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Mallow Union of Parishes

Aontas Pharóiste Mhala

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SUNDAY 5th OCTOBER 2025
The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

Fáilte – Welcome

We are very glad to welcome everyone who worships in our churches today. We hope you will feel at home among us, especially if you are joining us for worship for the first time.

Please take a moment to check that you have turned off your 'phone before worship begins.

The Church of Ireland is a part of the worldwide Anglican Communion. We are glad to welcome all baptized Christians, who normally receive communion in their own churches, to receive communion at all celebrations of the Eucharist.

WORSHIP THIS WEEK

TODAY

- 10.00am MORNING PRAYER *in St Mary's, Castletownroche*
10.00am THE EUCHARIST *in St Mary's, Doneraile*
11.45am THE EUCHARIST *in St James's Mallow* with Sunday Club
for our younger worshippers followed by refreshments

WEDNESDAY 8th October 2025

- 11.00am THE EUCHARIST *in St James's, Mallow*
Jonah 4; Luke 11; 1-4

PROCLAIMING & RECEIVING THE WORD



Habakkuk 1: 1-4, 2: 1-4

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

O Lord, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you 'Violence!' and you will not save? Why do you make me see wrongdoing and look at trouble? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. So the law becomes slack and justice never prevails. The wicked surround the righteous - therefore judgement comes forth perverted.

I will stand at my watch-post, and station myself on the rampart; I will keep watch to see what he will say to me, and what he will answer concerning my complaint. Then the Lord answered me and said: Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so that a runner may read it. For there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end, and does not lie. If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come, it will not delay. Look at the proud! Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith.

Luke 17: 5-10

The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea", and it would obey you.

'Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!"'

CHURCH & COMMUNITY LIFE



CONGRATULATIONS to Michelle Gardiner and Alan O'Leary whose wedding took place yesterday, October 4th, at St Mary's Doneraile.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB beginning in St Mary's Church Doneraile on Thursday 9th October 10.30 to 12.30. Please come along for a cup of tea and a chat. Everyone welcome.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICES 2025

St Mary's Castletownroche 3.00 pm **Sunday 12th October**

(Preacher: The Reverend Ted Ardis)

St Mary's Doneraile 3.00 pm **Sunday 19th October**

(Preacher: Father Martin Heffernan)

This will be the only service in each of the above churches on these dates. The Eucharist will be celebrated, as usual, at St James's, Mallow @11.45.

COMMUNITY CAFÉ We are grateful to those who continue to give their time to welcome people to the Café during the Farmers' Market on Friday mornings at St James's Mallow, and all those who keep the church doors open to offer a welcoming presence to visitors, from the wider community or from further afield.

PASTORAL CARE DURING THE RECTOR'S LEAVE The Rev'd Clodagh Yambasu, Rector of Fermoy Union will be the primary priest responsible for pastoral care. She can be contacted on 0873262472. The Rev'd Meghan Farr will be the next priest in support. Her number is 0851282778. Sunday Services will continue at the usual times. The Wednesday morning Eucharist will be celebrated by the Rev'd Eileen Cremin.

ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER Please let Churchwardens have notices for inclusion in Newsletter by Wednesday of each week if possible:

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WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY

12th October 2025: The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

2 Kings 5: 1-3, 7-15; Luke 17: 11-19

- 10.00am MORNING PRAYER in *St Mary's, Doneraile*
11.45am THE EUCHARIST in *St James's, Mallow* with Sunday Club
for our younger worshippers followed by refreshments
3.00pm HARVEST THANKSGIVING in *St Mary's, Castletownroche*
(No morning service in Castletownroche)

FOR OUR PRAYERS



FOR THE CHURCH For Paul, our Bishop, for the clergy and people of this united Diocese; and in the worldwide Anglican Communion for the Province of the Anglican Church in Tanzania.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS Tom Ladd, Jerome O'Callaghan, Mary Greany, June Williams, Michael O'Callaghan, Fiontain Roukema Murray, Pat MacDonagh, Emmanuel Adebisi.

THE RECENTLY DEPARTED & THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME Ruby Perrott, Billy O'Grady, Chloe Sexton, Tim O'Callaghan, Martin Mansergh, Bryan Deane, Bose Akanu, Eileen O'Riordan, Fr Robin Morrissey.

WE PRAY TOO for people struggling to survive amid conflict in many parts of the world – and for those seeking just and peaceful resolutions.

KEEPING IN TOUCH

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