

### BALLYKELLY STAINED GLASS WINDOWS

The restoration of the Stained Glass Windows in Ballykelly is going very well and that this stage 75% – 80% of the work has been completed. We expect that the project will be finished by the end of September.

I am also happy to report that the collection for the restoration project is also very successful. To date we have collected €20,790.00 and the breakdown of the collection is as follows:

Collection and Donations	€16,840.00
Whitechurch Steam Rally	€3,000.00
Ballykelly Patron	€950.00
Total	€20,790.00

On behalf of Ballykelly Finance Committee a sincere word of thanks to all who contributed to the collection, your contributions are greatly appreciated. We expect that the total cost of the project will be in the region of €35,000.00. Finally we hope to hold a Charity Auction in Ballykelly Hall on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2014. So if you have items in your home that are surplus to requirement we would greatly appreciate them.

### MUSINGS

This week we remember the centenary of the election of Giacomo della Chiesa as Pope Benedict XV, the man who would be pope for the duration of the First World War. Although largely forgotten today, he spent enormous amounts of money on humanitarian aid for those affected by WWI. When his advisers accused him of squandering the assets of the Vatican, he remarked: 'I believe that what enters this till must quickly leave it. Providence will provide. That is its job.' When he died in 1922 the coffers were almost empty & a loan had to be raised to pay for the ensuing conclave. -INTERCOM

### HORESWOOD PARISH INFORMATION

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### MASS TIMES

#### HORESWOOD

Saturday	7.00pm
Sunday	10.30am
Weekdays	9.30am

#### BALLYKELLY

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

**Confessions** 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 7.00pm  
**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

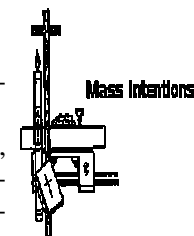
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### IN LOVING MEMORY

Please remember in your prayers

#### HORESWOOD

7:00pm Bridget & Paddy Cummins, Ballyhack, anniversaries.  
 10:30am John Ryan, Fisherstown, anniversary & the deceased members of the Ryan & O'Hanlon Families.  
 Pray for Mary Hickey, Ballykelly, anniversary, Elizabeth Pender, Scar, Duncormick, anniversary, Elizabeth O'Brien, St. James's Villas, anniversary, Margaret Redmond Abbey View & Seánie Carroll, Kilmannock, anniversaries.



*Monday, 9:30am, Elizabeth O'Brien, St. James's Villas, anniversary*

*Wednesday, 9:30am Missa Pro Populo*

*Thursday, 9:30am, Margaret Redmond, Abbey View & Seánie Carroll, Kilmannock, anniversaries.*

#### BALLYKELLY

**Mass Intentions for September 13th & 14th**

**Horeswood:** September 13th, Deceased Members of the Ryan Family, Grange. September 14th, George Whelan, Dunbrody, Campile, anniversary.

**Ballykelly:** September 14th, Carmel Nolan, Ballykelly, anniversary.

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS SEPTEMBER

#### HORESWOOD

7:00pm, September 6th & 13th John Howlin  
 10:30am September 7th & 14th Ann Roche & Trish Hayes  
 7:00pm, September 20th & 27th Johnny O'Leary  
 10:30am, September 21st & 28th Susan Devane & Katriona Dawkins



### READERS FOR SEPTEMBER

#### HORESWOOD

7.00pm Richard Devane  
 10:30am Rose Breen

#### BALLYKELLY

8:00pm September 6th Andrea Crosbie  
 11:30am September 7th, Tommy Lennon  
 8:00pm September 13th, June Hearn  
 11:30am September 14th, Aoife Molloy  
 8:00pm September 20th, Pat Brennan  
 11:30am September 21st, Margaret Nolan  
 8:00pm September 27th, Niamh Dempsey  
 11:30am Sept. 28th, Geraldine Molloy

**WEEKLY ENVELOPES**  
**HORESWOOD:31/08/14 €745.00**  
**BALLYKELLY:31/08/14 €155.00**  
**Thank you for your generosity.**

**MASS TIMES DURING THE WEEK**  
**Horeswood:** Monday, Wednesday,  
Thursday, Mass at 9:30am  
**Ballykelly:** Tuesday & Friday at 9:30am.

**OUR LADY'S ISLAND PILGRIMAGE**  
Monday, September 8th - Closing Ceremony. Mass at 7.00pm followed by Torchlight Procession around the island.

**SHRINE OF THE YEAR**  
Our Lady's Island has been chosen as "Shrine of the Year" by <http://worldpriest.com/> in the wake of its participation in the Annual Global Rosary Relay, which took place on Friday 27th June 2014. Chosen as "Shrine of the Year", from 60 participants worldwide, the award, will be presented at the end of this year's pilgrimage which takes place at 7pm (Mass), this Monday 8th September 2014. Previous winners of this award are The National Shrine of Our Lady, Lecovia, Slovakia (2013) and Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary, Queen of the Universe Orlando, Florida.

**CARMELITE MONASTERY, DELGANY, CO WICKLOW**  
**VOCATIONS EXPLORATION DAY**

Is God calling you? A day of prayer and reflection around the themes of vocation in particular the Carmelite Contemplative Vocation, Saturday 13th September 2014. Please let us know if interested: email: [contact@carmelitemonasterydelgany.ie](mailto:contact@carmelitemonasterydelgany.ie) or phone: 0858601794

**THANK YOU**

*Thank You*

Grateful thanks to Seamus & Margie Kane and all of their co-workers in the Whitechurch Vintage Steam Rally for their generous donation of €3000 to Ballykelly Church Funds. Their generosity is very much appreciated by all.

**UNDERSTANDING AND PRAYING THE BIBLE**

A course on understanding & praying the Bible will take place in Ferns Diocesan Pastoral Centre, St Peters College for six weeks from 16th October – 20th November from 7.30pm – 9.00pm. Facilitator - Fr. Jim Finn. For booking and information contact Sr. Anna McDonagh 053-9145511 or 087-9956388.



**BALLYKELLY CHURCH CLEANING ROTA**  
**Sept:** Margie Kane / Kathleen Furlong

**HORESWOOD COLLECTORS SEPTEMBER**  
**Saturday 7:00pm** **Sunday 10:30am**  
John Sinnott Bobby Murray  
Seán Clancy Joe Ryan  
Seán Wallace Martin Hartley

**NEWSLETTER NOTICES**

All notices for the newsletter must be handed in to the parish office not later than 12:30pm on Thursday. Notices may be emailed to the parish office at: [horeswoodparishoffice@gmail.com](mailto:horeswoodparishoffice@gmail.com) You may contact the office during office hours only. Or notices may be left in the designated box in the porch of Horeswood church. Please contact Elmar on 388129.



Newsletter

**RAMSGRANGE ACTIVE RETIREMENT**  
**JFK Homestead Tea Party:** September 11<sup>th</sup>. As part of the JFK summer school, a Tea Party will be held at the Kennedy Homestead, Dunganstown. The organisers are hoping that two well known Chefs will attend. Cory Kennedy, Bobby Kennedy's Daughter, along with her family will also be attending. Active Retirement Ramsgrange will be taking a coach if enough people show interest.

**Arts & Craft Fair + Bring & Buy Coffee Morning:** will be held in St Louis Day Care Centre, on Sunday 14th September from 11am-2pm. All proceeds to go to the St Louis Day Care. George Dundavan 051-593836.

**HORESWOOD CEMETERY EXTENSION**  
We have been working over the summer on the cemetery extension for Horeswood. In June we carried out a Site Suitability Test and recently we have received word from the Environment Department of the County Council that we have passed that test. The next stage in the process is to go for full planning permission to Wexford County Council and we hope to apply for planning in the next week or so.

The extension will include a parking bay for about eight or nine cars so that parishioners visiting the graves of their loved ones will be able to park in this area. We will keep you updated as we go through the process.

**CAMPIL HALL FASHION SHOW**

Campile Hall Committee are holding a Fashion Show in aid of hall funds on Friday October 3rd, featuring local leading fashion stores.

Cheese and wine reception at 8:00pm. Tickets cost €10 and there will be a free door prize draw for an outfit of your choice (terms & conditions apply). Your support would be much appreciated.



**BALLYKELLY DANCE**  
There will be a dance in Ballykelly hall on Friday, September 12th. Refreshments and teas served. All are welcome.

**FIRST AID COURSE**  
The Order of Malta are running a First Aid Course in their Training Centre in St. John's Drive (top of St. John's Road) commencing on Thursday 11th September 2014. The classes run for 6 weeks from 8pm to 10pm. The cost of the course is €90 per person. There is no need to pre-register, simply turn up on the first night. Course content includes First Aid, Basic Life Support (CPR) and the use of Defibrillators (AEDs). The certificate is in Paediatric First Aid with Basic Life Support. All are welcome. For more information check out our Facebook page.

**HORESWOOD GAA LOTTO**  
There was no jackpot winner. Numbers were: 16, 21, 22 & 30. Three match 3 winners with Pat Murphy, Cushinstown, Catherine Butler & Michael Bennett, Clongeen. The next draw will take place in Alan Morrissey's Cassagh. Thank you for your continued support. Congratulations to Cillian Parker, Priesthaggard, winner of the All-Ireland Hurling Final tickets.

**SOUTH EAST RADIO'S MASS SERVICE**  
Join V. Rev. William Howell P.P. and parishioners, St Michael's Church, Gorey, Sunday 7th September at 10.00am.(SER Logo) 95.6 to 96.4 FM