

Church of the Holy Spirit Ballyroan

24th Of May 2026

Pentecost Sunday

This Sunday 24th of May 2026 we celebrate the feast of Pentecost; the descent of the Holy Spirit upon Jesus' disciples which gave them the confidence to share the good news of the resurrection of Jesus with others. Pentecost is celebrated on Sunday, 50 days after Easter. Pentecost or Shavuot was one of the harvest feasts in Judaism, for Christians it is now about welcoming all into our Church.

Our three readings are worth reflecting on. We get a picture of the early Christian community living in fear until they receive the Spirit of Christ in their lives. We all have different gifts to help build up the Church, the Body of Christ, and no one is more important than another.

'Peace be with you...as the Father has sent me, so I send you...receive the Holy Spirit'



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 23rd and 24th 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



Claudia Boyle (Soprano) Emily Boyle (Piano)

Great Opera and Song

Monday 25th MAY 2026 @ 12.05pm

RUAH CENTRE



We welcome the return of international star Claudia Boyle, accompanied by pianist Emily Boyle.

Tickets €13 at the Ruah Centre
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
~ 10.30 - 11.15am ~

Concert in aid of our Pastoral Centre and bringing great music to our parish.

If anyone would like to donate fresh flowers for Our Ladies Altar for the month of May. A bucket of fresh water will be left beside the altar and they will be put in Vases during the day. Such a wonderful act of devotion.



Annual Cemetery Mass
Bohernabreena
(St. Joseph's Cemetery)
Sunday 21st June 2026 at 3pm
Cars to be parked by 2pm

ST. COLMCILLE'S WELL (TOP OF BALLYCULLEN ROAD)
Annual Prayer Service & Pilgrim Walk will take place
on

Sunday, 7th June 2026 at 3:00 p.m.
Reflection by Fr. Timothy Lehane S.V.D.
A Pilgrim Walk, will leave from Knocklyon Shopping
Centre Car Park at 2pm.

The primary care team based in Ballyboden Primary Care Centre are going to run some information sessions for those living well in the community. Dietetics, Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy and Speech and Language Therapy are running information sessions entitled "Thriving as we Age" for those in the network 3 community who are well but looking for some general healthy living guidelines in order to keep them that way. We are running 2 sessions in Ballyroan library where we will provide the information, have tea and coffee and also speak about the services available in the health centre. Sign up is via Eventbrite and is free.

Mass Intentions

Saturday 23rd May

Tom Slevin (a) Ann & Tony Shiels (S.I.) Special Intention (Living) Elizabeth Moore (R.I.P.)

Sunday 24th May 10am

Martin McGreal (A) Paddy Corrigan (A) Elizabeth Moore (M.M.)

Peter O' Sullivan (A) Ita Minogue (A)

Sunday 24th May 12noon

Ita Brophy O' Keeffee (A) Anne Laurie (A) Jimmy Kenny (M.M.) Patsy Monaghan (R.I.P.)

Monday 25th May 10am

Steven Doyle (R.I.P.) Raymond Farrell (R.I.P.)

Tuesday 26th May 10am

Anne Lawrie (A) Ena Hayes (90th Birthday)

Wednesday 27th May 10am

Anthony Walsh (R.I.P.)

Thursday 28th May 10am

Rose McNamara (A) Anne Duff (A) Jimmy Kenny (R.I.P.)

Friday 29th May 10am

P.J. Donovan (R.I.P.)

Parish Information

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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