

Church of Our Mother of Divine Grace, Ballygall

Part of the Glasnevin Grouping of Parishes
(Glasnevin, Iona Rd, Corpus Christi, Ballymun Rd & Ballygall)

Sunday, 9th September 2018 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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(Please note that CCTV and live TV streaming are in operation in the Church).

Mass Intentions Monday 10th to Sunday 16th Sept 2018

Day	Time	Intention	Time	Intention
Mon	7.25	Tom Casey	10.00	Funeral Mass – Brian Petherbridge
Tues	7.25	Christopher & Margaret Wyse	10.00	Special Intention
Wed	7.25	Available	10.00	Dermot Des Nolan
Thurs	7.25	Special Intention	10.00	Mary Gleeson
Fri	7.25	Available	10.00	Robert Murphy
Sat	10.00	Patrick & Winifred Green	Confessions available after 10.00am Mass.	
	6.30	Frank Partridge, Mick & Betty Sheil, Phil Mulligan		
Sun	9.00	Special Intention		
	10.30	Mary Walsh		
	12.00	Barney Malone, Special Intention, Nora O'Hara		

Parish Grouping updates

Our Tuesday morning mass at 10am has resumed. However, in Glasnevin church there will not be 10am on Thursday mornings. Ballymun Road has resumed 10.00am mass on Fridays, for the moment.

Grouping Meeting

Meeting takes place here in Ballygall for representatives of the 5 parish pastoral councils on Tuesday 8pm. We would also like to wish Fr. Sintayhu the very best as he prepares to return to Ethiopia and to thank him for his support to the Glasnevin Grouping over the past four years.

Glasnevin Grouping Ethiopian Project

Thank you to all our parishioners who supported our project since its inception last November. To all who helped with our fundraising, hosting our visiting families, those of you who attended the various events in the grouping and all who remembered us in your prayers. Our visitors thoroughly enjoyed all the occasions we planned for them and their attendance at Croke Park and the Phoenix Park during the visit of Pope Francis. Your continued support is very much appreciated.

St. Vincent de Paul

Monthly church gate collection takes place after all masses this weekend.

CrossCare – Social Support Agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin.

Annual Collection for Community & Homeless Services will be at all masses next weekend (15th / 16th September) It will replace the normal Share collection.

Parish Pastoral Council

We are inviting new members onto our Parish Pastoral Council (PPC). A member from the PPC will be speaking at all Masses this weekend. You are asked to pray for the PPC in Ballygall and those thinking about becoming members, that they may discern God's call in parish life.

Recently Baptised

We welcome into our faith community, recently baptised, Sean Paul Keogh, Hugo Joseph Devlin, Mason Green Eager, Amelia Sylvia Arnold, Carter Michael Speck, Sean Lesley Arnold.

Recently Deceased

We remember in our thoughts and prayers, recently deceased, Brian Petherbridge, funeral mass takes place 10.00am Monday.

Adoration & Morning Prayer

Morning prayer Monday to Friday 7.15am. Adoration takes place on Tuesday and Friday morning 8.45- 9.45am and Wednesday 2 to 4pm.

Rome and Assisi Pilgrimage on 24th September 2018 for 7 nights. Three nights in Rome and 4 nights in Assisi. The pilgrimage costs €995 per person sharing and includes flights, hotels, all transfers, guide and tours as per the itinerary. Full information on the pilgrimage can be found at www.marian.ie or by calling our office on 01 878 8159, there are still places available. A chance for us to make a "return visit" to Pope Francis.

Penal Cross

We have been offered the cross that was used for the Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park to replace the cross above the altar. The penal cross is a reminder of the times when the Church in Ireland was persecuted and priests had a price on their head. They lived in fear of their lives and travelled from community to community to celebrate Mass at Mass rocks scattered throughout the country. A small, narrow cross was slipped up their sleeve and carried on their person. It generally was rich in symbolism and was a constant reminder of the trials of our Lord. The cock is often seen as referring to Peter's denial of Christ. The whip, hammer, nails & spear are self-explanatory. The ladder used to take Our Lord down from the cross. Please let us know what you think of this proposed change.

Ballygall Active Retirement Association

Keep Fit for members will resume after the summer break on Thursday 13th September with a new time of 3.00 to 4.00pm. Our meetings will not recommence until Wednesday 19th September 2.00 to 4.00pm.

Solemn Novena

Novena in honour of Our Lady of Perpetual Help takes place in the Monastery of St. Alphonsus, St Alphonsus Road, D9, from the 17th to 25th September, 9,30am and 8.00pm

St. Aidans CBS Whitehall Open evening on Thursday 20th from 6.30pm to 8.30pm. Parents and pupils from 4th, 5th & 6th are welcome.