

Church of the Holy Spirit Ballyroan

04th Of May 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

Gospel Reading 4th May Gospel of John CH 21. 'Feed my sheep.'

This Easter appearance story appears to have been written as a later addition (epilogue) to John's original ending at Ch 20. It is thought this was after the death of a key person in the Gospel story. The early Christian community would have functioned without a leadership structure, but as it grew the important leadership role of Peter emerges. The threefold questioning of Peter by Jesus mirrors the threefold denial of Peter when Jesus was arrested prior to his passion and death. Peter despite his past failures and lack of understanding, is being called to lead the disciples now. The resurrection of Jesus and how the disciples experienced him again in their lives, has given them fresh hope and a clear vision for their forthcoming mission ahead. They have the living Christ, the Spirit of God and the grace and love of God to inspire them.

Can we savour the Easter message and be open to the same Spirit of God that is awaiting our touch to change our lives too?



INTER-FAITH GOLF OUTING

(Champagne Scramble)

Members of the Parishes of ALL TRADITIONS IN THE RATHFARNHAM AREA ALL ARE VERY WELCOME.

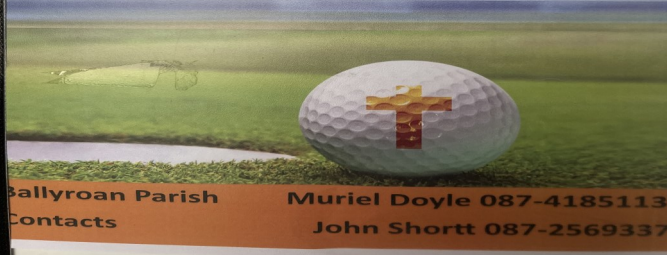
It is intended that there will be a great fun day, a day for strengthening existing friendships and creating new ones.

The Inter-faith outing will be held at

Rathfarnham Golf Club

Friday 13th of June 2025

Golf €40 and 4 Course-Meal is €35



Ballyroan Parishioners

Coffee Morning

This Coming Tuesday

The Ruah Centre

After 10am Mass



Fr. Michael and the all the team are looking forward to welcoming all the girls making their first Holy Communion Saturday week. The Girls can be seen here getting Fr. Michael for the big day. They sure know their stuff.

Trocaire Boxes

Please remember to return Trocaire boxes to the Sacristy or lodge money in the bank. Many thanks.



Fresh flowers for the Our Lady's Altar for the month of May. If you would like to donate flowers for the Altar, a bucket with fresh water will be left on the step in front of Altar from Thursday the 1st of May.



Dear Friend,

It is that time of year again, our **annual coffee and cake sale for Sr. Rose Carmel's Mission.** It will take place on **May 10th and 11th in the Ruah Pastoral centre, Marian Rd, after the 7pm Mass on Saturday and after 10am and 12noon masses on Sunday.** Your support goes such a long way. A raffle with many wonderful prizes will take place. All are welcome to what is sure to be a lovely event for such a good cause.

Thank you sincerely

Maureen Murry & Kate Monahan

Please Remember Nancy McCabe, Ron Condon and Peter Keogh who passed away from our parish recently. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let Your perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Amen.

Mass Intentions 3rd - 9th May

Saturday: Gerry Linehan (A) Get well soon Marcia Campos (R.I.P.)

Sunday 10am: Deirdre Dunne (A) Paul Gleeson (R.I.P) Dolly Callinan (Special Intention)

Sunday 12noon: Margaret Fullarton (A) Agnes Kirwan (M.M.) Rocco Aprile (A) David & John **Byrne (A)**

Monday: Patricia O' Neill (R.I.P.) Special Intention (L)
Get well (Special Intention)

Tuesday: Mass Association for the Living

Wednesday : Mass Association for Deceased

Thursday: Armine Eretzian Sala (R.I.P.)

Friday: Special Intention for Exams

The next drop-in meetings for bereaved people will be held on Monday 12th May .
Morning meeting: 11am to 12 noon. Evening meeting: 7.30pm to 8.30pm.
Whether your loss is recent or long ago, you are welcome to attend.
Confidentiality assured. Phone 089 4504451.



Parish Information

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Deacon: Frank Browne

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Parish Office Opening hours:

Monday - Friday: 10.00am – 12.00 noon

Mass Times

Monday - Friday: 10am

Saturday: 7pm

Sunday: 10am & 12 noon