

Ballineaspig Parish Bulletin

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Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil: 6.15pm : Sunday: 9.00am & 11.00am Weekdays: Mon- Fri. 9.30

Saturdays: 10.00am Holydays: As Announced

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Feast of Christ the King

Offertory: 17/11/24 - €2381

Shrines: 17/11/24 - €430

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK - 23rd November to the 30th November, 2024

Saturday, 23rd Nov - 6.15pm - (1) Jerry, Hanna, Jimmy & Nora O'Shea & Marty O'Malley (2) Dan & Brigid Sexton

Sunday, 24th Nov. - 9.00am - Jean Healy

- 11.00am— (1) Noreen Murphy & Eliz. Delaney (2) Jennie Riordan (3) Eileen and Breffni O'Sullivan (4) Tony Canty (5) Jerry & Ml. Desmond (6) Anna Kelly. (7) Deceased members of our church choir

Tuesday, 26th Nov. - 9.30am - Anne Wiley

Wednesday 27th Nov. - 9.30am - Special Intention

Thursday, 28th Nov. - 9.30am - Maire Mulcahy

Friday, 29th Nov. - 9.30am - Joe Lennon

Church door collection today (23rd/24th November) for SHALOM.

Check the Parish App above for "The Prophet Daniel"

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Face to Face

"So, you are a king then?", asks Pilate, Roman Governor. Pilate is in town with a garrison of troops because these big Jewish festivals could lead to riots or national uprising; they were always looking for their own king, instead of the puppet King Herod, who was no threat. And you could not have a greater festival than Passover. This time he has a different type of problem: the Jewish leaders want him to arrest Jesus and condemn him to death. They themselves had no authority or law for this. What accusation could they use? "He claims to be king of the Jews". This man might be the threat that Herod was not. So Pilate and Jesus meet face to face.

Here two kingdoms face each other: the kingdom of territory, armies and occupation versus "my kingdom is not of this world". Pilate is genuinely interested until the fullness of the new kingdom is explored by Jesus, no armies or lands but values of truth and justice. Pilate had no mind to pursue these. Jesus was facing his own truth at that moment; he pursued it to the end in the face of mockery and desertion of his closest followers. Pilate did not.

The Roman kingdom is now but a memory; the kingdom of justice and truth is alive for all to live by and give witness.

Fr. Donal



VOCATIONS:

At the moment the Diocese has no students for the Priesthood. I am hoping to form a new Circle of Prayer for Vocations. On **Saturday December 7th**, I am gathering people together in the Parish Room in the Parish Office to help form this group. We will meet at 2.00pm. Many thanks.

PARISH NOTICES

Autumn Dues: Dues envelopes are available at all the church doors. Contributions can be handed into the Parish Office, the Sacristy, either of the Priests houses or with the Sunday collection.

Ministers of the Eucharist: The new Rota for 2024/2025 is now available in the Sacristy before and after each Mass weekdays and the weekend. Please collect your Rota at your convenience.

Dennehy's Cross Active Retirement Group: The Group will meet in the Crypt next **Thursday, 28th November from 10.00am to 12 noon**. Note: payment for our Christmas meal on Thursday 5th December in the Kingsley Hotel will be collected that day. (We have a limit of 50 people).

Fleischmann Choir: The 130 strong Fleischmann Choir, under the direction of conductor, Tom Doyle, present iconic and undiscovered works for choir and orchestra on **Sunday 1st December** from 6.30pm to 7.30pm in our Church here in Dennehy's Cross. Tickets €5 - €18 available through Cork Orchestral Society and on the door on the night (under 18's go free).