

Ballyhea Parish Newsletter

6th Sunday of Easter

5th Sunday after Easter

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25th May 2025

No. 21

Mass Times

Monday 26th May 12noon
Tuesday 27th 12 noon
Wednesday 28th 12 noon (Latin)
Thursday 29th 10am
Friday 30th 10am
Saturday 31st 10am & 7.30pm
Sunday 1st June 8.30am & 11am

Adoration & Benediction

Adoration & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Thursday after 10am Mass.

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

Door Collection last weekend €220.00

Development Fund €400.00

Episcopal Conference €5.00

Holy Places €115.00 Lenten Alms €30.00

Collectors for June

7.30pm Vigil Mass

8.30am Mass Paudie Morrissey

11.00am Mass Tadgh Mortell

Altar Flower Arrangers

Sat. 31st May

Gretta Donegan Kenny

Sat. 7th June & Sat. 14th June

Bernie Leahy

Readers Next Three Weekends

Sat. 31st May Elizabeth Ryan

Sun. 1st June Sarah Barrett

Sat. 7th June Ger. O'Shea

Sun. 8th June Audrey Morrissey

Sat. 14th June Louisa Carroll

Sun. 15th June Mary Byrne

Month of May

The month of May dedicated to

The Blessed Virgin Mary

Feastdays for the coming week

Mon. 26th May St. Philip Neri. priest

Tues. 27th St. Augustine of Canterbury

Wed. 28th St. Accidia

Thurs. 29th Ascension Thursday

Fri. 30th St. Anastasius XV Pope

Sat. 31st The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Pope's Intentions for May

For Working Conditions

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfilment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanised.

New Crucifix

The Parish has acquired a large out-door Crucifix from the Redemptorist Monastery in Esker, Co. Galway. The New Crucifix was erected in the Cemetery on 27th November 2024. To defray the purchase and transport costs a subscription list is now open for anyone who would like to support this initiative

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.

Anniversaries: - Masses are offered for the following,

Sat. 24th May 7.30pm James, Lily & John Dundon, Beechwood Drive.

Sun. 25th May 8.30am Patrick & Margaret Nunan, Ballycosgry.

Sun. 25th May 11.00am John Fitzgerald, Shinana, Margaret Walsh, Nellie, James & Charles Lydford, Michael Ranslam, Con McCarthy & Patrick O'Shaughnessy.

Tues. 27th May 12noon Baby Sean Curtin, Castleharrison

Fri. 30th May 10.00am Mary & Robert Dufield, & John Fitzgerald

Sat. 31st May 10.00am Paudi Buicke, Broadford.

Date generated 03/04/2024	Patients first consultation termination of pregnancy		Combined termination procedure and aftercare		Total Number of Claims	Total Cost of Claims
Date Claimed Month	No. of Claims	Cost of Claims	No. of Claims	Cost of Claims		
2020	8,142	€1,221,300	6,735	€2,020,500	14,877	€3,241,800
2021	8,285	€1,242,750	6,686	€2,005,800	14,971	€3,248,550
2022	10,782	€1,617,300	8,882	€2,664,600	19,664	€4,281,900
2023	12,067	€1,810,050	10,021	€3,006,300	22,088	€4,816,350
Grand Total	39,276	€5,891,400	32,324	€9,697,200	71,600	€15,588,600

Table 1: Payment data for initial abortion consultations and completed abortions 2020-2023. Data supplied by HSE to Carol Nolan TD in response to a 2024 parliamentary question.

Lenten Alms

Alms for Nigeria may still be left into the Sacristy. These will be applied to a charitable purpose designated by Archbishop Crotty, Apostolic Nuncio to Nigeria.

White Fathers

Fr. Diarmuid Sheehan of the White Fathers wishes to thank the parish for its generous support during his visit last week.

The Collection amounted to €778.00