Anniversaries

Derry Horgan, Ballyhooleen. Frank O'Connor, Banteer. John Murphy, Kealkil. Frank Barry, Ballyduhig. Kevin Cleary, Ballygarvan. Timothy Crowley, Ballyduhig. Fr. Michael Lomasney, Castlelyons.

Saturday 13th:- Vigil Ballyheada 7.30pm Mass Intentions:-Paddy O'Sullivan, Killountain. Kitty O'Sullivan, Killountain. John Tobin, Raheen. Dan F. Walsh, Drumcondra & Knocklucy.

Sunday 14th:-

Ballygarvan 10.30am Mass Intentions:-Patrick Hurley, Ballyguinnane. John & Margaret O'Mahony, Meadstown.

Goggins Hill 12noon Mass Intentions:-Mary Farrell, Ballyleigh. (Months Mind) Finbarr Lombard, Old Abbey. John Cullinane, Rearour. Richie Cullinane, Liskillea.

Always in our hearts forever in our Thoughts.

MASS TIMES Next Week:-

Wednesday 17th:-Goggins Hill NO MASS

Thursday 18th:-Ballyheada NO MASS

Friday 19th:-Ballygarvan NO MASS

Saturday 20th:-Ballyheada 7.30pm

Sunday 21st:-Ballygarvan 10.30am Goggins Hill 12noon

We Remember

Michael John Cogan, Belgooly who died during the week. We pray for his familiy neighbours and friends.

Diocesan Needs Collection Special collection this week end Saturday/Sunday **January 13th/14th** is the first quarterly collection for diocesan needs 2024.

Offertory Envelopes 2024 Boxes of Weekly Offertory Envelopes are still available in the PAN Centre (Parish Office 021 4885062).

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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: 087 2412186

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Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill

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Mary O'H submits

God Has Promised

God has kept His promise To send the rain and sun, The splendour of the seasons, The night when day is done. Everything we treasure Here on earth below, Is given without measure With love, to thrive and grow. God has also promised That one day we shall see His kingdom and the glory, For all eternity.



May Christ dwell in your hearts through faith, and may charity be the root and foundation of your life.... Thus you will be able to grasp fully, the breadth and length, and height and depth of Christ's love.... and experience this love which surpasses all knowledge, so that you may attain to the fullness of God Himself. (Ephesians 3:17-19)



And, he dreamed, and behold a ladder set upon the earth, and the top of it reached heaven..... (*Gen 28:12*)

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2024 January 18th – 25th

This year *The week of Prayer for Christian Unity* has been prepared by an ecumenical team from *Burkina Faso*, facilitated by the local *Chemin Neuf* community, whose members have a special commitment to Christian Unity.

week of Prayer

The theme for 2024 is based on a text from the Gospel of St. Luke (10:27)

"You shall love the Lord your God ... and your neighbour as yourself"

Burkina Faso, in the Sahel region of **West Africa**, is a country of 22 million people, with a Christian population of 26%. The political and social situation of the country is unstable, with threats to peace and social cohesion. The theme leading to the parable of the Good Samaritan helps us to recognise the love of Christ unites all Christians.

The Pope's Intentions - January 2024

For the Gift of Diversity in the Church



We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognise the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.

Readings January 21st Jon 3:1-5, 10. Ps 24:4-9, R/ v 4. 1 Cor 7:29-31. Mk 1:14-20

Mass Leaflets Please take your Mass Leaflet home.

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Remember in your Thoughts and Prayers

Remember and pray for all our parishioners who are unwell at this time, those in their own or relatives homes, those ill in hospital, in nursing homes and those in their final journey of this life. Pray for carers, the homeless and all who have nobody to care for them.



We also remember the bereaved, and those suffering physically or mentally in any way at this time. *You are all in our thoughts and prayers*.

Thought for the week

Plan for the difficult while it is easy; act on the large while it's minute. The most difficult things in the world begin with things that are easy.



