

Ballineaspig Parish Bulletin



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MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil:

6.15pm

Sunday

9.00 and 11.00 am

Weekdays

9.30am

Holydays

9.30am & 7.00pm

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PARISH BULLETIN

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Bulletin 5th March, 2023 - Second Sunday of Lent

Your name as a blessing

The first Reading in this weekend's Mass is a short one, from the Book of Genesis, and repeated again St. Patrick's Day. I love using it at Christenings because of the promise made to Abram "I will make your name so famous that it will be used as a blessing ". What a wonderful sentiment to express when you baptise a child...that your child's name will be a blessing on your house and on your lives; all those hopes and anxieties you have....a lovely way to think of your child. And of course Abram became Abraham and set off on his journey armed with his new mission....and his new name.

This weekend fifty or so of our children were Confirmed with a new name, possibly the only time they will be addressed with that new name. Like Abraham they were asked what they believed in and how they will live. Like Abraham, they cannot foretell what will happen to them, how their lives will turn out. But equally like Abraham, they will set forth with a blessing on their new name. May all the names they carry be a blessing now on their homes and lives forever. May all our names, including the Confirmation name we took, perhaps many years ago now, be our blessing also.

Until next week.

Fr. Donal



Congratulations to the girls from St. Catherine's School who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last Wednesday. A big thank you to all who made this a very special occasion for all involved. May the Lord bless them all.

Mass Intentions for week commencing 4th March to the 11th March, 2023

Saturday, 4th March	- 6.15pm	- Vincent and Mary Tobin (Anniversary)
Sunday, 5th March	- 9.00am	- Noelle Murphy (Anniversary)
	11.00am-	Marian Healy (Anniversary)
Monday, 6th March	- 9.30am	- Pat Walsh (Anniversary)
Tuesday, 7th March	- 9.30am	- Sean O'Murchu (Anniversary)
Wednesday, 8th March	- 9.30am	- Shane Doocey (Anniversary)
Thursday, 9th March	- 9.30am	- Nora Twomey Anniversary)
Friday, 10th March	- 9.30am	- Joan O'Shea (Anniversary)
Saturday, 11th March	- 9.30am	- David and Mary McInerney (Anniversary)
	6.15pm	- Michael & Rose Ryan & Con and Mary Lyons (Anniversary)

Bishops Commission:

The annual collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend , 11th/12th March, 2023