

Mallow Parish Newsletter—Sunday, 30th July 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—

Friday after 9.15 a.m. Mass.



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

Church of the Resurrection—9.15 a.m. Monday—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.

Have you ever found yourself saying 'that was worth it' after giving up something (time, pleasure, money, etc.)? What was the treasure that made the sacrifice worthwhile?

The 'kingdom of heaven' is when God is really the ruler in our life. What treasures have you obtained when you allow God to be at the centre of your life?

In life we gather a lot of things, some good and some bad. The wise person in the kingdom of heaven, knows how to sit down and make decisions on what to keep and what to discard. When have you undertaken that kind of discernment? What have you discarded? What have you retained?

From Intercom July 2023.

Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes."

Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal.

Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord.

Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. St. Colman, Patron of our Diocese, pray for us.

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

Website—www.mallowparish.ie **Facebook**—facebook.com/mallowparish

Watch Masses live from St. Mary's Church by logging on to churchservices.tv/mallow

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readers for the month of August—

St Mary's—

6.30 p.m. Aisling Curtin, 8.30 a.m. Eoghan Kenny, 11 a.m. Peter McKenna.

Church of the Resurrection—

7.30 p.m. Brid Broderick, 10 a.m. Nicola Somers, 12 noon. Joan O'Donoghue.

The Parish Pastoral Council invites all residents of Glenanaar, Lisheen Row, Plunkett Terrace and surrounding areas to the second of our Summer Masses on the Green, on Thursday, 10th of August at 7.30 p.m. The Mass will be held on the green area at the Gilbert Centre.

Notices—

1. First Saturday Devotions in honour of Our Lady of Fatima—St. Mary's at 9.15 a.m.
2. Adoration Chapel, St. Mary's—10.30 a.m.- 6 p.m., Monday to Saturday.
3. Youth 2000 Summer Festival—for young people aged between 16 and 35—Thurs., 10th to Sun., 13th August, Clongowes Wood College, Co. Kildare—www.youth2000.ie for further details and bookings.
4. The Catechism of the Catholic Church Adult Studies—Catechism/Youcat workshop in Knock., Sat., 26th Aug., 9.15 a.m.– 5.15 p.m. The workshop will be of interest to those who plan to start a study group of the Catholic Faith. To book—email, mairin991@gmail.com., see website—www.catechism.ie.
5. Fatima Five First Saturdays,— August to Oct. 2023—9 a.m. Church Live Stream—<http://www.churchservices.tv/littleton>.
6. Legion of Mary—Youth Adult Catholic Conference 'Under Mary's Mantle'—aged 18-40., 19th/20th Aug., All Hallows campus DCU, Dublin—including talks, workshops and prayer sessions. Mass will be celebrated on both days of the Conference. Further details contact—deusetpatria@gmail.com.
7. Bethany Bereavement Service—Support for all types of bereavement and losses. Inquiries 086 3918751.
8. Give blood, save a life—Mallow GAA Sports Complex., Mon., 31st July—Thurs., 3rd Aug. 4p.m.–8 p.m. Call 1800 731 137 or book online to make an appointment.
9. Catholic newspapers are on sale after Mass.
10. Mallow Union (Mallow, Doneraile and Castletownroche Church of Ireland) - Annual Fete on Sat., 12th August., 11 a.m.–3 p.m. on the grounds of St. James' Church Mallow.