:2-3, 6-9, R/ v 6.

Eph 1:17-23.

Mt 28:16-20



Special Collection May 14th

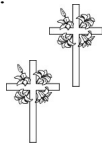
This week end Saturday/Sunday

May 13th /14th special collection is
for **Mission & Ministry**.

We Remember

Cornelius (Nealy) Buckley,
Inchigeela who died recently.

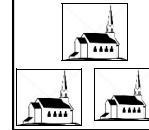
*We pray for his family,
neighbours and friends*



Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



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Mary O'H
submits...

The only Prayer we need is Trust

Prayer can be a difficult subject to tackle. Do we pray to God to change our situation? Do we pray for things or further blessings while believing that "the Lord will provide."?

There's a story of a father who hears his little girl repeating the alphabet the best she can. But he notices she has her eyes closed. He asks her what she's doing and she opens one eye to look at him. "I'm praying, Daddy," she whispers. "It sounded an awful lot like your letters," he said. "Mummy says letters make up all the words," his daughter explained, "and sometimes when I pray to God I don't know what I want to say, so I give Him all the letters and let Him turn them into the right words."

There is great truth in this. Even as adults it can be difficult to find the right words, so perhaps we ought to borrow that little girl's faith and hand it all over to God.

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First Holy Communion - Childs Prayer

God, our loving Father, we thank you for giving us Jesus to be our friend. We know that he loves us and is always with us.

*May he who loves and guides us all and listens when we pray,
be close to you and bless you on **Your Communion Day**.*

2023 Ballinhassig Parish Newsletter

*Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday
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Ballyheada Church Bicentenary

This year we celebrate the Bicentenary of "Sacred Heart Church" Ballyheada

SATURDAY JUNE 17th at 7.00pm

This is the third of a trio of Bicentenary of our churches.

Donations to help defray the cost of **The Church Bell** greatly appreciated as it will cost **3500Euro** to restore including labour & vat.

Thanks to those who have already contributed.

All donations treated confidentially and can be handed in to the *Pan Centre (Parish Office)* at **021/4885062**.



Mission & Ministry Collection May 13/14th

People have always been very generous to this collection, last year a total of 35,600 was collected in the dioceses and was much appreciated.

Recently Eilis Casey has taken up the role of Parish Life co-ordinator and will soon be joined by a colleague in the role of Faith Formation.

Both roles are part of the Office of Mission and Ministry and are funded from this collection.

The Office for Mission and Ministry will support/resource parishes and *Families of Parishes* with training of new Parish Pastoral Councils, baptismal teams, support funeral ministry, and facilitate one-off workshops on such things as Ministers of the Word and Eucharist, altar servers, choir and music ministry, Alpha courses etc.

As we renew our diocese, the need for such vital supports is becoming more evident and all these need to be funded.

Lourdes Young Adult Helpers 2023

Special Information Evening for those aged 18-25 who would like to travel with the Cork & Ross Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes on September 22nd until 27th as a Young Adult Helper.

Meeting on Wednesday **May 17th at 7.30pm** in Mardyke House T12 W8RP.

Details **021 4902459** or

email: sheilakelleher@ucc.ie All welcome.

Holy Land At Christmas

Special **Cork Pilgrimage** to the **Holy Land at Christmas 2023**,

Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Mount of Olives etc. with full day in Bethlehem on Christmas Day.

Details James **061 921470** or jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com.

All welcome.

Golf Classic

Ballygarvan Camogie Club

Golf Classic in Farrangalway Golf Club, Kinsale on **July 7th**.

Contact Martin **087 2683914** to secure your spot!

Accommodation Wanted

Elderly Lady seeking immediate accommodation in Ballinhassig/Ballygarvan surrounding area. Willing to house-share. Contact **083 4216345**.

SMA Novena in honour of **Our Lady of Knock**, **May 19th-27th** at the African Missions, Blackroad Rd. at **10.00am**.

Exam Prayers & Candle 2023

The **Exam Candle** organised by the **Parish Assembly** was lit at all week-end Masses in the parish last week-end **May 6th/7th** and will continue to be lit until the end of the exams.

Good luck to all students who will sit exams this year and remember those who have already commenced.



Short Prayer for Exam Students

Dear Lord,

Give me the spirit of calm to prepare well.

Give me the spirit of wisdom to choose the right questions.

Give me the spirit of reason to answer to the best of my ability.

Allow me do myself justice.

Help me be a source of encouragement for my classmates and friends.

Guide me through the days ahead and keep me always in your care.



May Your love be upon us, O Lord,

As we place all our trust in you. Amen



Parish Choir

This Sunday **May 14th** we welcome the *Parish Choir* to Goggins Hill church for the **11.30am Mass**



Ballinhassig Parish Social and Active Retirement Club:-

Annual Outing on Wednesday **May 31st** *Two places remaining.* Immediate booking essential **021/4885062;** *any committee member.* All welcome.

LOST KEYS

A set of **CAR & HOUSE KEYS** were lost on the road between **Crossbarry & Innishannon** recently. If you find same contact **021/4885062** or **086/3183645**.

Country Market Ballinhassig Saturday June 3rd

The First **Ballinhassig Parish Country Market** held on Saturday last was a great success. An enjoyable social morning was had by both stall holders and visitors. A total of 15 stalls participated both from within and outside the parish. A total of **300Euro** was raised for our first recipient **Goggins Hill Parents Association**.

NEXT MARKET SATURDAY JUNE 3rd

Time:- **10.00am -2.00pm**.

Venue:- **Marian Hall Car Park**. *Local produce, arts, crafts etc.*



Stalls cost **20Euro** and proceeds will go to a different parish group each month.

Stall enquiries/booking

Ben 089 4690 352; Mary 086/ 3183 645 or 021/4885062; Joan 087 968 5484, All welcome.