# Church of Our Mother of Divine Grace, Ballygall (1964 – 2024, 60 years as a Parish)

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(Ballygall, Ballymun Rd, Corpus Christi, Glasnevin & Iona Rd)

## The Most Holy Trinity 26th May 2024

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	Mass Inte	entions Monday 27	th to Su	ınday June 2 <sup>nd</sup>
Monday	10.00	Charles Sheehan	10.00	No Mass Today
Tuesday	7.25	Muriel Ryan	10.00	Cathal Byron
Wednesday	7.25	Special Intention	10.00	Kathryn Nolan
Thursday	7.25	Mary Kearns	10.00	Nicholas Nolan
Friday	7.25	Mass Intentions from Shop	10.00	Fr. Martin O'Farrell
Saturday	10.00	Annie Ennis, Oisin Fanning		Confessions available after 10.00am Mass.
	6.30pm	Finbar Lynch, Dorothy & Micheal Keogh, Ann McKenna, Thomas Roche, Sheila Byrne.		
Sunday	10.00	Tom O'Reilly, John & Carmel Byrne.		
	11.30	John Hickey, Michael Rowe, Anthony Moroney.		

Congratulations to the children of Mother of Divine Grace school who received their First Holy Communion. We would like to thank the Principal, their teachers, parents and guardians, and all those that helped prepare the children for this special day.

#### Confirmation

The boys from Sacred Heart school will be confirmed on Thursday. Keep them in your prayers as they mark this special stage in their Christian journey.

## **Recently Deceased**

We remember in our prayers all those that have died recently, especially, Eithne Hughes, Aidan Hoey & Eric Gregory.

### 60th Anniversary Celebrations.

Over the past few months, a group of Volunteers have been meeting to plan our Parish 60th Anniversary celebration. Invitations are now printed and will be delivered next week, by members of the Legion of Mary, who have kindly volunteered their services. Our Jubilee Anniversary Mass is on Sunday June 16<sup>th</sup> @ 11.30 & will be celebrated by Archbishop Dermot Farrell. It will be followed by a social gathering in Sacred Heart school. Refreshments will be served.

(There will be no 10am Mass that day to facilitate the preparations in advance) In the coming days you will see our 60th Anniversary banner erected on the gable of the church. Our flag poles are being restored and on the day there will be a tree planting ceremony.

Many thanks to the group who are doing great work. There is still a lot to be done and if you would like to help either with preparation or on the day, you would be very welcome.

As part of our celebrations, we intend to have a "Ballygall Abroad" similar to the one that we do at Christmas time. If you would like to send greetings to your loved ones, living abroad, on the occasion of the Parish's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary on 16th June please drop in their details to the office before Thursday 13th June.

See the parish website for more details.

## **Glendalough Walks**

Following the tradition of pilgrimage, a series of walks has been organised to mark St Kevin's Day on **Saturday**, **June 1**, in Glendalough. Participants will walk towards Glendalough following a choice of seven different routes which will merge along the way with other walkers from the same area. For more details enquire in the Parish Office.

## **Bereavement Support**

The Irish Hospice Foundation provides a free Bereavement Support Line. This National Freephone Service is available from 10am to 1pm, Monday to Friday, by calling 1800 807077. Visit <a href="https://www.hospicefoundation.ie">www.hospicefoundation.ie</a> for more information.

## Seniorline

Would like someone to talk to? SeniorLine is Ireland's national telephone service for older people open every day of the year 10am-10pm, Freephone 1800 80 45 91. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence, or for company during their day. SeniorLine's older volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and to refer caller to other helpful services if necessary. So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help. Phone SeniorLine 1800 80 45 91, open every day of the year 10am-10pm.