



Ballyhea Parish Newsletter



5th Sunday of Easter

4th Sunday after Easter

15th May 2022

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Mass is Live Streamed	Mass Times	The Month of May is Dedicated to The Blessed Virgin Mary
Saturday, 14 th	10:00 19:30	ST. MATTHIAS, APOSTLE Vigil Mass
Sunday, 15 th	08:30 11:00	5th Sunday of Easter
Monday, 16 th	12:00	St. Brendan, Abbot
Tuesday, 17 th	12:00	Easter Ferial
Wednesday, 18 th	12:00	<i>Mass in Latin</i>
Thursday, 19 th	10:00	Easter Ferial
Friday, 20 th	10:00	St. Bernardine of Sienna, Franciscan Priest
Saturday, 21 st	10:00 19:30	Ss. Christopher Magallanes & Companions, <i>Martyrs</i> Vigil Mass

READERS FOR SUNDAY MASS

Saturday, 21st – 19:30 Louisa Carroll
Sunday, 22nd – 11:00 Sheila Fennessy

ROTA FOR FLOWERS

Breda Crowley [14 & 21 May], & Angela Ryan [28 May & 4 June]

THE PRIORY INSTITUTE IN TALLAGHT

Is hosting an Online Theology Open Evening on Wednesday 18th May at 19:00
(01) 404 8129 or prioryinstitute.com/events/priory-institute-open-evening

LENTEN & EASTER OFFERINGS

Thanks to all who sent in their Offerings which are much appreciated.
Late offerings may still be made.

EASTER BLESSING OF HOMES

If you would like to have your home blessed, please leave your details into the Sacristy so that a suitable time may be arranged, or contact 086 3016859

Confessions are heard on request

Exposition & Benediction after Mass on Thursday

The Rosary is recited before Daily Mass & after the 08:30 Sunday Mass

Only those receiving Holy Communion should approach the altar,
& only on a seat by seat basis.

The Irish Catholic – €2.50 & The Sacred Heart Messenger – €2.00

ANNIVERSARIES

Friday	13 th – 10:00	Maura Murphy, Milford.
Saturday	14 th – 10:00	Annie O’Sullivan, Fiddane
Sunday	15 th – 08:30	Tom Mortell, Gurrane
Sunday	15 th – 11:00	John O’Driscoll
Thursday	19 th – 10:00	Tom Crowley, Ballinadrideen
Saturday	21 st – 10:00	Sarah Morton, Ballyroe

Please remember to pray for: Rachel English of Glanmore, Tom McNamara of Ballinadrideen, Kitty Clifford of Castlewrixon, Norah & Stephen Coleman of Cooline, & Fr. Michael Coleman.

CORK COUNTY COUNCIL GRANT

Many thanks to Cork County Council for a Grant of € 900.00 towards the Insurance for the Hall last year.

TAX REBATE FORMS

Tax Rebate Renewal Forms for were delivered some time ago,
please sign and return before 31st May 2022

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CEREMONY

Congratulations to the children who received their First Holy Communion.
Sophia Carey, Bronagh Curtin, Lauren Cussen, Grace Holton, Holly Kennedy, Robyn Manning, Grace Mortell, Amelia O’Leary, Belle Pitman, Pippa Rose Watson, Savannah Williamson, Jack Crowley, Jack Davern, Óisín Dick, Cillian Flynn, Harry Kearney, Noah Lilly, Patrick Moskal, Ryan Mulcahy, Michael O’Brien, Aidan O’Connor, Will O’Flaherty, Elliott O’Riordan, Gearóid O’Riordan, & Shane Ryan.

Many thanks to their parents, teachers & staff at Ballyhea National School.
Special thanks to the choir, altar servers, floral decorators, and sacristans.

THE NECESSARY ROLE OF THE CHURCH IN REDEMPTIVE HISTORY

For the faith of the early Church, Jesus was not only the Messiah who had already come, but also the ultimate saviour & judge, whose coming was still awaited. Only when he appears with divine power, coming on the clouds of heaven will his work be complete.

This expectation of the *parousia* – *the appearance or coming of Christ in Power & Glory* – explains the eschatological situation of the Christian in this world, the existence of which characterises him between redemption that has already taken place & the fulfilment which has to come, his wayfaring condition, not only in the sense of his transitory earthly life, but also in the sense of his pilgrimage with the Church through the ages towards the end of this aeon & this world.

From this springs an attitude which does not push aside the final events that are to come, to the fringe of the believer’s mind, but on the contrary views them, in prospect & as approaching, as a perpetual summons to vigilance & sobriety, to responsible action in the world, to combat & struggle against the destructive powers of evil & to living hope & joyful confidence. God’s future decision, salvation or judgement, determines the present decision of man; the present decision assumes a decisive character for the future.