

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD BALALLY PARISH

4th October 2026 Twenty - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Office Open Hours:

Monday to Friday

9.30am 12.30

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Mass Times & Intentions.

Saturday 3rd October 6.00pm Vigil Mass

**Peggy Dooley/ Mary & Jim Monaghan/ Leslie Doyle/
Amanda Mooney**

Sunday 4th October 10.00am Mass

**Pat Muldoon Months Mind/
John (Jack) Kennedy (1st Annv/Annette Coemin/
Dr Rose Tiphead/ Eddie Finn**

Deceased members of the Coughlan & McMahon Families

Monday 5th October 10.00am Mass

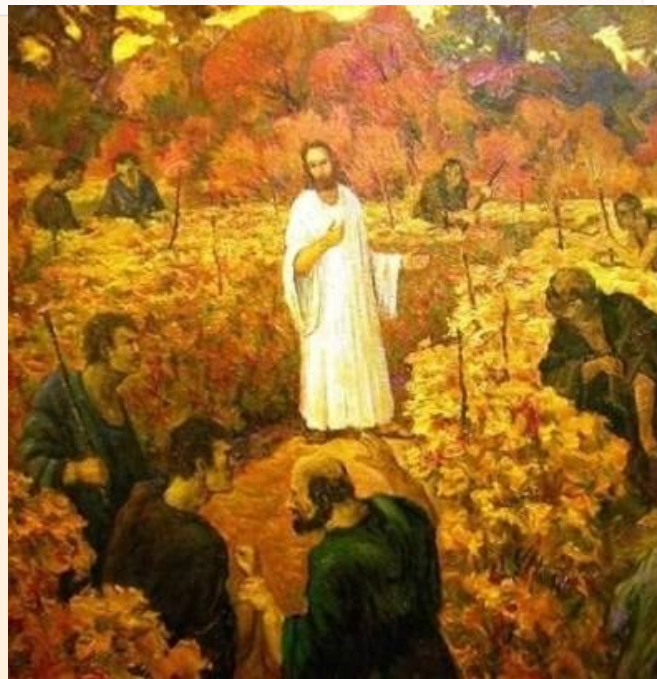
Alan Aylward/ Anne McGrath/ Mary McInerney

Wednesday 7th October 10.00am

Communion Service

Friday 9th October 10.00am

Marguerite Hackett & Angela McGuinness & Fr John Deasy



Parish Partnership name

The diocese recently asked each partnership to decide on a name.

The Parish Pastoral Councils in our partnership parishes of Balally, Ballinteer, Dundrum and Meadowbrook agreed on the name

Columba Marmion Partnership.



Reflection by Fr Laurence Freeman

We believe that grace works on nature, and our nature is physical and psychological. So it is not surprising that when we open to grace – the pure, free gift of God's love – that there will be benefits of meditation that we will experience and recognize in our bodies, in our minds, and in the way we relate to other people. Those are the benefits, but we can see these benefits to be signs of grace. When we look more deeply into these benefits, we see that they are the fruits of the Spirit or signs of the fruits of the Spirit. As St Paul describes them, the fruits of the Spirit are love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, fidelity, gentleness and self-control. These fruits of the Spirit are much more important than your cholesterol or your blood pressure because these fruits of the spirit are the signs of God's life through Christ expanding in you, divinizing you, preparing you for your union with God. ' . .

COLLECTION

Thank you for your very generous
response to last weekend collections
1st Collection €715 2nd Collection €380



Balally Parish 400 Club
September draw takes place this Sunday 2026
If you would like to subscribe
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St Olaf's Ladies Club



Friday 9th October in St Olaf's School at 3.30

"Talk by Cathy Skuffle"

A Word from Fr Jim

Dates for your diary 2026.

5th/ 12th / 19th/ 26th October, 4 Mondays

Introduction to Christian Meditation with Dr Barry White.

Monday 2nd November - All Souls Day Service 7.00pm

Thursday 5th - 12th November
Visit of Abbot Jonas; (Mepkin Abbey)

Saturday 7th November: 8.00pm -
Concert with Celine Byrne

Friday 4th - 6th December: Advent Christmas Tree Festival

With my Love & Blessing: Fr Jim

Fr Jim



BALALLY RAMBLING HOUSE





LEARN CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

LED BY DR. BARRY WHITE

OCTOBER 2026 - 4 MONDAYS

5TH / 12TH / 19TH / 26TH

7:30PM - 8:30PM

BALALLY PASTORAL CENTRE

DONATION €10

TICKETS AT THE DOOR



Balally Contemplative Parish



WCCM
MEDITATION & COMMUNITY

Celine Byrne
INTERNATIONAL SOPRANO

**SATURDAY
NOV 7TH** | **BALALLY PARISH
CEDAR ROAD
D16E032** | **8PM** | **€30**

THE CELTIC CHORISTERS
- MUSICAL DIRECTOR ETHEL GLANCY -

**BALALLY PARISH - CHARITY CONCERT
IN AID OF PARISH DEVELOPMENT**

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