Church of Our Mother of Divine Grace, Ballygall

Part of the Glasnevin Partnership of Parishes (Ballygall, Ballymun Rd, Corpus Christi, Glasnevin & Iona Rd) 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time 16th February 2025

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| Mass Intentions 17 th to 23rd th February 2025. | | | | |
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| Monday | 7.25 | Special Intention | 10.00 | Funeral Vincent Clarke |
| Tuesday | 7.25 | Available | 10.00 | Eoghan Rowe & Mary O'Neill |
| Wed | 7.25 | Available | 10.00 | Eleanor Brocklebank |
| Thursday | 7.25 | Available | 10.00 | Daphne & Edward O'Donohoe. |
| Friday | 7.25 | Available | 10.00 | Mary Murphy. |
| Saturday | 10.00 | Tim Hayes | Confessions available after 10.00am Mass & on request. | |
| Saturday | 6.30pm | Months Mind Remembrance John Graham, Kathleen O'Neill, Pauline Lawlor James Cummins Davy Reddin Irene Tunney Donal Hynes , James Cushen Frank Maguire Eleanor Brocklebank | | |
| Sunday | 10.00 | Kieron Byrne, Joan Seery, Kathleen & Seamus Caulfield. | | |
| Sunday | 11.30 | Claire Creamer-Barry, Pat O'Shea, Frank Byrne, Bill Whelan. | | |

Recently Deceased

We remember in our prayers, recently deceased, Philomena O'Connor & Vincent Clarke.

Accord Annual Collection

The annual collection for Accord Dublin, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at all Masses this weekend.

Accord Dublin throughout the diocese offers Marriage Preparation courses – online, small groups; Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships.

Dates for Diary Ballygall Parish Finance Committee meeting Wednesday 19th Feb @ 7.30pm in the parish rooms.

World Day of the Sick 2025

We place those who are sick in body, mind or spirit at the centre of our time of prayer with God who is charity and love.

Adoration Of the Blessed Sacrament

Adoration takes place here in Ballygall on Thursday mornings after 10.00am mass. All are welcome.

Knock Pilgrimage

As we begin our Jubilee of Hope, it's time to launch our 2025 Knock Pilgrimage. The pilgrimage has grown significantly in recent years. In 2024, over 3,000 people from throughout the Archdiocese of Dublin took part. This year the theme of the pilgrimage will focus on the Jubilee year, and we are inviting partnerships of parishes to join us from throughout the

Personal Prayer

Father, teach me to pray, Fill my lips with words that you want to hear. You are the Holy One whom all should honour and revere.

Teach me the way to forgive and forget. Help me not to have bitterness within me. Give me the spirit, Lord to forgive those who have sinned against me.

Help me to love you with all my heart, loving my neighbour as myself. May, I always be humble enough to say "your will be done" You know Lord, what is best for me and those around me.

As I storm Heaven with prayer, you are listening, giving what I need. Thank you, Lord, for all you do for me.

Don't forget me in the months and years to come. Give me the chance to honour and praise you for all eternity. Amen.

Archdiocese. Partnerships who have not travelled to Knock in recent years are particularly welcome. The pilgrimage will provide us with an opportunity to gather as Diocesan community of faith to celebrate the Jubilee year. The pilgrimage takes place on Saturday, April 26, and will include workshops, outdoor walks, the Sacrament of the Sick and our pilgrimage Mass, which will be celebrated by Archbishop Farrell. We hope to welcome more young people this year and encourage our parish partnerships to invite them to attend. It's a good time to consider booking your Partnership bus. The Choir of Many Voices from throughout the Archdiocese will be back for a third year under the able direction of Ciaran Coll. If you would like to join the choir (previous members will be contacted separately), or have any queries about the pilgrimage, please email knockpilgrimage@dublindiocese.ie.

Tax on Donations.

Thanks to Tax Relief on Charitable Donations, your contributions have an even greater impact without any additional cost to you. With your help the parish can claim a tax refund from Revenue to the value of up to 45% of your identifiable contributions amounting to €250 or more in any given year. This tax rebate from Revenue is now an important source of income for the Parish. We will be automatically sending out the form to all who have contributed over €250 in donations last year. If you wish to complete the form and return to Mary, in the office, at your earliest convenience, we can arrange the rest!