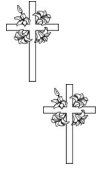


Anniversaries

Tony Jeffers, Rigsdale.
Mark Daly, Castlewhite.
P.J. O'Sullivan, Beara.
Dan Looney, Ballygarvan.
Stephen Irwin, Ladysbridge.



Saturday 18th:- Vigil

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Mass Intentions:-

Mary Hickey, Clougheenduan.
Larry Tobin, Raheen.
Marie Hickey, Ballyhooleen & England.

Sunday 19th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

Mass Intentions:-

John Joe Spillane, Meadstown.
Catherine Spillane, Meadstown.
Mary Spillane, Ballinabearna.

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Mass Intentions:-

John Cronin, Ballyleigh.
(1st Anniversary)
Eddie Burke, Goggins Hill.
Helen Cahill, Dublin.
Tom Buttimer, Kilmurriheen.
Kathleen Twohig, Goggins Hill.
Tom & Angela O'Neill, Limerick.
Brid Healy, Ballyleigh & Douglas.

*Those we love don't go away,
they walk beside us every day,
unseen, unheard but always near,
still loved, still missed and very dear.*

MASS TIMES Next Week:-

Wednesday 22nd:-

Goggins Hill 9.30am

Thursday 23rd:-

Ballyheada 9.30am

Friday 24th:-

Ballygarvan 9.30am

Saturday 25th:-

Ballyheada 7.00pm

Sunday 26th:-

Ballygarvan 10.00am

Goggins Hill 11.30am

Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Diocesan Pilgrimage 2026.

September 18th to 23rd, 2026.

**Departure Ex Cork Airport
** Choice of Hotels from 939.00Euro
**Full Pilgrimage Programme.
Booking now open with Joe Walsh
Tours at **01 2410 800**.

Volunteers Required:-

*Doctors, Nurses, Care Assistants
and Helpers.*

General Enquiries **085 2525 040**.

Email:

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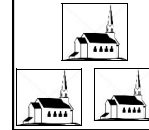
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Newsletter

for Ballygarvan, Ballyheada and Goggins Hill



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Mary O'H
submits..

Celebrate the presence of the Risen Lord

The Gospel this week end contains many teachings on the meaning of the Eucharist as a celebration of the presence of the Risen Lord. Christ takes, blesses, breaks and gives the bread to his disciples. It is in the context of two or three gathered in his name that they come to faith.

Eucharistic Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ,
As we kneel
before your altar,
We thank You for the gift
of the Eucharist.
Your Body and Blood,
offered for our salvation.
May we always approach
this sacred mystery
with a full heart of faith,
humility and love.
Transform us through
this Holy Sacrifice,
and draw us closer
to You each day. Amen.



Readings April 26th

Acts 2:14, 36-41. Ps 22:1-6, R/ v 1.
Pt 2:20 -25. Jn 10:1-10.

Confirmation 2026

The following children from *Ballygarvan National School* were confirmed on **February 10th** in *Mary, Mother of God church, Ballygarvan* by Bishop Noel O'Regan SMA.



James Timothy O'Brien
 Aaron O'Donovan
 Juliette Neary
 Mariana Santos
 Martin Twomey
 Cillian Morgan
 Christien Burke



Eadaoin O'Brien
 James White
 Evan Ashman
 Archie Murphy
 Sean McCarthy

Katie Jane Collins
 Elise Corcoran
 Sean O'Rourke
 Elian Davies
 Lar Healy
 John Walsh
 Liam Burke
 Eoghan Barry

Patrick Browne
 Paddy Casey
 Lorcan O'Leary
 Dylan O'Brien
 Mikey Downey



Grace O'Sullivan
 Alice Duggan
 Max Burke
 Beth Walsh
 Danny O'Donovan

Jack O'Toole
 Ava Curran
 Eimear Kiely



Ross O'Callaghan
 Erin O'Callaghan
 Leilani-mila Davis



Sarah Beechinor
 Juliet Murphy
 Daniel Walsh
 Samuel Spillane
 Caoimhe Hickey
 James Patrick Shannon

Maisie McSweeney
 Ryan Michael O'Sullivan

Lucian Butler (*played music*)



*If we are led by the Spirit,
 and open to the gifts,
 we will bring forth the fruits:
 "Love, Joy, Peace,
 Patience, Kindness,
 Goodness, Trustfulness,
 Gentleness and Self Control" (Gal.5:22)*



Church Choir Interchange

Ballinhassig Parish Choir are delighted to participate once again in the Church Choir Interchange as part of the Cork Choral Festival. *The Church Choir Interchange & Sacred Trail* will take place over the week-end of **Saturday/Sunday April 25th/26th.**



This year we are invited to sing at 11.00am **Mass on Sunday April 26th** in *St. Patrick's Church, Rochestown.*

Choir Practice in preparation for the Interchange will take place in:-
Ballygarvan Church
Wednesday April 22nd @7.30pm.
 All are warmly welcome.

We welcome all singers in the wider community, as well as choir members from our three churches, to come together for this unique and sociable event.

Our parish will be welcoming a choir from *St. Columba's Church, Douglas* to sing at **7.00pm Mass in Ballyheada Church** on **Saturday next April 25th.**

On **Sunday May 3rd** our parish will be welcoming the *Mount Merrion Parish Children's Choir, Dublin* who will sing at **11.30am Mass in Goggins Hill.**



Lough Flower & Gardening Club

The Lough Flower & Gardening Club announce 'Teach In' with **Rose Hickey** in the **SMA Hall, Wilton** on **Tuesday April 28th at 7.30pm.** Admission 10Euro. Refreshments served. All welcome.

Social & Active

Ballinhassig Parish Social & Active Retirement Club
Annual Outing May 27th

Only Four Places Remaining and a **waiting list.**

Payment appreciated from those who have already reserved their seats. *Details & Booking:- Mary O'Halloran 021 4885 062, 086 3183 645* or any committee member. All welcome.

Trócaire Boxes

Sincere thanks to all who returned your Trócaire boxes for Lent 2026. Your continued generosity is much appreciated by all those in need.

Céilí

Céilí in the Marian Hall, Ballinhassig on **Friday April 24th.** *Music by Jerry McCarthy.* Admission 10.00Euro including refreshments. All welcome.

Social Dancing

Social Dancing in the Marian Hall Ballinhassig on **Friday May 1st.** *Music by Ger Coakley* Admission 10.00Euro including refreshments. All welcome.

Lost Engagement Ring

Elderly Lady lost her **Engagement Ring** in **Riverstick** recently at a funeral. Places visited on the day included Riverstick Church, Cemetery (Ballymartle), Allen's Bar. Ring of great sentimental value, reward. Contact **089 4690 352.**