

## Mallow Parish Newsletter—Sunday, 3rd September 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:

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

**IMPORTANT NOTICE—CLOSURE OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH FOR WORKS.**  
St. Mary's Church will be closed from Monday 4th to Saturday 16th September for re-carpeting of the Church.

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

During that time, all Parish Masses will be held in **Church of the Resurrection as follows—**

**Weekend Masses on 9th/10th September—**

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 (both weeks).

### *Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel—*

Short-term loss is sometimes necessary for long-term gain, as a student studying, or an athlete training, can testify. When have you found that denying yourself proved to be worthwhile because of what you gained afterwards?

Jesus was teaching his followers that the path of discipleship would involve pain and suffering. His friend, Peter, would have none of it. Sometimes friends have a mistaken idea of what is for our good. What lessons have you learned about handling bad advice from a good friend?

Jesus knew that because his good news message was not acceptable to the authorities he would suffer and die. In spite of this, he trusted that the power of God would overcome evil. Have you seen a good news message survive even though opponents tried to stifle it? Jesus promised that those who suffer for the kingdom would be rewarded. Perhaps, even in this earthly life, you have experienced reward for faithful discipleship. What have these rewards been?

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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.

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## 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. To coincide with the Church's annual Season of Creation—a series of meetings will take place in Nano Nagle Birthplace, Ballygriffin, Killavullen on Wednesdays—7.30 p.m., beginning Sept., 6th., also (13th, 20th, 27th and Oct 4th). Meetings will include a reading of Pope Francis' encyclical, *Laudato Si*. Contact Sr Lois Greene— 022 26411, or see the website—[www.nanonaglebirthplace.ie](http://www.nanonaglebirthplace.ie) for further details.
4. MIR ministries—Life in the Spirit Seminar—Kilshannig GAA Complex (P51 E0YH)—Sept., 22nd at 8 p.m. for six weeks. All welcome.
5. **Two Upcoming Events—North Cork Dementia Alliance and Mallow GAA** will hold a Cork GAA Afternoon of Memories—Mon., 18th Sept., 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. in Mallow GAA Complex. Guest Speaker Fergal McCormack. **Dementia Public Information Evening—**Wed., 13th Sept., in The Culturlann, Newmarket, 7 p.m.—9 p.m. **Booking essential for these events—** include your name and phone number when reserving your place. Please email—[sheena.cadoo@hse.ie](mailto:sheena.cadoo@hse.ie) or text 086 7871818.
6. Mallow Adult Learning Centre, Parish Centre—Tutor Training Course, beginning at the end of September—contact 022 42642 for further details.
7. Mallow Field Club—outing to Blarney Village on Tues., 5th Sept., leaving Garda Station at 6 p.m. Car pooling available. Everybody welcome.
8. Bethany Bereavement Service—Support for all types of bereavement and losses. Inquiries 086 3918751.
9. Catholic newspapers are on sale after Mass.