Ballyhea Parish Newsletter 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 3rd Sunday after the Epiphany 26th January 2025

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Mass Times

Monday 27th Jan. 12 noon Tuesday 28th 12 noon Wednesday 29th 12 noon Thursday 30th 10am Friday 31st 10am

Saturday 1st Feb. 10am & 7.30pm Sunday 2nd 8.30am & 11am

Adoration & Benediction

Adoration & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Thursday after Mass

Holy Communion Only those receiving Holy Communion should approach the Altar L only on a seat-by-seat basis.

Church Door Collection Last Weekend

Door €205.00

Dev. & Infrastructure €435.00

Crucifix Donations €70.00

Altar Flower Arrangers Next Four Weekend Sat. 1st Feb. A. Sat. 8th Feb.

Ann O'Brien Sat. 15th Feb. A Sat 22nd Feb. Breda Crowley

Readers Next Three Weekends

Sat. 1st Feb. Louisa Carroll
Sun. 2nd Feb. Audrey Morrissey
Sat. 8th Feb. Elizabeth Ryan
Sun. 9th Feb. Mary Byrne
Sat. 15th Feb. Ger. O'Shea
Sun. 16th Feb. Sarah Barrett

Collectors for February

7.30pm Vigil Mass Tom Hanley 8.30am Mass John Mortell 11.00am Mass Donie O'Sullivan

Month of January

The month of January is dedicated to

The Holy Name of Jesus

Feastdays for the coming week

Mon. 27^{th} Jan. St. Angela Merici
Tues. 28^{th} Jan. St. Thomas Aquinas
Wed. 29^{th} Jan. St. Aquilinus
Thurs. 30^{th} Jan. St. Aiden
Fri. 31^{st} Jan. St. John Bosco
Sat. 1^{st} Feb. St. Bridgid
Sun. 2^{nd} 4^{th} Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pope's Intentions for January

For The Right To Education Let us pray for migrants, refugees and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.

Christmas Parish Magazine

The Annual Parish Christmas magazine is on sale.

Price €10.00 Well worth a read

New Crucifix

The Parish has acquired a large outdoor Crucifix from the Redemptorist Monastery in Esker, Co. Galway. The Crucifix has been erected in the New Cemetery adjacent to the Church. To defray the purchase and transport costs a subscription list is now open for anyone who would like to support this initiative. Deaths: - Please pray for the repose of the souls of,

Joan O'Mahony (née Carey) R.I.P. Castlewrixon, / Bruree, Limerick Reposing in Hawe - O'Keeffe's Funeral Home, Charleville, on Sunday evening from 5:30pm to 7:00pm, followed by Prayers and Reception into St. Mary's Church, Ballyhea. Requiem Mass on Monday at 12noon, after which Joan will be laid to rest in Ballyhea

Old Cemetery. **Elizabeth (Betty) Dulohery (née Cashman), R.I.P.** Kilguilkey House, Cecilstown, Cork. **Rev. James O'Kane, R.I.P.** Cushendall Co. Antrim, who died recently.

Anniversaries: - Masses are offered for the following,

Sat. 25th Jan. 7.30pm Sean Desmond, Beechwood Drive.

Sun. 26th Jan. 8.30am Bill O'Shea, Raheen.

Sun. 26th Jan. 11am Jack & Mary McNamara, Longford House.

Sat. 1st Feb. 10am Pater & James Crowley, Ballycosgry.

Please also remember Jack & Margaret O'Brien, Loughlea & Kate Linehan, Imphrick, whose anniversaries occur at this time

Candlemas Day February 2nd

Offerings of candles for the Altar and oil for the Sanctuary Lamp may be left into the Sacristy

Candles to be blessed for home use may also be left into the Sacristy, please label these with your name as they will be blessed at Mass on Candlemas Day February 2nd 2025

Ballyhea Community Council Ballyhea Charity Tractor Run

Sunday 2 February 2025 Proceeds in aid of Marymount Hospice, Cork; Milford Hospice, Limerick & Irish Haemophilia Society.

Open to all Vehicles...Vintage, Classic & Modern incl. Trucks, Cars, Motorbikes, etc. Registration 10.30am. €20 Entry Fee Leaving Corbett Court, Ballyhea at 11.45sm via Charleville, Garrienderk & Kilmallock. All Welcome.

Ballyhea Actie Age Party

The Active Age Party has been arranged for Saturday 8th February in the Corbett Court at 1pm

Muintir Mhuire/Youth Retreat

Spiritually enriching day for young adults 18-35 years.

Saturday 22nd February 2025, 9.30am – 4.30pm

More details on the notice board.

When you ask God for a gift, Be thankful if he sends, Not diamonds, pearls or riches, but the love of real true friends.

Irish Catholic & Sacred Heart Messenger

The Irish Catholic newspaper and the Sacred Heart Messenger are available in the Porch for purchase. Irish Catholic €3.00 Sacred Heart Messenger €2.00

Money for these purchases should be put into the box marked Church Maintenance in the Porch. Thank you.