

Mallow and Mourneabbey Parishes—Sunday, 14th January, 2024

Priests of our Parishes:

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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.

Parish Office—022 20276

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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

Mallow Mass Times:

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.

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

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

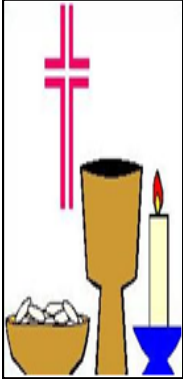
Mourneabbey Mass Times:

Weekend Masses: Analeentha—10.00 a.m. Sunday.

Burnfort—11.30 a.m. Sunday.

Weekday Masses: Burnfort—9.30 a.m. Thursday.

Analeentha—9.30 a.m. Friday.



Seeing your life through the Lens of the Gospel—

John pointed the disciples towards Jesus as the one they should follow. Remember the people in your life who have pointed you in a new and life-giving direction? Perhaps in some cases this may have involved directing you away from your association with them, e.g., leaving home, changing jobs, etc.

Where do you live? Jesus did not respond to the question by giving the disciples his address. He invited them to come and experience where and how they lived. Discipleship is a lived experience. What experiences have helped you to learn how Jesus lived, and what he was looking for in life? How has this attracted you to follow him?

What is your experience of gathering in small groups to learn to live like Jesus by listening to the gospel together? Where two or three are gathered in his name, Jesus is there with them. What group experiences have helped your faith to grow?

Andrew did not keep the good news too himself but also invited his brother to join him in following Jesus. What is your experience of receiving, or giving, an invitation to join in some worthwhile venture?

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The Priests of the Parish wish to thank all the people for their generous contributions over the Christmas period. A special word of thanks to all who took up these and other collections during the year, to the money counters and to everybody who helped so much in running the Parish during the past year—Ministers of Holy Communion, Readers, Altar Servers, The Choirs, Flower Arrangers, C.E. Workers, those who opened and closed the churches, looked after the altar and shrines and those who kept the churches clean. We thank you for all your support and friendship throughout the year.

Notices—

1. Adoration Chapel, St. Mary's—10.30 a.m.—6 p.m. Monday to Saturday.
2. **Weekly Envelope Boxes 2024**—Renewed thanks to all who support the church funds, and those who use the envelope method. If you have not received a box and would like to join, please contact the Parish Office—022/20276 or email sacristanmallow1@gmail.com.
3. **Altar Servers Enrolment**—Boys and Girls (attending 3rd, 4th and 5th Class in School) are invited to enrol as Altar Servers for the weekend Masses which they normally attend. Parents of boys and girls who wish to serve at the Altar should collect an Enrolment Form from the Sacristy after Mass, and return it to the Sacristy after Mass next weekend. Enquiries to Fr Andrew Carvill.
4. **Training for a Role in International Development—Viatores Christi** (VC) presents a live online Venture Training Programme for 2024., over three weekends—Jan., 27th–28th., Feb., 24th–25th., and Mar., 30th–31st. Modules to include., mission and development, project cycle management, community development, global awareness, social justice, and climate change. Contact—sorcha@viatoreschristi.com for further details.
5. Mallow Field Club Lecture—Tues., 16th Jan., at 8 p.m. in Social Services Centre. Helen O'Connell will speak on "Lord Castletown 1848-1937., a quick glimpse of a fascinating busy landlord." Door charge €5. Everybody welcome.
6. Bethany Bereavement Service—Support for all types of bereavement and losses. Inquiries to 086 3918751.