

THE PARISHES OF MALLOW & MOURNEABBEY

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16TH FEBRUARY 2025 ~ 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

St John the Baptist, Burnfort

Sunday 11.30am
Thursday 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 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-Mary O'Callaghan
Sunday
8.30am Anniv-Michael O'Connell
11.00am Anniv-Christy O'Connell

Mon First Anniv-Mary White
Tue Anniv-Rob, Bob, Hilda & Tom Mills
Wed Anniv-Elaine Lehane
Thur Anniv-Margaret Crowley
Fri Anniv-Eoin Eastwood
Sat Anniv-Kenneth O'Sullivan

St John the Baptist, Burnfort

Sun Deceased members of Mourneabbey Ambush
Thur

Church of the Resurrection

Saturday Vigil
7.30pm First Anniv-Sharon Doody
Sunday
10.00am Anniv-Donal Murphy
12.00pm Anniv-Con Healy

Mon First Anniv-Sheila Sullivan
Tue Months Mind-Brian Walsh
Wed Anniv-Martin Dempsey
Thur Anniv-Michael Murphy
Fri Anniv-Violet Harrison

St Michael the Archangel, Analeentha

Sun First Anniv-Noreen Cronin
Fri

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

Mon 17th *Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order; St Fintan, Abbot*

Fri 21st *St Peter Damian, Bishop & Doctor of the Church*

Sat 22nd *The Chair of St Peter, Apostle*

DISPOSITIONS FOR RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

The Eucharist is to be offered to the faithful, among other reasons, "as an antidote, by which we are freed from daily faults and preserved from mortal sins", as is brought to light in various parts of the Mass. As for the Penitential Act placed at the beginning of Mass, it has the purpose of preparing all to be ready to celebrate the sacred mysteries; even so, "it lacks the efficacy of the Sacrament of Penance", and cannot be regarded as a substitute for the Sacrament of Penance in remission of graver sins. Pastors of souls should take care to ensure diligent catechetical instruction, so that Christian doctrine is handed on to Christ's faithful in this matter. The Church's custom shows that it is necessary for each person to examine himself at depth, and that anyone who is conscious of grave sin should not celebrate or receive the Body of the Lord without prior sacramental confession, except for grave reason when the possibility of confession is lacking; in this case he will remember that he is bound by the obligation of making an act of perfect contrition, which includes the intention to confess as soon as possible.

2004 Instruction of the Holy See, Redemptionis Sacramentum, 80-81.

21 FEBRUARY – ST PETER DAMIAN, BISHOP & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

ST PETER DAMIAN was born in Ravenna in 1007 and studied theology and canon law, becoming a renowned teacher in both Parma and Ravenna. In his late twenties he abandoned all this and joined the hermitage of Fonte Avellana, near Gubbio, where he became prior in 1043: a position he held until his death. He strongly promoted the religious life in many parts of Italy. The Church at that time was in a terrible state and he supported the Popes in their efforts at reform, both by his writings and as a papal envoy. Pope Stephen IX named him a cardinal and Bishop of Ostia. He died on 21 February 1072 and was immediately acclaimed as a saint.

Spring Stations 2025 - We invite families who are willing to hold a Station Mass for their neighbourhood in their homes to contact the Parish Office – 022 20276 **to arrange a date of your choice between the 5th March and 11th April.** Please consider holding a Station to keep this spiritual tradition alive with your neighbours.

NOTICES

Rediscover the Foundations of the Faith Tuesdays at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. The programme is based on the 'Sycamore' course and can be checked out at sycamore.fm. Comprising a video presentation and time for reflection and discussion. This week's topic: 'The Community of the Church' All welcome.
St Mary's Church Eucharistic Ministers – meeting in Parish Centre, Thurs., 6th March at 7.30 p.m.
Church of the Resurrection Eucharistic Ministers- meeting in Resurrection Church, Tues., 11th March at 7.30 p.m.

Cloyne Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 30th May – 4th June All bookings to be made through Joe Walsh Tours by telephone 01-2410800, online, www.joewalshstours.ie/pilgrimages/group-diocesan-pilgrimages/ or by post to 89 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2, D02WY88. **Pilgrims who would like to travel with the Special Assisted Section should apply to: Cloyne Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, c/o Parish Secretary, 27/28 Bank Place, Mallow, Co. Cork. Tel: 022-20276.** The closing date for receipt of application is 31 March 2025.

Dementia Awareness Training Session- online training on Wed., 19th Feb., from 10-11am. To register contact Sinead Gallivan-sinead@ncdementiaalliance.ie.

Mallow Field Club Lecture – GAA Complex, Carrigoon-P51 XV58, Tues., 18th Feb., at 8pm. Neil Cronin will speak on feuding Cork Doctors. Door charge €5. Everybody welcome.

