

**Ballyhea Parish Newsletter**  
**Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ Universal King**  
**24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**23<sup>rd</sup> November 2025**

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**Mass Times**

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Nov. 7pm**  
 Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> 12 noon  
 Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> 12 noon (Latin)  
 Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> 10.00am  
 Friday 28<sup>th</sup> 10.00am  
 Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> 10.00am & 7.30pm  
**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> 8.30am & 11.00am**

**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 €265.00  
 Development Fund €440.00

**Collectors for December**

7.30pm Vigil Mass Gearóid O'Shea  
 8.30am Mass Linda Shortt  
 11.00am Mass Thomas Hanley

**Altar Flower Arrangers**

Sat. 29<sup>th</sup> Nov.

Breda Crowley

Sat. 6<sup>th</sup> Dec. & Sat. 13<sup>th</sup> Dec.  
 Angela Ryan

**Readers Next Three Weekends**

Sat. 29<sup>th</sup> Nov. Louisa Carroll  
 Sun. 30<sup>th</sup> Nov. Audrey Morrissey  
 Sat. 6<sup>th</sup> Dec. Elizabeth Ryan  
 Sun. 7<sup>th</sup> Dec. Mary Byrne  
 Sun. 7<sup>th</sup> Dec. Ger O'Shea  
 Mon. 8<sup>th</sup> Dec. Sheila Fennessy

**Month of November**

The month of November dedicated to

**Holy Souls**

**Feastdays for the coming week**

Mon. 24<sup>th</sup> Nov. St. Colman, patron of Cloyne Diocese  
 Tues. 25<sup>th</sup> St. Catherine of Alexandria  
 Wed. 26<sup>th</sup> St. Conrad  
 Thurs. 27<sup>th</sup> St. Fergal  
 Fri. 28<sup>th</sup> St. Catherine Laboure  
**Sat. 29<sup>th</sup> Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
**Sun. 30<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent**

**Feast of Christ the King**

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2025 is the Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ Universal King; it is the last Sunday in the Liturgical year.

There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 11am Mass, concluding with Rosary & Benediction at 3pm

**November Altar List**

The November Altar list is now open. There are some envelopes and forms on the table in the Church Porch.

The first Mass for those inscribed on the list will be celebrated on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2025 at 11am, and thereafter on every First Friday.

Copies of the Bishop's letter on religious education in the school are in the Church Porch.

**Deaths:** - Please pray for the repose of the souls of Tom Tippetts, R.I.P. Bristol, & Charlie Quinn, R.I.P. Churchtown and late of Ballycosgry, who died during the week.  
**Anniversaries:** - Masses are offered for the following,  
 Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 7.30pm Michael & Deb Moriarty, Geraldine Carroll, Mary Brassill  
 Sun. 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov. 8.30am David & Alice Nunan, Paddy & Margaret Nunan Ballycosgry  
**Sun. 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov. 11.00am November Altar List**  
 Wed. 26<sup>th</sup> Nov. 12noon Teresa Crowley, London  
 Sat. 28<sup>th</sup> Nov. 10am Nellie O'Connor, Cooleens.

**National School Survey**

The Dept. of Education has circulated a survey regarding the teaching of Religion in the school. If you wish that Religion continues in the school and that the children are prepared for Confirmation and First Holy Communion then the following answers should be returned to the Dept. of Education

**Co-education (Yes)**

**Denominational (Yes)**

The survey has been sent on the Aladin system to parents & guardians. It can also be accessed at [www.education.ie](http://www.education.ie)

Both parents and guardians should reply to this survey.

**Picture of the Crucifixion**

The copy of Guido Reni's Crucifixion recently acquired by the Parish is currently undergoing restoration and cleaning. It is hoped to have this process completed by the end of December. Should anyone wish to assist in defraying the costs, donations may be left into the Sacristy. Many thanks for your help.

**Giving to Cork Penny Dinners**

Giving to Cork Penny Dinners will host a community collection on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2025. Donations can be dropped off at Ballyhea Parish Hall between 10:00am and 2:00pm on both days.

Volunteers are also needed to help with the collection on both days between 10:00am and 2:00pm. If you are able to assist, please get in touch with

**Isa on 087-2746974.**

All support is greatly appreciated. Together, we can make a difference to those in need this winter.

