Ballineaspaig Parish Bulletin

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MASS TIMES

Sunday

9.00, 10.30, 12.15 Saturday Vigil 6.15pm Weekdays

9.30am

Eve of Holydays

7.30pm

7.30pm

Holydays 9.00, 10.30 &

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God's Word

Readings for Sunday 9th June, 2019 First Reading:

Acts 2: 1-11

Psalm: 103 Second Reading:

Rm 8: 8-17

Gospel:

Jn 14: 15-16,23-26

PARISH BULLETIN

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WITNESS PLUS PLUS

In Court the best witness is often quite objective and is not personally involved in the outcome of the case. It was quite different when Jesus sends disciples out as witnesses to his life, his message and resurrection. He sends them into a world more searching and dismissive than any court or tribunal. But the original disciples were not to be merely reliable reporters of the past, but were to be people whose lives were radically enriched by the message they were recounting.

It is such committed witnesses that our rapidly changing world and church needs today. A heresy of our time is neutrality about values. Jesus was far from neutral about the sacredness of life, about truth, justice, forgiveness, generosity and love. Neither can his followers, his witnesses, today be neutral. Each one, alone and together, is promised power from on high to enable us to be wise and courageous witnesses to the Gospel by how we live and how we speak.

Fr. Tom.

P.S. Absorb Paul's prayer for us in the Second Reading this weekend. Let it lift our hearts and renew our commitments.

PARISH NOTICES - 02/06/2019 The Ascension of the Lord

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St. Vincent de Paul:

Monthly collection this weekend Saturday. 1st June and Sunday 2nd June, 2019.

First Friday:

Next Friday, 7th June, 2019, is the first Friday of the month. Calls to the sick and housebound on the usual days.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Adoration next Friday, 7th June, 2019, from 10.00am to 11.00am and from 6.30pm to 7.30pm followed by Mass.

THANK YOU:

A big Thank you to all who supported last Sunday's HB ICE CREAM FUN DAY. An amount of €715 was collected and this has been donated to DOWN SYNDROME IRELAND. DOWN SYNDROME IRELAND.

REST IN PEACE

We offer our sincere sympathy to the family, relatives, friends and neighbours of Mary Keily, Leesdale, Model Farm Rd. who died recently.

May she rest in peace.

Mass for the Bereaved:

Mass for the Bereaved will be held in St. James Cemetery, Mahers Lane, off the Bandon Road on Saturday, 8th June at 3.00pm. All welcome.

The Pioneer Association:

The Pioneer Diocesan Mass will take place in the Church of Our Lady and St. John, Carrigaline at 7.30pm next Friday, 7th June. Refreshments after in the Parish Centre.

Living with Loss Cork 2019:

Information evening with keynote address by Dessie Fitzgerald (former Cork Hurler) on living with grief and loss on Thurs. 6th June from 6.30pm to 9.30pm at the Clayton Hotel, Lapps Quay, Cork.

