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CARRAIG NA BHFEAR PARISH
Church of the Immaculate Conception

Sunday 8th March 2026
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday, 8th March, 11.30 am

- ❖ Frances Harte, 1st anniversary, and Kitty Dunlea
- ❖ Eileen and James (Alo) MacMahon
- ❖ Tom O'Mahony
- ❖ Kevin Corbett

Wednesday, 11th March, 9.00 am

- ❖ Oliver Cullinane
- ❖ Dave Bourke
- ❖ Neilus Duggan
- ❖ Special Intention

Friday, 13th March, 9.00 am

- ❖ Michael Fitzpatrick
- ❖ Paddy O'Donovan
- ❖ Patrick O'Callaghan
- ❖ Special Birthday Intention

Sunday, 15th March, 11.30 am

- ❖ Jim O'Donovan
- ❖ Paul Falvey
- ❖ Tim Coleman
- ❖ Kevin Foley

Collection

Sun 1st March €665.00

Family of Parishes Mass Times

Mondays 10.00 am Watergrasshill
Tuesdays 10.00 am Glanmire & Glounthaune
Thursdays 10.00 am Glenville

Saturday, 5.30 pm Springhill
6.00 pm Little Island
7.00 pm Glenville

Moderator

Very Rev. Fr. Christy Fitzgerald Co P.P.
Watergrasshill, Tel. 0214889103

Parish Office.

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Adoration, Evening Prayer and Benediction

During the following Sundays of Lent Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Evening Prayer and Benediction will take place from 5.00 pm to 6.00 pm in our Family of Parishes as follows:
Sun 8th March – Glanmire
Sun 15th March – Watergrasshill
Sun 22nd March – Carraig na bhFear

St. Patrick's Day – Mass Times

On Tuesday 17th March, Feast-day of St. Patrick, Patron Saint of Ireland, Mass will be celebrated in Carraig na bhFear church at 11.30 am. and in Watergrasshill at 12.00 noon.

Vigil Mass for this Feast-day will be celebrated in Glenville at 7.00 pm on Monday 16th March.

Second Collection this weekend

The second collection this weekend is The Bishops Commissions Collection. This collection helps fund the work of the Irish Bishops Conference

First Penance

The children preparing for First Holy Communion will celebrate the Sacrament of First Penance in this church on Tuesday next 10th March at 7.00 pm.

Priest's Income – Spring Dues

A sincere thank you to all who have contributed generously to the Spring Dues over the past few weeks. The Dues go to the personal income of the Priests appointed to our Family of Parishes. Your generosity and support of the Priests is greatly appreciated.

Matt Talbot Novena

The Matt Talbot Novena continues each Monday through Lent in The Way of the Cross, Church, Togher with the following celebrants/preachers.
Monday 9th March, 7.30 pm
Fr. Charlie Nyhan P.E.
Monday 16th March, **6.30 pm (note time)**
Fr. John Walsh P.P. Togher
Monday 23rd March 7.30 pm
Fr. Colin Doocey, Chaplain, CUH
Monday 30th March, 7.30 pm
Ronan Scully, Overseas Aid Development Worker with the Irish Charity Self Help Africa. The Novena can be viewed online at www.churchservices.tv/togher

Trocaire Lenten Collection

Trocaire Boxes are available on the table in the church porch and at the side of the Confession box with the focus this year on Rwanda where Trócaire has formed partnerships with local organisations to help some of the poorest and marginalised rural communities.

Your support enables Trocaire to provide the longer term assistance needed to help families cope with the impacts of climate change and to build resilience for the next generations.

Fatima Pilgrimage/Holiday,

Donoughmore Group Ex CORK Airport.
Thursday July 2nd to 9th. Spiritual Director is Rev. Fr.(Archdeacon) Neilus O'Donnell.
For further details please contact Patsy Foley on 087-6798810.

Rockbawn Cake Sale/Coffee Morning

This Sunday 8th March from 11.00 am until 1.00 pm Coffee morning and Cake Sale will be held at Whitechurch Community Centre with all proceeds going to support Rockbawn girls in their Féile competition this year

Public Information Meeting

Why have no new houses been built in Carraig na bhFear Village in the past 25 years?

An important public information meeting will take place in Carraig na bhFear Community Hall on Monday 23rd March at 8.00 pm. We need your support
Waste Water Treatment Group

Blarney & District Garden & Flower Club

Meeting in Community Centre Whitechurch at 8:00 pm on Thursday 26th March 2026
Join us for an inspiring session with expert tips on prepping your garden for spring, presented by the renowned DJ Murphy from Bandon Garden Centre. Open to members with guest entry €10.00.
Yearly Membership fee is only €40.00. New members always welcome.

MABS Helpline: 0818 07 2000,

Mon - Fri 9.00 am – 8.00 pm.

MABS (Money Advice and Budgeting Service) provides help and support for anyone who is worried about managing their money, struggling with debt or mortgage arrears.

This is a free, independent and confidential service and is available online, over the phone and face to face. The nearest MABS offices are at North Main Street, Cork and Mallow. For more information, go to www.mabs.ie

Seniors Help Line

Open every day from 10.00 am until 10.00 pm. Staffed by older people, trained to listen, support and advise on issues of concern to the elderly. Freefone 1800 80 45 91