

# Church of the Holy Spirit Ballyroan

3rd of November 2024

Thirty-First Sunday In Ordinary time

## Sunday Week 31B. 3rd November 2024

### Our Gospel reading is from Mark 12:28-34

You shall love the Lord our God... and you shall love your neighbour as yourself. Today's Gospel lies at the very heart of what we believe, and it is worth reading a few times. This story is significant in Mark's Gospel, because the reference to the Old Testament prayer, show the continuity of Judaism to the message of Christ. We read that ritual sacrifices are no longer important, but having a heart that is willing to love both God and all our neighbours/ everyone is.

### Are you able to forgive those who have hurt you in some way?

Reflection by Deacon Frank.

(ref: [www.tarsus.ie](http://www.tarsus.ie))



Ballyroan Parishioners

Coffee Morning

This Coming Tuesday

The Ruah Centre

After 10am Mass



At the heart of every good parish community there is a hot cup of tea.

Come and relax with friends or make new ones.

All are welcome

Thank you

The Ballyroan Parish Team

Archdiocese of Dublin



Pictured: Building Hope gatherings across the Archdiocese in 2024



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November 9/10, 2024



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## November Altar List of the Dead



Envelops are available at the back  
of the Church.

### Mass Intentions 02nd — 08th November

**Saturday 7pm:** Alice Cleary (A) Brendan Whooley (M.M)

**Sun 10am:** Special Intention (L) Cairns Family (Special Inten-  
tion) Rita Murphy (R.I.P.) Paddy Kearney (A)

**Sun 12pm:** Fintan Walsh (A) Peggy Gaskin (M.M.) John & Mai  
Dillion (A)

**Monday:** Frank Ryan (R.I.P.)

**Tuesday:** Sally McGourty (R.I.P.)

**Wednesday:** Orla Mullaney (R.I.P.)

**Thursday:** Pray for all souls purgatory

**Friday:** Pray for all souls purgatory



In November  
We Remember

Fr Michael and the Funeral Ministry team will be having a special mass for all those who passed away from our parish in the last year. We ask as that as many of you as possible come out to support these families in their time of Grief . The mass will be held on Monday 11th of November.

### Saints of the Day 02nd - 08th Of November

**Saturday:** The Commemoration Of All The Faithful Departed

**Sunday:** St. Malachy

**Monday:** St Charles Borromeo

**Tuesday;** St. Martin De Porres

**Wednesday:** All Saints Of Ireland

**Thursday:** St. Willibrord

**Friday:** St. Of The Day

The next drop-in meeting for bereaved people will be held in the Ruah centre on Monday 11th of November: 11am to 12 noon. Whether your loss is recent or long ago you are welcome to attend.

Confidentiality assured. Helpline 0894504451. Monday 11th November at 7.30pm. Mass of Remembrance will be offered in the Church of the Holy Spirit for all those who died from the parish during the year and each will be remembered by name.



### Parish Information

**Parish Priest:** Father Michael Murtagh

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**Parish Office Opening hours:**

Monday - Friday: 10.00am – 12.00 noon

### Mass Times

Monday - Friday: 10am

Saturday: 7pm

Sunday: 10am & 12am

The next meeting of the U3A group will take place in the Ruah Centre on Monday next 4th November @ [10.30.am.](#)

