

Ballineaspig 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

Holydays

9.00, 10.30 &

7.30pm

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PARISH BULLETIN

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Our Curraheen River Walk Information Boards are Up!

Within the parish boundaries there is a fully paved, wheelchair accessible walk through wild parkland along by the Curraheen River. The full walk runs all the way from Curraheen to the Lee Fields, then eastwards to the City Centre or westwards to Ballincollig.

The walk, which is very well maintained by Cork City Council (CCC) and by Bishopstown Tidy Towns volunteers, contains a wealth of trees and plants, is host to a wide variety of flora and fauna and includes many natural and historical places of beauty. In 2017, the Faith in Action group decided to explore the possibility of identifying and documenting these and erecting information boards at the start and end points of the local walk, between the Curraheen Road and the carpark in the Lee Fields.

We successfully applied to CCC for funding for these information boards under the Local Agenda 21 Environment Partnership Fund. A parishioner who has great experience in mapping provided us with a detailed map of this section of the walk. We also got input from the Bishopstown Tidy Towns committee, who provided us with some stunning nature photographs taken by one of their group.

Following several meetings with CCC to agree the design and content, we took all these materials to a graphic designer in SNAP Printing. Our final draft was submitted to CCC in 2019. They then retained a Landscape Architect, Róisín Byrne, who produced the final version. Three copies were printed early in 2021 and erected recently as part of the overall upgrade of the river walk paths.

It is not possible to include a legible photograph of the information board in this Bulletin, but you can access a copy on the parish website (www.dennehycrossparish.ie). Or, better still, check out the actual boards in the locations below:

1. Murphy's Farm, beside the playground
2. Inside the Model Farm Road entrance, below Eden Hall
3. On the river side of the Lee Fields car park



HAPPY WALKING !

Faith in Action Group