



# Parish of St Joseph & St Benildus & St Mary



SUNDAY 24 MARCH 2024 – PALM SUNDAY (BEGINNING OF HOLY WEEK)

## CONTACTS

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## PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Monday to Friday - 9 am to 1 pm

## PARISH SHOP OPENING HOURS

Monday to Friday 11 am – 2 pm

## PARISH EMAIL/WEBSITE

parishofficejbm@gmail.com  
jbmparish.com

## NEWSLETTER EMAIL ITEMS

Email: jbmnews@gmail.com by  
Wednesday each week at 1 pm

## BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS & CERTIFICATE REQUESTS

Email: parishofficejbm@gmail.com

## FACEBOOK PAGE

www.facebook.com/josephand  
benildus/

## LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES

### St. Joseph & Benildus Church

<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/st-joseph-and-st-benildus-waterford>

### St. Mary's Church

<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/st-marys-church-waterford>

## MASS & SERVICE TIMES

### St Joseph & St Benildus Church

#### Mass: Sunday

5.45 pm Vigil (Saturday)

9.30 am – Children's Liturgy Mass

12.00 noon

#### Mass: Monday to Friday

7.30 am & 10.30 am

#### Mass: Saturday

10.30 am & Novena Prayer

#### Holydays of Obligation

5.45 pm Vigil, 7.30 am & 10.30 am  
(or as announced)

#### Confessions

Saturday after 10.30 am Mass or  
on request

### St Mary's Church

#### Mass: Sunday

7.15 pm Vigil (Saturday)

10.45 am

#### Holydays of Obligation

10.45 am (or as announced)

## NIGHT PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Monday to Friday at 8 pm  
Zoom login: 943 588 4859

## SAFEGUARDING

If you have a safeguarding concern,  
contact the Diocesan Designated  
Liaison Person, Fr John Harris on  
087 966 1959.

## RECENTLY DECEASED

**Jean Crowe**, Viewmount Park, Waterford  
**Margaret (Irene) Lanigan**, Ballybeg Close, Waterford  
**Rosaleen Power**, Kielogue, Ballygunner, Waterford  
**Sr Kathleen Power** (Formerly of Keilogue,  
Ballygunner and recently deceased in Australia)

## ANNIVERSARIES / REMEMBRANCE

Robin Dawson, Philip Lahert, Brian Lawrence, Sean  
Duffy, Helena Keane, Fr. Bobby Keane, Chantelle  
McNamara

## REMEMBERING IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEKEND 23/24 MARCH 2024

### St. Joseph & St. Benildus Church, Newtown

**5.45 pm:** John Lafford (Anniversary)  
Tom Clarke (Birthday Remembrance)  
Thea O'Shea (Anniversary)  
Special Intention

### 9.30 am:

**12 Noon:** Nancy & Martin Doheny (Anniversary)

### St. Mary's Church, Ballygunner

**7.15 pm:** Pamela Slattery (Month's Mind)  
Maura O'Donnell (Month's Mind)  
Eileen Whitty (Anniversary)  
Maureen Keane (Anniversary)

**10.45 am:** Gerry Sheridan (Month's Mind)

Pat Dalton (Anniversary)  
Nan & Janet Downes (Anniversary)  
William Farrell (Anniversary)  
Bertie Downes (Birthday Remembrance)

## LECTIO DIVINA

Come and join us for reflection on the Gospels of the  
Easter Triduum on Monday 26<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> and  
Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March from 7 pm to 8 pm in  
Benildus Parish Centre. All are welcome to attend  
anyone night or all nights.

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Just a gentle reminder to all Eucharistic Ministers  
that the renewal of your commitment to your  
Ministry will take place during 'Mass of the Lord's  
Supper' on Holy Thursday at St. Joseph & Benildus  
Church at 5.45 pm and St. Mary's Church,  
Ballygunner at 7.15 pm.

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION IN THE PARISH

### St. Mary's Church, Ballygunner

**27 April 2024 – 10 am, 12 Noon & 2 pm**

St. Mary's School, Ballygunner

**25 May 2024 – 11 am - Gael Scoil, Phort Láirge**

### St. Joseph & Benildus Church, Newtown

**21 April 2024 – 9.30 am - Newtown School**

**4 May 2024 – 11 am - St. John of God School**

## CONFIRMATION IN THE PARISH

### St. Mary's Church, Ballygunner

**12 April 2024 – 10.30 am, 12.30 pm & 2.30 pm**

St. Mary's School, Ballygunner

### St. Joseph & Benildus Church, Newtown

**26 April 2024 – 10.30 am - St. John of God School**

## CHURCH COLLECTION

16/17 March 2024 - €2,807

## READERS REQUIRED

If anyone is interested in reading  
at Mass at weekends in either  
Church or on weekdays in St.  
Joseph & Benildus Church,  
please contact the parish office  
at 051 348 077 or by email.

## COMMITTEE FOR ST MARY'S CHURCH, BALLYGUNNER

We would like to thank all those  
who have responded to our  
request for committee members  
for St. Mary's Church to date.

For anyone else who is  
interested in joining the  
committee, please contact Fr  
Liam Power or the Parish Office  
at 051 348 077 or by email at:  
Parishofficejbm@gmail.com

## 7.30 AM MASS

There is NO 7.30 am Mass on  
Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2024, due to the  
Bank Holiday.

## TAIZE MUSIC – REFLECTION – SONG - VIGIL FOR PEACE

Good Friday, 29 March 2024 at  
the Edmund Rice Chapel, Mount  
Sion, Waterford from 8 pm to 9  
pm. All are very welcome to  
attend.

## MUNSTER RETREAT

5 – 7 April 2024 at De La Salle  
College, Waterford for ages 16-  
35 years. For further  
information, please visit  
[www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie)

## EASTER CEREMONIES & EASTER ENVELOPES

There is a schedule available at  
the back of each Church for the  
Easter Ceremonies. The Easter  
envelopes are being distributed  
this week which also have details  
of the Easter Ceremonies.

## HOLY THURSDAY & ROSARY THURSDAY SPECIAL

Invitation to pray with Bishop  
Phonsie Cullinan on Holy  
Thursday 28 March 2024 at 5.45  
pm on zoom. If you are  
interested, please register on  
visit [www.worldpriest.com](http://www.worldpriest.com) and  
a zoom link will be issued.

## AD HOC CHORALE

Saturday, 20 April 2024 at  
Cathedral of the Most Holy  
Trinity, Waterford. Tickets €10.