

## Mallow Parish Newsletter—Sunday, 7th May 2023

### Priests of our Parish:

Msgr. Anthony O'Brien, P.P., V.G. 087 6834193.

Fr. Andrew Carvill, C.C. 022 51606.

Fr. Thomas Lane, C.C. 087 0660615

Fr. Damien Lynch, C.C. 022 53909

Sick Calls:- Please call 022-21251

Parish Youth Minister—Bernadette O'Connor 086 8031126

### Confessions:

St. Mary's—

Saturday after 10 a.m. Mass.

Church of the Resurrection—

No Confessions, Friday  
afternoon this week.



**Weekday Masses: St. Mary's**—10 a.m. Monday—Saturday.

**Church of the Resurrection**—8.30 a.m. Mon—Wed., 9.15 a.m. Thursday & Friday.

**Weekend Masses: St. Mary's** Vigil 6.30 p.m. Sunday 8.30 and 11.00 a.m.

**Church of the Resurrection:** Vigil 7.30 p.m. Sunday 10.00 a.m. and 12 noon.

'Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God. Believe also in me.' Trust in another person can help us in difficult times. Remember and give thanks for the people you were able to trust in difficult moments. Remember also when your faith in God helped you through anxious moments. Thomas struggled with the desire, which in all of us, to know exactly the destination before we set out. Jesus invites us to make an act of faith and to take one step at a time. Can you recall times when it helped you to take that trusting attitude to life?

Jesus proposed himself to Thomas as the way, the truth and the life. In what ways—either by his teaching or by his example—has Jesus been the way, the truth and the life for you on your faith journey? Philip wanted Jesus to give him a glimpse of God and got the surprising answer 'Whoever has seen me has seen the Father'. Jesus put a human face on the love of God. He gives us a glimpse of the divine. We are Jesus people in the world today, called to follow Jesus and to put a human face on the love of God for those who meet us. Who are the people whose love has helped you to believe in the love of God? To whom have you given an occasional glimpse of the divine?

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**Baptism and Confirmation** God comes to us in every sacrament. There is a visible sign in every sacrament of God and his grace coming to us and there is a prayer accompanying that sign. In Baptism, the visible sign is the pouring of water, and the prayer is "Name, I baptise you in the Name of the Father, and of the son, and of the Holy Spirit ." In Confirmation, the visible sign is the bishop anointing on the forehead with the oil of chrism and the prayer is, "Name, Be sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit." For each of the seven sacraments—and the sacraments were given to us by Jesus—there is visible sign of our encounter with God and an accompanying prayer.

### Notices—

1. Rosary for the month of May at Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto, Muddy Hill, daily at 7.30 p.m. All welcome. As the Rosary is taking place at the grotto every evening, there will be **no Holy Hour on Sunday evenings**.
2. Adoration Chapel, St. Mary's—10.30 a.m.- 6 p.m., Monday to Saturday.
3. **N.B. PLEASE NOTE—Masses on Mon., 8th, Tues. 9th and Wed. 10th May will be at 8.30 a.m. in Church of the Resurrection this week.**
4. Tea/Coffee after Mass—Everyone is welcome for a cup of tea or coffee after 10 a.m. Mass on Friday, 12th May in St. Mary's (in the outer sacristy—door to the left of the altar). Through sharing a cuppa and a chat, we hope that encouragement and friendship may be shared in our community (from Mallow Parish Pastoral Council).
5. The novena to the Holy Spirit runs from the day following Ascension Thursday (even though in this country the Ascension is transferred to the following Sunday) to the Saturday before Pentecost, so, this year it runs from Friday 19th May to Saturday 27th May.
6. The Bishop of Cloyne invites eligible men, married or single, who are interested in becoming ordained deacons in the diocese to contact Canon Bill Bermingham, PP, Youghal—083 8687196.
7. Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock., Sunday 14th May. Parishes to make their own travel arrangements.
8. Accord Central Office is recruiting for the Certificate in Counselling training programme commencing in September 2023. Training will take place in Maynooth and the course is validated by the Pontifical University Maynooth. Further details—contact [info@accord.ie](mailto:info@accord.ie). Final date for applications—19th May. Submit to Breda Landy Horgan., [bhorgan@accord.ie](mailto:bhorgan@accord.ie).
9. Fatima Five First Saturdays,— June to Oct. 2023—9 a.m. Church Live Stream—<http://www.churchservices.tv/littleton>.
10. Bethany Bereavement Service—Support for all types of bereavement and losses. Inquiries 086 3918751.
11. Catholic newspapers are on sale after Mass.

**CONFIRMATION IN MALLOW—WEDNESDAY 10th May—10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and THURSDAY—11th May 1 p.m.**

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Opening hours—Monday—Friday 9 a.m.-10 a.m., 10.30—1 p.m., 2—5 p.m.

### HOLY COMMUNION DATES IN MALLOW

**St. Patrick's Boys' N.S.**—Sat. 20th May, 11.00 a.m. in St. Mary's

**Gaelscoil Thomáis Dáibhís**—Sat. 20th May, 11.00 a.m. Church of the Resurrection

**Convent Primary School** — Sat. 27th May, 11.00 a.m. in St. Mary's

**Scoil Ghobnatan**—Sat. 27th May, 11.00 a.m. in Church of the Resurrection