

Mallow Parish Newsletter—Sunday, 10th September 2023

Priests of our Parish:

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

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

Fr. Anthony Sheehan, C.C.

Fr. Damien Lynch, C.C. 022 53909

Sick Calls:- Please call 022-21251

Parish Youth Minister—Bernadette O'Connor 086 8031126

Confessions:

Church of the Resurrection—
Friday after 9.15 a.m. Mass.

N.B. PLEASE NOTE: St. Mary's Church will be closed until Saturday, 16th September.

The Adoration Chapel will remain open, but access will be by the side entrance.

Parish Masses—will be held in the Church of the Resurrection as follows—

Saturday—10 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Sunday—8.30 a.m., 10 a.m. and 12 noon.

Weekday Masses—Monday—Friday at 9.15 a.m. each day.

Bishop Crean has appointed Fr. Anthony Sheehan to be C.C. in Mallow Parish.

We welcome Fr. Anthony and hope he will be very happy among us.

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel—

At the time Matthew was writing his gospel local church communities would have numbered no more than fifty people. They would be known to one another. Matthew presents the instructions of Jesus for dealing with people whose behaviour disrupted and harmed the community. Note the steps suggested. Simple directions but many of us do otherwise. We avoid difficult confrontations. We talk about the faults of others to everyone but themselves. We go over the head of someone who displeases us and make complaints. In your experience, which approach is life-giving for you and for others? While Jesus is referring to a group situation, the advice can be applied also to personal difficulties and problems with others. What lessons has life taught you about constructive ways of dealing with conflict? As individuals and communities we have the power to bind and to loose, to exclude people from relationship, or to open up and include others in relationship. When have you found it important to acknowledge this power in your own life? Jesus also promises to be with his followers when they gather together. What does that mean to you? How have you experienced the presence of Jesus in his followers gathered together? During the recent lockdown due to coronavirus, how did you experience the presence of Jesus in your faith community?

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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

AUTUMN STATIONS

Town Station Masses—

St. Mary's—

Monday 25th September and Tuesday 26th September at 10.00 a.m.

Church of the Resurrection—

Tuesday 3rd October and Wednesday 4th October at 9.15 a.m.

Country Station Masses—

We invite families who are willing to hold a Station Mass in their homes to contact the Parish Office on 022 20276 to arrange a date of your choice between the 8th September and 13th October. Please consider holding a Station to keep this spiritual tradition alive with your neighbours.

Notices—

1. Adoration Chapel, St. Mary's—10.30 a.m.- 6 p.m., Monday to Saturday.
2. **St Pio Pilgrimage to Knock**—Sunday 17th Sept., coach departs from Church of the Resurrection—7.30 a.m. and St. Mary's Church—8 a.m. Further details—086 3722143.
3. **Season of Creation**—a series of meetings in Nano Nagle Birthplace, Ballygriffin, Killavullen, Wednesdays, Sept., 13th, 20th, 27th and Oct 4th) at 7.30 p.m. Contact Sr. Lois Greene, 022—26411 or see www.nanonaglebirthplace.ie.
4. **MIR ministries.**, Life in the Spirit Seminar—Kilshannig GAA Complex (P51 E0YH), Sept., 22nd—8 p.m. for six weeks. All welcome.
5. **The Totus Tuus Men for Christ Catholic Conference 2023**—Live on Radio Maria Ireland, Sat., Sept., 16th., from 2 p.m.
6. **Evangelium Ireland** next Apologetics Conference for young Catholics—Imperial Hotel, South Mall, Cork, Sat., 7th Oct., 11 a.m.—4.30 p.m. The theme is *Towards Lifelong Formation*. Speakers: Bishop Alphonsus Cullinan *Defending the Faith in the Public Square*; Fr Eamon Roche *'Until Christ be Formed in You' - A Roadmap for Catechesis and Christian Formation*; Fr Patrick Cahill *Studying Discipleship at the School of Mary*. Cost: €15 including morning refreshments. Further details and to register see website—www.evangelium.ie or search 'Evangelium Ireland' on Eventbrite.
7. As part of our mission to share The Good News and home-based faith communities in parishes—Parish Cells of Evangelisation—six week programme begins Mon., 11th Sept.,—7 p.m. on Radio Maria. Website—<https://www.radiomaria.ie/live-radio-maria>.
8. **Dementia Public Information Evening**—Wed., 13th Sept., in The Culturann, Newmarket, 7 p.m.—9 p.m. **North Cork Dementia Alliance and Mallow GAA**—Afternoon of Memories—Mon., 18th Sept., 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. in Mallow GAA Complex. Guest Speaker Fergal McCormack. **Booking essential**—include your name and phone number when reserving your place. Please email—sheena.cadoo@hse.ie or text 086—7871818.
9. Mallow Adult Learning Centre, Parish Centre—Tutor Training Course, beginning at the end of September—contact 022 42642 for further details.
10. Bethany Bereavement Service—Support for all types of bereavement and losses. Inquiries 086 3918751.
11. Catholic newspapers are on sale after Mass.