

Anniversaries

Agnes Dineen, Clondrohid, Macroom.
Pearl O'Halloran, Farmers Cross.
Gretta Murphy, Bandon.
Paddy Walsh, Meadstown.
Niamh Cronin, Model Farm Road.
Michael O'Halloran, Farmers Cross.



Saturday 3rd:- Vigil

Ballyheada 7.30pm

Mass Intentions:-

Mossie O'Donoghue, Bawnleigh.
Mairead Pattwell, Tulligmore.
Paddy Walsh, Knocklucy.
Gerard Walsh, Gortnaclough.
Jim, Nora & John Reynolds, Bawnleigh.



Sunday 4th:-

Ballygarvan 10.30am

Mass Intentions:-

John Casey, Ballygarvan.
Michael Blythe, Kingsland &
Ballyphehane.

Goggins Hill 12noon

Mass Intentions:-

Margaret O'Mahony, Skibbereen.
Brid Healy, Douglas & Ballyleigh.

Special Collection

Next week end Saturday/Sunday
May 10th/11th the second collection
is for **Mission & Ministry**.

MASS TIMES Next Week:-

Wednesday 7th:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 8th:-

Ballyheada 9.30am

Friday 9th:-

Ballygarvan 9.30am

Saturday 10th:- Vigil

Ballyheada:- 7.30pm

Sunday 11th:-

Ballygarvan 10.30am

Goggins Hill 12noon

We Remember

John Keating, Larne, Co. Antrim

Phil Cronin, Bishopstown.

Patricia Kingston (née Browne)

Ballymountain North & Leap.

**Sr. Colette Stevenson, Dublin &
Cork** who died recently.

*We pray for their families,
carers, neighbours and friends.*

Readings May 11th

Acts 13:14, 43-52.

Ps 99:1-3, 5, R/ v 3.

Apoc 7:9, 14-17.

Jn 10:27-30.



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Notices for inclusion should be received not later than 2.00pm on Wednesday

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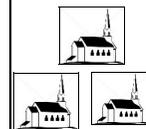
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Ballinhassig Parish

Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



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Mary O'H
submits...

May Month of Our Lady

The Month of May is a month of special devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary.
This May is again an opportunity for us to renew our own devotion to the Mother of God by adding a few prayers to our daily routine.

Parents should try to encourage their children to include a prayer to our Lady in their daily prayers, and perhaps have a special space with a statue of **Our Lady, Holy Water, Rosary Beads** and **Flowers as their May Altar to Our Blessed Lady.**

As children we always associated bluebells with the May Altar.



Mary's Peace Prayer

Mary, Mother of God my mother, Queen of Peace,
ask your son Jesus to give me the gift of Peace.
Pray for me for Peace; Peace in my Heart;
Peace of mind and of soul, Peace in my family,
Peace with all whom I meet, the Peace of Jesus.



Jesus, my Lord and Saviour, my Brother, King of Peace,
I come to you with Mary, Queen of Peace, to ask You humbly
for a new outpouring of the gift of Peace.
Pour out on me Your Holy Spirit of Peace.
Give me Peace, Jesus, Peace within myself, peace in my family,
Peace in my everyday life. Give Peace to my nation,
and to all nations, Peace among all peoples, Peace in the world. Amen.



Exam Prayers & Candle 2025

The **Exam Candle** will be lit at all week-end Masses in the parish commencing this week-end **May 3rd/4th** 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 their college exams etc.

Intentions of students of all ages will be included in our weekly parish community celebration of the Eucharist and will continue until the end of the Leaving Cert exams.

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*



Cork Ecumenical Bible Week

'Let the Word of Christ dwell in you richly' (Colossians 3:16)



Sunday **May 11th** at **7.00pm**. *Singing the Scriptures: How our hymns tell the story of God.* Rev. Eugene Griffin, Kinsale Union of Parishes in Cork Methodist church, Ballinlough, Cork T12 VX20.

Thursday **May 15th** at **7.00pm**. *Unfolding the story of the Resurrection in Luke's Gospel. (Luke 24:45)* Dr. Marian Mortell & Dr. Phil Mortell, Cork Scripture Group. All Welcome.

Details: email corkscripturegroup@gmail.com

Connect 6

Connect is a gathering for young people of faith and for those searching and who are between the ages of 18-35.

You are invited to Connect 6 on Saturday **May 10th** in the *Cathedral of Saint Mary and Saint Anne, Cork City*. It will begin at 2.00pm and joined by internationally renowned You Tube Australian Sister of Life, Sr. Mary Grace. She will present the keynote talk *'Hope does not Disappoint'* Mass, Adoration, Discussion, Confession, & refreshments. Register Eventbrite.ie for CONNECT 6. Cost 10Euro.

Welcome May:-Blessings

May you be happy.

May you be well.

May you be safe.

May you find comfort.

May you find strength.

May you find courage.

May you find healing.

May you find peace.

May you find joy.

May you be filled with loving kindness.



*May you Be Blessed
Today & Always*

Rosary for Month of May

You are invited to join Jerry for the **Rosary for the Month of May** on **THURSDAY** after 9.30am Mass in **Ballyheada Church**.



Lough Derg

Lough Derg 4 day Pilgrimage 2025
Leaving Cork Friday June 6th at 9.00am.
Returning Monday June 9th.
Booking and further information
021 4502 572. All welcome.

Summer Evening Of Song

Presented by:-

River Rhythms Community Choir & Guests. Most Holy Heart Of Mary, Goggins Hill **May 10th @ 7.30pm**. No Entry Fee.

Donations in aid of

ARC House.

All welcome.



First Holy Communion

We pray for the children of the Parish as they receive their *First Holy Communion* this month.

Ballygarvan May 10th
Goggins Hill May 17th
Ballyheada May 24th

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.

Social & Active

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club 'Monthly Social' in the **Marian Hall**, Ballinhassig on Thursday **May 8th** from 2.30pm - 4.30pm.

Music, followed by cuppa and chat. All welcome.



Annual Outing May 28th:-

All seats booked, but you can still add your name to the waiting list.

For those already booked, to secure your seat all monies appreciated on

or before Friday May 2nd.

Booking and details from:-

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086 3183 645 or any committee member. All welcome.