

Autumn Station Masses		
Area	Venue	Date
Killahora South & Killacloyne	Joe & Pauline Walsh	Tuesday 6 th Sept.
Brooklodge East & Brookville	Annmarie & Tony O'Driscoll	Friday 9 th Sept.
Brooklodge Village, Newline, Copperalley, The Acres	Pat & Mary Power	Friday 16 th Sept
The Fairways	Ann & Des Daly	Friday 16 th Sept.
Ballyvinny & Coolnacaha	Veronica Forde	Friday 23 rd Sept
Tower Hill, Kilcoolishal, Rockgrove	Pat & Mary Finn	Friday 23 rd Sept
Windsor Hill, Corryfield & Sunville	Tom & Mary Cahill	Friday 30 th Sept.
Highlands North & Cois Chuain	Liam & Regina Lehane	Friday 30 th Sept
Ballingohig & Kilrussane	Con & Nora Dennehy	Friday 14 th Oct
Killahora North	Berna & Barry Murphy	Friday 21 st Oct
Shanballyrea & Monaneigue	John & Elizabeth Walsh	Friday 21 st Oct
St Lappan's Place & Ballyverry	Little Island Sports Complex	TBC
Caherlag & Rougrane	Richard & Margaret Guinee	TBC
Clash Road	No host	
Island Cross & Castlevew	No host	
Courtstown	No host	
Killeena, Maryville & Glenmore	No host	
Blossomgrove, Ballyvisteale & Ballinagoul	No host	
Brookhill & Glenree	No host	
Johnstown	No host	
Lackenroe & Carbertown	No host	
Dunkettle, Woodville & North Esk	No host	
Annmount	No host	
Richmond & Ballinglanna	No host	
Glyntown, Corbally & Chestnut Meadows	No host	
Ballytrasna Park, Castlewood, Church Court, The Greens, Meadow Lawn, Ballinderrig	Church of St Joseph, Little Island	TBC
Knockraha Village, Chapel Field & Lane, Ard Abhainn, Radharc na Tuaithe	St. Mary's Knockraha	Friday 7 th October at 7.30pm
Ardcarraig, Ashington, Rivergrove, Marwood, Coppervalley, Forrest Park, Beecdhwood Avenue, Willow Gardens, Fernwood, Brooklodge Drive, Grove & Square, The Paddocks, Glounthaune Village, Dry Bridge, The Cliff, Waterside, The Woods	Sacred Heart Church, Glounthaune	TBC

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held in our Parish on

Tues. 7pm – 9pm in the Church Centre

Wed. 10am – 6pm in the Church Centre

Friday 10am to 3pm in Little Island

First Friday: Knockraha - Rosary at 7pm,

Mass at 7.30pm and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass.

We are appealing for volunteers to give even a half hour of their time in adoration especially in the church centre on Tuesday & Wednesday. Please contact Michael on 086 3652186.

Legion of Mary, Cork Annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine, Knock on Sunday 25th September. €40 (incl. bus, full breakfast, 2 course evening meal). Coach departs St. Patrick's Quay at 7.30am. For details contact Denis O'Riordan 085 1790445 or Teresa Desmond 086 0770097.

To celebrate the Feast of Our Lady's birthday, a special outdoor Mass will take place in the bible garden at The Mount Priory, Cobh on Wednesday 7th September at 7pm. Bring a night light or candle. Mass will be in the church if weather is not permitting. Light refreshments.

New to the Church Centre – A small collection of books for you to borrow.

Have a browse through the book shelf in the big hall and help yourself. All we ask is that you return the books when you are finished with them.

Today's readings

The First Reading is part of Solomon's prayer for wisdom. God, the creator of the universe, is all-wise. In contrast, human beings are ignorant. However, God does not leave us in our ignorance, but bestows the gift of wisdom on all who humbly seek it. Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem (Gospel). He knew that suffering, rejection and death awaited him at the end of that journey. But it seems that some Galileans regarded it as a victory march of the Messiah. In no uncertain terms Jesus disillusioned them. Knowing that his disciples would have to face a similar challenge, Jesus spoke about the cost of discipleship. He didn't literally mean hating one's father and mother. The word "hate" is a Semitic expression. "Loveless" would be nearer to what Jesus had in mind. He was telling his disciples that they must be ready if needs be to sacrifice the dearest things in life. In certain (rare) circumstances they might have to choose between him and their own relatives. The two short parables make the point that discipleship is a serious calling. It could mean persecution and even death. In this, as in any other spheres of life (such as business and politics), one shouldn't walk into it blindly. One must calculate the cost before setting out.

Masses for the week ahead

Monday 5th Glounthaune @ 10am:

Matt Young Anniversary

Tuesday 6th Glounthaune @ 10am:

Deceased members of the Scannell family

Wednes 7th Glounthaune @ 10am:

Fr John O'Byrne Anniversary

Thursday 8th Little Island @ 10am:

Private Intentions

Friday 9th Little Island @ 10am:

Hannah Murphy Anniversary

Mass Intentions 10th/11th

Saturday, Glounthaune @ 6pm:

William & Kathleen O'Leary Anniv

Sunday, Glounthaune @ 9am:

Margaret & Charlotte Lane Anniv

Sunday, Knockraha @ 10am:

Kitty O'Callaghan Anniversary

Sunday, Little Island @ 11am:

Mass for the people of the parish

Sunday, Glounthaune @ 12 noon:

John Horgan Anniversary

Con Dennehy Anniversary

St Vincent de Paul Helpline

021 4270444 or 087 1520360

Poor Clares Vocation Afternoon

Vocations Afternoon on Sat. 17th Sept., 2-4.30pm, at the Poor Clare Monastery, College Rd. Cork.

Rosary every weekday morning before 10am Mass.

Eucharistic Service in Glounthaune Church, Saturdays at 10am.

The Legion of Mary meet on Thursday nights at 7.30pm in the church centre. New members welcome. Contact 086 2524718 for information.

Erin's Own Lotto Results – 31st August.

Numbers drawn: 3, 12, 25, 26. Winner – Shane Burns. €30: Noel Harrington, Deirdre & Seán Crowley & Anne Collins. Next week's jackpot: **€1,000.**

Best of luck to Niamh Ní Chaoimh & the 2 Cork camogie teams in Croke Park on All-Ireland Final day Sunday 10th September.

Highlands Bridge Club re-commence at 7.30pm on Tuesday 6th September in Glounthaune Community Centre. New members most welcome.

Beginning Experience is a worldwide specially designed Support Programme for men and women who have suffered the loss of a spouse by death, separation or divorce. The next weekend is on at Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Friday 7th October to Sunday 9th October, 2016. Please contact 087 9886480 or beginningexperiencecork@gmail.com

“Free DIY Service for Older People”

Age Action's Care & Repair programme is providing DIY work free of charge for older people in Cork. Regional Manager John O'Mahony says that at this time of year people start to think about preparing for the autumn and winter months. “In September people begin to think about getting their garden tidied up or getting things like painting done before the evenings get dark and the weather turns. Often, older people are no longer able to do these types of jobs themselves. At Age Action we have volunteers who can help with DIY jobs around the house. In

general if it takes less than about two hours it's something our volunteers would do free of charge. For bigger jobs that our volunteers can't do, we keep a list of reliable tradesmen whose contact details we can provide for professional quotations.” To inquire about the Care & Repair service or to request a job, simply call Age Action 021-2067399.

Autumn Fair in the grounds of St Lappan's Church, Little Island on Saturday 10th September at 2pm. Plant stall, garden produce, cakes, Bric a Brac, children's corner, teas. All in aid of The Church Restoration Fund.

Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann, Glanmire Classes – Traditional Instruments – Brooklodge National School, Monday nights at 7pm. Enrolment on Monday 5th September @ 7pm. Classes commence 19th Sept. All welcome. Enquiries @ 086 0547828.

The Coeliac Society of Ireland, Cork Support Group, will hold an information evening with a dietician in attendance on **Tuesday 6th September 2016** in the **SMA Centre, Wilton at 8pm.**

Glounthaune Gramophone Circle

Our autumn programme starts on Thursday 8th September in the Parish Centre at 8pm. Margaret O'Leary of the Ballinlough Gramophone Circle will present an evening of music, light and classic. All welcome. Become a member for as little as €20 / €30 for a couple annually, excluding July and August, we meet on the second Thursday of the

month and it's a pleasant, social evening of music, song and chat. There's tea/coffee at the interval. Info @ 4353642.

The GCA/Fitzpatrick's 4-Mile Run Wednesday 7th September 2016 at 7:00pm - Children's Race 7:05pm. Traffic restrictions. Prize giving & refreshments afterwards in the Great O'Neill.

Knockraha Family Fun Weekend, 9th, 10th & 11th September

Friday 9th - Table Quiz in Great O'Neill Pub 8.30pm. Teams of 4 X €20

Saturday 10th - Family Walk in Knockraha area. Enrol at Community Centre 3pm. Voluntary donations in aid of East Cork Rapid Response Unit. Free raffle for all walkers.

Sunday 11th - Family Fun Day. Sports, Soccer matches, Bouncy Castle, Traditional Music, Numerous Side Shows Fancy Dress and more....

Raffle tickets on sale throughout the Community from now until Draw on Fun Day. Your support for all above activities is much appreciated.

Anam Cara, the national organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its next monthly Parent Evening on Wednesday 7th of September from 19:30 to 21:00 in Brú Columbanus, Cardinal Way, Wilton, Cork (please note change of venue). This event is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether the death was recent or not.