

**Ballyhea Parish Newsletter**  
**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025**

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**Mass Times**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Aug. 10am  
 Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> 10am  
 Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> 10am  
 Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> 10am  
 Friday 8<sup>th</sup> 10am  
 Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> 10am & 7.30pm  
**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>** 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 €210.00

Development Fund €415.00

School/Parish Hall €3850.00

**Collectors for August**

7.30pm Vigil Mass Tom Moloney

8.30am Mass

11.00am Mass Dave Ryan

**Altar Flower Arrangers**

Sat. 9<sup>th</sup> August

Gretta Donegan Kenny

Sat. 16<sup>th</sup> August & Sat. 23<sup>rd</sup> August

Bernie Leahy

**Readers Next Three Weekends**

Sat. 9<sup>th</sup> Aug. Ger. O'Shea

Sun. 10<sup>th</sup> Aug. Mary Byrne

Tues. 14<sup>th</sup> Aug. Elizabeth Ryan

Wed. 15<sup>th</sup> Aug. Sarah Barrett

Sat. 16<sup>th</sup> Aug. Ger. O'Shea

Sun. 17<sup>th</sup> Aug. Audrey Morrissey

**Month of August**

The month of August dedicated to

**The Immaculate Heart of Mary**

**Feastdays for the coming week**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July St. John Mary Vianney

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> Dedication of St. Mary Major Basilica

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> The Transfiguration of the Lord**

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> Ss. Sixtus & Companions

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> St. Dominic

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Pope's Intentions for August**

For Mutual Coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

**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

**Deaths:** - Please pray for the repose of the soul of, Jack Kelly, R.I.P. Gurrane, who died during the week,

**Anniversaries:** - Masses are offered for the following,

Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug. 7.30pm Margaret & Lack Morrissey, Ballycosgry.

Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug. 8.30am Jack & Kate Crowley, Ballinadridden.

Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug. 11.00am Hugh Allen, Oxford, England.

Thurs. 5<sup>th</sup> Aug. 10.00am Michael O'Hanlon, Doneraile.

Please also remember Mary O'Sullivan, Loughlea whose anniversary occurs at this time.



The Annual Padre Pio Ceremonies commemorating the most wonderful day in his life, his ordination to the priesthood on August 10<sup>th</sup> 1910 will be celebrated in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Dennehy's Cross, Cork at 2.30pm on Sunday, August 10<sup>th</sup> 2025.

The Mass will be celebrated by Fr. Marius O'Reilly with visiting Priests.

The religious Ceremonies will include:

Recitation of the Holy Rosary, Concelebrated Mass, Anointing of the Sick, Benediction, Blessing of the Sick and Blessing with St. Pio First Class Relics.

Confessions are also being heard on the day from 1.30pm

Rosary 2.30pm

Holy Mass 3pm

Everybody welcome

**Alms**

If anyone wishes to make Lenten Alms to be applied to a Charity in Nigeria designated by Archbishop Crotty, please do so.

Subscriptions will close this weekend. and proceeds forwarded to the Archbishop



*The Currency of Time*

"In the rush for money, we forget the clock's chime,  
 For the richest of treasures is the currency of time."  
 Silver and gold can't buy the sun's rise,  
 Or the laughter found in a child's eyes.  
 Yet we barter our hours, our precious days,  
 For fleeting wealth in countless ways.  
 Pause, reflect—is the trade worthwhile?  
 To buy the world, yet lose your smile?