

CORK CATHEDRAL FAMILY OF PARISHES
South Parish - St Patrick's - Ss Peter & Paul's
Blackpool – The Glen – Ballyvolane - Sunday's Well
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cork Cathedral Family of Parishes

Lotto

Lotto Numbers: 12, 15, 27 Bonus: 02

Jackpot: 1 winner

Consolation prize: No winner

This week's Jackpot is **€10,000**

Consolation Jackpot **€475**

***Congratulations to the winner of the Lotto last week
who won €20,000***

Collections Taken Last Weekend

Offertory

- Cathedral €980
- South Parish €744
- St Patrick's/Holy Family €841
- Ss Peter & Paul's €1,838
- Blackpool /The Glen /Ballyvolane €1,980

Priesthood Education

- Cathedral €440
- South Parish €365
- St Patrick's/Holy Family €675
- Ss Peter & Paul's €1,115
- Blackpool /The Glen /Ballyvolane €1,087

There will be a second collection taken up at all Masses this weekend for the Maintenance Fund.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**

Besides the usual confession timings which happens before and after the Holy Mass we are pleased to announce that the Sacrament of RECONCILIATION will be available in the Cathedral starting from Saturday, 10th October.

Day: Every Saturday

Time: 11:00 am – 12:00 noon

Starting: Saturday, 10 October

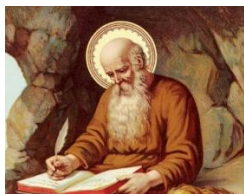
This arrangement will be reviewed after one month to assess its continuation and any necessary adjustments.

We encourage parishioners to make use of this opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation and prepare spiritually for the celebration of the Lord's Day

Feast Days of the Week



Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael
29 September



St Jerome
30 September



St Therese of the Child Jesus
1 October



Holy Guardian Angels
2 October

We remember and pray for our
Recently Deceased

Diarmuid (Jerry) Curtin



Died on 19th September and whose funeral Mass took place at the Church of the Annunciation Blackpool on 22nd September at 11am and was buried at St Catherine's Cemetery Kilcully

David O'Leary



Died on 21st September and whose funeral Mass took place at St Oliver's Church Ballyvolane on 24th September at 11am and was buried at Rathcooney Cemetery

Cathedral Emmaus Café

Opening Times

(beginning Monday 28th September)

Monday to Friday
9.30am-3.30pm

Sunday
9.30am-2.00pm

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+Canon John O'Donovan, Fr. Shinu Varghese, Fr Kenneth Cooney, Fr Fergus Ryan, Fr Kevin Hanley |

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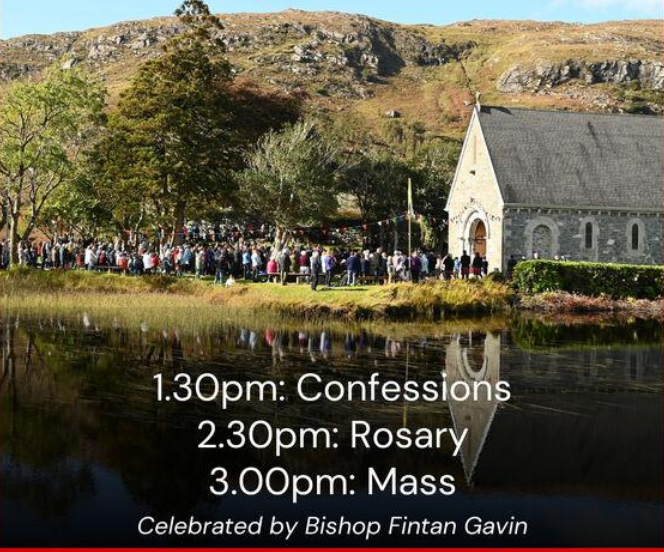
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Gougane Barra Sunday

27th September 2026



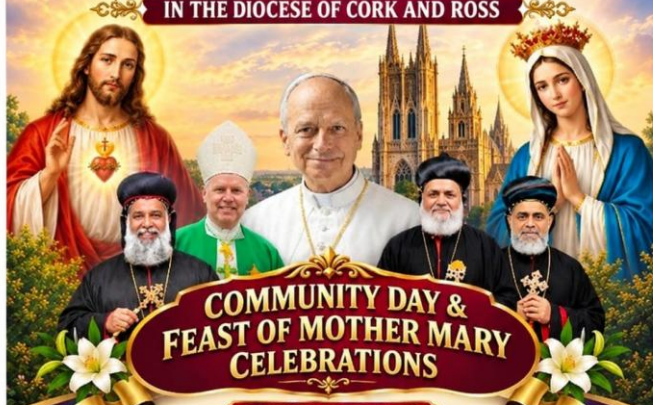
1.30pm: Confessions
2.30pm: Rosary
3.00pm: Mass

Celebrated by Bishop Fintan Gavin



THE SYRO-MALANKARA CATHOLIC CHURCH

REGION OF IRELAND
MALANKARA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY CORK
IN THE DIOCESE OF CORK AND ROSS



COMMUNITY DAY & FEAST OF MOTHER MARY CELEBRATIONS

+ MAIN CELEBRANT +
BISHOP ANTONY MAR SILVANOS
(BISHOP OF CURIA)

+ GOSPEL MESSAGE +
BISHOP FINTAN GAVIN
(DIOCESE OF CORK & ROSS)

3 OCTOBER 2026

TIME: 10:00 AM

VENUE: ST. MARY & ST. ANNE CATHEDRAL, CORK, T23NX76

NORTH MONASTERY SECONDARY SCHOOL, T23P825

PROGRAMMES

- ✦ LITURGICAL RECEPTION TO BISHOPS
- ✦ SOLEMN HOLY MASS (SYRO-MALANKARA RITE)
- ✦ FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
- ✦ AGAPE

Introducing Lay Funeral Ministers

We still value having our funerals over several days, we appreciate the effort our neighbours make to come to the funeral home to sympathise, we look for a funeral Mass which acknowledges the personality of the deceased person and their relationships, not just a generic church service to pray for them.

To assist parishioners keep our funerals as we like to have them, our north-side parishes will introduce lay ministers as part of a funeral team with the clergy. Initially these lay funeral ministers will lead the bereaved in prayer the night before the funeral Mass, usually in the funeral home, as priests used to do before Covid.

In time, the lay funeral ministers will be available to families to begin preparing the funeral Mass with the diocesan booklet of readings, prayers and hymns. Later, they may be present at the funeral Mass and be of help there.

While we are beginning with the three northside parishes which have approximately 166 funerals of parishioners each year - the cathedral, Blackpool with the Glen and Ballyvolane, Sunday's Well - in time, we will extend this valuable ministry to the other parishes in our family of parishes.

The initial meeting for those already approached to consider this ministry will be on **Wednesday 30th September at 7pm in the Cathedral Visitor Centre**. The diocesan training will be on three consecutive Wednesdays nights: 14th, 21st, and 28th October. Venue to be decided.



Rory Gallagher Square, Paul Street
Opening Times

Monday to Friday 8.30am to 4pm

Saturday 9.30am to 4pm

Sunday 10.30am to 4pm

Reflection

God meets us in the simple and small. At Emmaus Café, each shared cup, conversation, and smile can reveal His kingdom, just as He met the disciples in the ordinary. "The kingdom of God is among you." (Luke 17:21)

Office Hours in the Family of Parishes

Cathedral Parish Office
Monday to Thursday
8:30am-4pm

Friday 8:30am-2pm

St Finbarr's South Parish Office
Monday
9am-11am
Genealogy Enquiries
Monday 9:30am-11am

St Patrick's Parish Office
Monday to Thursday
9am-12pm
Friday 9am-10:30am

Ss Peter & Paul's Parish Office
Monday 11am-1pm
Tuesday 10am to 12pm
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
10am to 2pm

