

# Church of Our Mother of Divine Grace, Ballygall

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

**Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> November – First Sunday of Advent**

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**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> November to Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December**

**All Masses can only be viewed online @ [www.ballygallparish.ie](http://www.ballygallparish.ie)**

<b>Mon</b>	10.00	Special Intention
<b>Tues</b>	10.00	Lena & Joe Walsh, Bernie Matthews.
<b>Wed</b>	10.00	Special Intentions
<b>Thurs</b>	10.00	Special Intention & Patrick Scanlon.
<b>Fri</b>	10.00	Altar List of the Dead.
<b>Sat</b>	10.00	Kathleen Mongan.
	6.30 pm	John & Maureen Montgomery, Sarah & Anthony Lyons & deceased family members, Lily & Harry Montgomery, Mary Kane & Family, Edward Kearns, Bridie, Brian & Sean Woods.
<b>Sun</b>	9.30	<b>Broadcast Mass from Redemptoristine Monastery</b> <b>(<a href="http://www.rednuns.com">www.rednuns.com</a>).</b>
	10.00	Winnie & Seamus Quinn, Agnes Farrell, Nora & Maurice Murphy & deceased family.
	<b>Please note that our 11.30am Mass has not resumed for the moment.</b>	
	11.00	<b>Broadcast Mass from Iona Road</b> <b><a href="http://www.ionaroadparish.ie">www.ionaroadparish.ie</a>.</b>
	11.00	<b>Broadcast Mass from Our Lady of Dolours</b> <b><a href="http://www.glasnevinparish.ie">www.glasnevinparish.ie</a></b>

**Church open for private prayer after mass until 6pm approx.**

## Recently Deceased

We remember in our prayers the family & friends of recently deceased Noel O'Keeffe, Bernadette Moran, Maureen Friel & Maureen Keenan.

## Parish Shop

The Parish Shop will be open from 12.00pm to 1.00pm weekdays. Christmas Cards are now available, an assortment of 6 Christmas cards for €10.00. We also have some Christmas Cribs and 2021 Calendars. Mass cards and other shop items can be purchased/ordered through the office. Please phone the parish office in advance to arrange collection.

## Family Offering / First and Second Collections

Thank you all for your continuous support of our parish Family Offering Collection, your generosity is much appreciated and we cannot wait for the time when we can re-open our doors fully to celebrate mass with you all. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

**Envelopes** are available in the church porch. All Donations can be left in either the post

box of the shop or at the Parochial house.

## Covid-19 Update.

As we go to print on Friday morning, we are eagerly awaiting an update from the Government as to what restrictions will be relaxed over the next couple of weeks. We hope and pray that we will be permitted to open our doors again for Mass. If this is allowed, we will be following the same strict protocol as we did during the summer and we would ask you to work with our stewards to ensure that your return to Mass is safe.

We would like to assure you that we are here for you, if you cannot make it out to the shops and need us to collect some essential supplies for you, please contact the parish and leave a message. Phone 01 8369291 or email

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## First Friday

Next Friday is the First Friday of December. We will remember all those on the Altar List of the Dead at the 10.00am mass.

## ALONE

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

## Crosscare Appeal

A Message from our Community Food Banks

**"We need donations of toiletries – Soaps, Shampoo, Toothpaste, hand soap, baby hygiene products.** Times are difficult for everyone at the moment particularly the most vulnerable people in our community. As the need for people to access our services increase, we are finding it more difficult to keep our stock at a level that can cope with the demand".: *Donations of new toiletry products and in their original packaging please.*

A collection box will be left in the front porch of the church for your convenience.

**Please do not leave any food items.**



Advent marks the beginning of the New Church Year. This year is Year B and the Gospel from St. Mark will be the main gospel.

1<sup>st</sup> Candle (purple): **The Candle of Hope**

2<sup>nd</sup> Candle (Purple): **The Candle of Preparation**

3<sup>rd</sup> Candle: (Pink): **The Candle of Joy**

4<sup>th</sup> Candle: (purple): **The Candle of Love**

5<sup>th</sup> Candle: (White) **"Christ Candle"**

To help us prepare for Christmas, we will have prayers & reflections for each week of Advent and a children's Advent pack available on our website.

Please visit at

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