

THE PARISHES OF MALLOW & MOURNEABBEY

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27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ 6TH OCTOBER 2024

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES

St Mary's Church, Mallow

Saturday (vigil): 6.30pm
 Sunday: 8.30am & 11.00am
 Monday – Saturday: 10.00am
 Confessions Saturday after 10.00am Mass
 Convent of Mercy: Sunday Mass 9.30am

Church of the Resurrection, Mallow

Saturday (vigil): 7.30pm
 Sunday: 10.00am & 12.00pm
 Monday – Friday: 9.15am
 Confessions Friday after 9.15am Mass

St John the Baptist, Burnfort

Sunday 11.30am
 Thursday 9.30am

St Michael the Archangel, Analeentha

Sunday 10.00am
 Friday 9.30am

Adoration Chapel in St Mary's Church Monday to Saturday 10.30am – 6.00pm

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on Saturdays & Sundays. Inquiries to the Parish Office

Livestreaming from St Mary's Church on churchservices.tv/mallow

Catholic newspapers are on sale after Sunday Masses in Mallow

Society of St Vincent de Paul Contact (022)50188 or (086)2693571

Bethany Bereavement Service for all types of bereavement and losses. Contact (086) 3918751

Mallow Young Catholics Fridays at 7pm in the Parish Centre. Prayer, Scripture, Refreshments.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

St Mary's Church

Saturday Vigil
 6.30pm Anniv: Kathleen Marrinan
Sunday
 8.30am Anniv: Breda Merritt
 11.00am 50th Anniv: Jack Hartnett

Mon Anniv: Sr. Rosarii
Tue Anniv: Fr. Michael Campbell
Wed
Thur
Fri Anniv: Timothy Sexton
Sat Months Mind: Tom Cronin

St John the Baptist, Burnfort

Sun Anniv: Pat Curtin (Snr)
Thur Anniv: Catherine Cronin

Church of the Resurrection

Saturday Vigil
 7.30pm Anniv: Michael & Abina Galvin
Sunday
 10.00am Anniv: Denis Sheehan
 12.00pm Anniv: Mary O'Flynn

Mon
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Fri

St Michael the Archangel, Analeentha

Sun
Fri

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK *(Optional observance in italics)*

Sun 6th St Bruno, Priest (not observed this year)

Mon 7th Our Lady of the Rosary

Wed 9th Bl John Henry Newman, Priest; St Denis, Bishop, & Companions, Martyrs

Fri 11th St John XXIII, Pope; St Canice, Abbot

THE SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST *Continued*

The Last Supper, which was the first celebration of the Eucharist, took place in the context of the Passover meal. This is of great significance when it comes to understanding the relationship between the Supper and the Sacrifice of Calvary. The Passover celebration was itself a commemorative meal; it was a meal eaten 'in memory' of the Exodus, Israel's deliverance from slavery in Egypt which was God's great act of salvation towards them and was followed by the establishment of the *covenant* between them and God at Mount Sinai. The original form of the meal, as described in the Book of Exodus, was given to God by Moses and was to be their annual way of commemorating this event. However, it was not to be a mere *looking back upon* the event of the Exodus as one might look back upon and consider a great event of history. By partaking of this meal, the Israelites understood that the events of the Exodus were being *made present* to them in the here-and-now. So by instituting the Eucharist in the context of this 'memorial meal' and by explicitly using the language of memorial and *new covenant*, it is understood that 'Christ's Passover' (his Death and Resurrection) would be similarly made present to believers of all times and places wherever this meal was celebrated and that its fruits would be applied to their lives. Thus the Eucharistic celebration is properly called both a Memorial Meal, in the fullest sense, and the Holy Sacrifice. That said, it is not to be thought that in the Mass the Sacrifice of Christ is *repeated*. Christ sacrificed himself once and for all on Calvary. As the Council of Trent explains:

The victim is one and the same: the same one who offered himself on the cross now offers himself through the ministry of priests; only the manner of offering is different. 'In this divine sacrifice which is celebrated in the Mass, the same Christ who offered himself once in a bloody manner on the cross is contained and is offered in an unbloody manner.'

The 'unbloody manner' referred to here is the re-enactment of the Last Supper.

Upcoming Country Stations, Mallow – Killetra and Firville at the home of Edel Callanan - Saturday, 12th October – Mass at 11 a.m.

Carrigoon, Parkadillane, Oliver's Cross, Keatley's Close, Castleheights, Aldworth Heights at the home of Kathleen O'Brien - Friday, 25th October – Mass at 7.30 p.m.

Upcoming Country Stations, Mourneabbey –

Lissard at the home of Paddy and Mary Buckley Wednesday, 16th October – Mass at 8 p.m.

Burnfort, Greenhill and Léim na Léithe at the home of Maurice and Eileen Carey – Friday 18th October – Mass at 8 p.m.

Toureen North at the home of John and Bríd O'Connor – Friday 25th October – Mass at 8 p.m.

NOTICES

Mallow Young Catholics Film Night On Friday, 11th October at 7.00pm the 2010 film 'Of Gods and Men' will be shown in the Parish Centre. It tells the true story of Cistercian monks in North Africa during the Algerian civil war who struggle to decide whether to remain or flee in the face of heightened violence and persecution by terrorists. All welcome 18-35.

Public Rosary at Muddy Hill Grotto for October - Sunday evenings at 7 p.m., to honour the month of the Holy Rosary. All are welcome.

St. Mary's Tea/Coffee after Mass – come along for a cuppa and a chat after 10 am Mass on Fri., 11th Oct., in St. Mary's Family Room next to the main door. A chance to meet and get to know each other. All welcome (from Mallow Parish Pastoral Council).

Scoil Iosagáin Infant N.S. is now enrolling students for September 2025. You are invited to complete the pre-enrolment link which can be found on our website, or call the school office – 022 42766.

