

**“Stop Fire - Working Smoke Alarms Save Lives”.**

Remember a working smoke alarm will alert you to the danger of a fire occurring in your home, which allows you and your family time to get out and be safe.

**S is for Smoke alarms,**

Make sure you have at least one smoke alarm installed on every floor level of your home. Additional smoke alarms should also be installed in habitable rooms, such as living room/ kitchen and bedrooms.

**T is for Testing smoke alarms weekly,**

Test your smoke alarms weekly, or ask someone to check them for you.

**O is for Obvious dangers,**

Look out for fire risks - like overloaded sockets, candles and unattended appliances such as cookers. Laptops and electronic devices (especially when charging) should always be stored on hard surfaces and not positioned on beds or couches. Make sure cigarette ash trays are emptied last thing at night Fire Guards are a must for open fires.

**P is for Plan your escape,**

Keep access routes clear and have your keys if necessary at the ready.

In the event of fire dial 112 or 999, ask for the Fire Brigade, give exact details of the location of the fire and if there is anyone in the house, remain calm and listen to the operator and answer any questions they ask.

Further Information in Relation to Fire Safety is available at: [www.firesafetyweek.ie](http://www.firesafetyweek.ie)

**CONTEMPLATIVE OUTREACH IRELAND—CENTERING PRAYER RETREATS**

**3rd Saturday of each month,** Saturday October 20th, The Church of the Annunciation, Clonard from 10:30am - 1pm. Contact: Stasia Redmond 087-2251022.

**6th - 13th November: 8 Day Retreat** - Ballyvaloo Retreat Centre, Blackwater

**30th November - 2nd December: Advent Weekend Retreat-** Ballyvaloo Retreat Centre. For further Information or booking Centering Prayer Retreats: Phone Eileen: 087 6017709 or email: [contemplativeoutreachireland@gmail.com](mailto:contemplativeoutreachireland@gmail.com)

**HORESWOOD PARISH INFORMATION**

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**Parish Office Opening Hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 10am-1pm

**MASS TIMES**

**HORESWOOD**

Saturday 7.00pm  
 Sunday 10.30am  
 Weekdays 9.30am  
 Confessions 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 7.00pm

**BALLYKELLY**

Saturday 8:00pm  
 Sunday 11:30am  
 Tuesday & Friday 9:30am

**Baptisms Horeswood:** First & Third Saturday of the month 4:00pm  
**Baptisms Ballykelly:** Second & Fourth Saturday of the month 4:00pm  
**Marriages:** A minimum of three months notice must be given to both Church & State.

**PARISH OF HORESWOOD**

**Church of St. James, Horeswood**

**Church of St. Brigid, Ballykelly**

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**Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**



**IN LOVING MEMORY**

**Please remember in your prayers**

**HORESWOOD**

Saturday 7:00pm

**Marie & Pat Fogarty, Ballyvelig, anniversaries.**

Sunday 10:30am

**Hazel Walsh, Fisherstown, anniversary.**

Pray for **Simon Cummins, Ballinamona, anniversary, William Furlong, Ballyvelig, anniversary, Jerry Kehoe & his sisters Anastasia Kavanagh & Mai Power, Ballybrazil, anniversaries & Tommy Henrick, Ballyvelig, who died on Friday. Funeral Mass Sunday at 12:30pm & burial afterwards in Horeswood cemetery.**

Monday 9:30am

**William Furlong, Ballyvelig, anniversary.**

Wednesday 9:30am

Mass for the Parish

Thursday 9:30am

**Simon Cummins, Ballinamona, anniversary.**

**BALLYKELLY**

Saturday 8:00pm

**Katherine Moroney, Camblin, anniversary.**

**MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK**

**Horeswood:** Monday— Friday at 9:30am

**Ballykelly:** Tuesday & Friday at 9:30am.

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**WEDDING BELLS**

Congratulations to **Gemma Murphy, Camblin & John Ryan, St. Mullins** who were married recently in Ballykelly church. We wish them every blessing & happiness for the future.



**HORESWOOD**

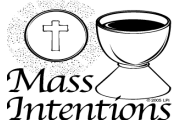
**ST VINCENT DE PAUL**

**Telephone - 086 / 3340071**



**Mass Intentions October 13th & 14th**

**Horeswood:** October 13th, **Jimmy Murphy, Ballykerogue, anniversary. October 14th, Paddy, May & Maura Caulfield, Eileen Dugdale and Bill & Ellen O’Neill, Ballykerogue, anniversaries. Ballykelly:** October 13th, **Joan & William Ryan, Dunganstown, anniversaries. October 14th Tommy & Anastasia Kehoe, Ballysop, anniversaries.**



**WEEKLY ENVELOPES**  
**HORESWOOD: 30/09/2018 €611.00**  
**BALLYKELLY: 30/09/2018 €128.00**  
**Thank you for your generosity.**

**READERS FOR OCTOBER**  
**HORESWOOD**  
 7pm October 6th **John Howlin**  
 7pm October 13th **Eileen Furlong**  
 7pm October 20th **John Sinnott**  
 7pm October 27th **John Howlin**  
 7pm October 31st **Eileen Furlong**  
 10:30am October **Betty Parker**

**BALLYKELLY**  
 8pm October 6th **Niamh Dempsey**  
 11:30am October 7th **Geraldine Molloy**  
 8pm October 13th **Agnes Flaherty**  
 11:30am October 14th **Joe Bridges**  
 8pm October 20th **June Hearn**  
 11:30am October 21st **Tommy Lennon**  
 8pm October 27th **Anne Howlett**  
 11:30am October 28th **Oweny Lennon**

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**  
**HORESWOOD**  
**OCTOBER**  
 7pm October 6th **Eileen Furlong**  
 10:30am September 30th & October 7th  
**Ann Roche & Trish Hayes**  
 7pm October 13th & 20th **Helen Hart**  
 10:30am October 14th & 21st **Patricia Clancy & Katriona Dawkins.**  
 7pm October 27th & 31st **Johnnie O'Leary**  
 10:30am October 28th & November 1st **Ann Caulfield & Susan Devane**

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**  
**Do This In Memory Programme**  
 The enrolment Mass for the children to receive First Holy Communion next May takes place on Sunday October 14<sup>th</sup> in Horeswood at 10:30am & Ballykelly at 11:30am.

**REFLECTION FOR THE YEAR OF**  
**WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES**  
**Our Daily Gospel**  
 I'll ask you a question, but I don't want you to answer: How many of you read a passage of the Gospel every day? How many of you, perhaps, rush to finish work so you don't miss a TV programme....  
 To have a Gospel in your hands, to have the Gospel on your bedside table, to have the Gospel in your pocket, to open it and read the Word of Jesus: this is how the kingdom of God comes.

Contact with the Word of God draws us near to the kingdom of God. Consider this: a small Gospel always to hand, ready to open when the opportunity arises, ready to read what Jesus says. Jesus is there. -*Pope Francis, Caserta Italy, July 26, 2014*

People's lives are so busy it's easy to feel like there is no time to do things. But we always find time for the things we really love. We can make it easier to give space to God and his Word by having a small book of the Gospels or Bible handy and reading it often. When we are eating our breakfast, waiting for someone, or have a couple of minutes to spare, we can read our pocket Bible before we turn to an electronic device or the TV.

This is brought to you by the Diocesan Pastoral Council.



<b>COLLECTORS OCTOBER</b>	
<b>Saturday 7pm</b>	<b>Sunday 10:30am</b>
Michael Byrne John Sinnott Seán Wallace	Lar Quinn Michael Shannon Martin Hartley


**It's Mission Month 2018!**  
**October is Mission Month! The most important day of this month is World Mission Sunday, October 21st.**  
 This is the one Sunday in the year that Pope Francis asks you to pray a little stronger & dig a little deeper so that faith, hope & love can flourish. Contributions given on World Mission Sunday will support the fearless & selfless work of our missionaries, who live shoulder-to-shoulder with people in communities that are struggling & often war-torn. Mission Month and Mission Sunday is a time for you to fully appreciate the dedication of these missionaries who are there before, during and after any crisis.

World Mission Sunday is coordinated by 'World Missions Ireland', originally known as the Pontifical Mission Societies. It is the Church's official charity for overseas mission, and is part of a worldwide network of over 120 charities. Many of the international offices go by the name 'Missio'. World Missions Ireland and their fellow charities ensure that the contribution you give on Mission Sunday will be justly distributed to where the need is greatest within our universal Church. You can donate €4 now, by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300. (Texts cost €4. World Missions Ireland will receive a minimum of €3.60. Service Provider Like-Charity. Helpline 076 680 5278. Republic of Ireland only.) For more information, go to [www.wmi.ie](http://www.wmi.ie).



**Winter Indoor Soccer**  
 Weekly 7-a-side indoor soccer returns this Tuesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:30pm in Horeswood GAA Complex. New players welcome. Contact Tom Kent 086-3474080.

**SPLIT THE POT**  
**Saturday September 29th**  
 This week our lucky winner is **Carmel O'Connor** Amount: **€244.00**  
**Next Draw:** Saturday October 13th (at the end of Mass). Winners may collect money from the Parish office from Tuesday onwards after the draw has taken place.



**CAMPILE UTD 300 CLUB RESULTS**  
**September 28th**  
 €500 Ronan Kavanagh, Ballyverogue, - (Simon Cummins )  
 €100- Pat Leacy, Ballycullane, (James Keating)  
 €50-Robin Kavanagh Ballyverogue, - (Simon Cummins )  
 €25- Kevin Murphy/Richie Walsh Fish-erstown, (seller-Furlong's Bar)  
 Sellers prize—Simon Cummins.  
 Next Draw Friday October 26th, Furlong's.  
 Thank you for your continued support.

**HORESWOOD GAA LOTTO**  
 No jackpot winner. Numbers drawn were 3, 11, 14 & 25. Six match 3s- Kate O'Keefe, Veronica Dempsey, Ger Flynn, Peadar Cody, Carmel Duffin, Gerard Dunphy. **Next Draw Monday October 8th in Bottom Place, Ballywilliam. Jackpot €4600.** Thank you for your continued support.

**HORESWOOD CAMOGIE CLUB**  
**U-16 County Final** Hard Luck to our U-16s who played their hearts out last weekend in the County Final but finished in second place. Thank you to Seán, Roger & Teresa for their commitment to the girls for the last 12 months.  
**Halloween Party** Boys, girls, pre-schoolers & parents are all invited to a Spooky evening of ghostly games & ghoulish surprises on Bank Holiday Monday 29th October 29<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm-8:30pm in the Indoor Complex. €5.00 incl. goody bag.