

# THE PARISHES OF MALLOW & MOURNEABBEY

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## 7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2026 ~ THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

### 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. Enquiries 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

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

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR COMING WEEK – MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> JUNE – SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

**St. Mary's Church** *Mon* Denis Collins, *Tue* Angela Ashe, *Wed* Christine & Daniel Hogan,  
*Thur* Alison Weedle, *Fri* Catherine Cleary *Sat 10am* Martin McNulty, *Sun 8.30am* Damien Forde  
*Sun 11am* Moira Fitzpatrick

**Church of the Resurrection** *Thur* Damien Forde, *Fri* Thomas Sheahan, *Sat Vigil 7.30pm* Months  
Mind: John Foley *Sun 10am* Joan & Finian O'Donoghue, *Sun 12pm* John (Jackie) Cronin

**St. John the Baptist, Burnfort** *Sun 11.30am* First Anniv: Noel Cahill

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

**Sun 7<sup>th</sup>** St Colman, Bishop (not celebrated this year) **Tue 9<sup>th</sup>** St Columba, Abbot & Missionary **Wed 10<sup>th</sup>** St Ephrem, Deacon & Doctor of the Church **Thurs 11<sup>th</sup>** St Barnabas, Apostle **Fri 12<sup>th</sup>** The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus **Sat 13<sup>th</sup>** The Immaculate Heart of Mary; St Anthony of Padua is not celebrated this year.

### FROM THE WORKS OF ST THOMAS AQUINAS ON THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Since it was the will of God's only-begotten Son that men should share in his divinity, he assumed our nature in order that by becoming man he might make men gods. Moreover, when he took our flesh he dedicated the whole of its substance to our salvation. He offered his body to God the Father on the altar of the cross as a sacrifice for our reconciliation. He shed his blood for our ransom and purification, so that we might be redeemed from our wretched state of bondage and cleansed from all sin. But to ensure that the memory of so great a gift would abide with us for ever, he left his body as food and his blood as drink for the faithful to consume in the form of bread and wine.

O precious and wonderful banquet, that brings us salvation and contains all sweetness! Could anything be of more intrinsic value? Under the old law it was the flesh of calves and goats that was offered, but here Christ himself, the true God, is set before us as our food. What could be more wonderful than this? No other sacrament has greater healing power; through it sins are purged away, virtues are increased, and the soul is enriched with an abundance of every spiritual gift. It is offered in the Church for the living and the dead, so that what was instituted for the salvation of all may be for the benefit of all. Yet, in the end, no one can fully express the sweetness of this sacrament, in which spiritual delight is tasted at its very source, and in which we renew the memory of that surpassing love for us which Christ revealed in his passion.

It was to impress the vastness of this love more firmly upon the hearts of the faithful that our Lord instituted this sacrament at the Last Supper. As he was on the point of leaving the world to go to the Father, after celebrating the Passover with his disciples, he left it as a perpetual memorial of his passion. It was the fulfilment of ancient figures and the greatest of all his miracles, while for those who were to experience the sorrow of his departure, it was destined to be a unique and abiding consolation.

### NOTICES

**Thanks to all** who took part in and helped to organise last Thursday's Corpus Christi Procession.

**St. Mary's Tea/Coffee after Mass** – everyone's invited for a cuppa and chat after 10am Mass on Fri., 12<sup>th</sup> June (in the Hibernian Hotel)! It will be our last one before our summer break (from Mallow Parish Pastoral Council).

**Feast of the Sacred Heart** – Local Community Celebration of the Sacred Heart on Fri., 12<sup>th</sup> June at The Grotto, Beecher Street, Mallow - 8.15 p.m. All are welcome. Prayers will be recited and Hymns will be sung. Please bring a cushion for sitting on the wall or a travel chair for your comfort.

**Vocations Afternoon with the Poor Clare Sisters** at the Poor Clare Monastery, College Road, Cork, on Sat., 20<sup>th</sup> June., 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Please see website [www.poorclairescork.ie](http://www.poorclairescork.ie).

**St. Aloysius Summer Faith Camp 2026** - Summer Camp with a twist for boys and girls aged (5-14 years) in Mallow Community Youth Centre, from **Tues., 30<sup>th</sup> June – Fri., 3<sup>rd</sup> July from 9.30 a.m. to 3.p.m.**, develops confidence and character, to know and experience the love of God through Sports, Arts & Crafts, Music, Dance, Drama, Prayer and Catechesis. Cost €50 for first child, €30 per additional child from the same family. Contact Bernadette, Mallow Parish Youth Ministry, CDYS - 086 8031126.

**Mallow Field Club** – Visit to Cork on Sunday next 14<sup>th</sup> June – Nano Nagle Centre, St. Finbarr's Cathedral and Elizabeth Fort. Meet at Nano Nagle Centre at 10.45am. Everybody welcome. Public Transport suggested.