

## KILLARNEY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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### MASS INTENTION 23RD FEB– 1ST MAR 2026

#### ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

##### Morning Mass Mon - Sat 10.30am

<b>Mon</b>	<b>6.15pm</b>	Joanie Buckley, St. Brendan's Terrace Johnny Duffy, Marian Terrace
<b>Tues</b>	<b>6.15pm</b>	Johnny Culloty, O'Sullivan's Place (1st Anniversary)
<b>Wed</b>	<b>6.15pm</b>	Patrick Corcoran, Cummeen
<b>Thur</b>	<b>6.15pm</b>	Timmy Joe & Josephine Fleming, Lewis Road
<b>Fri</b>	<b>6.15pm</b>	Michael Barry, Coolies, Muckross
<b>Sat</b>	<b>6.15pm</b>	Ian & Mary O'Leary, Countess Road Denis Keohane, Bantry Fiona Parker, Woodlawn Jonathan Bassett, Killarney
<b>Sun</b>	<b>8.00am</b>	The O'Sullivan Family, Galway & UK
<b>Sun</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	Gamaliel Panganiban, Phillipines Special Intention Paddy Leahy, Marian Terrace
<b>Sun</b>	<b>12noon</b>	Majella Fitzgerald, Tiernabou

#### CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

##### Morning Mass Mon—Sat 9.30am

<b>Mon</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	Michael Murphy, Cork
<b>Tues</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	John & Catherine O'Donoghue, Beaufort
<b>Wed</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	Michael & Mary Lucey, Cahersiveen & the Deceased Members of the Lucey Family
<b>Thur</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Patrick & Brigid Sheahan, Glenbeigh
<b>Fri</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Special Intention
<b>Sat</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Con Harrington, O'Kelly's Villas
<b>Sun</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	Ted Murphy, Glenore, Park Road

#### CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, MUCKROSS

<b>Sun 9.30am</b>	Tim & Norrie Moriarty & their daughter Margaret Sommers, Gortagullane, Muckross
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#### DEATHS: Please Pray for ...

Denis Patrick Enright, Kilbrean Beg, Kilcummin & Formerly of  
Tobertureen, Moyyvane, London & Killarney  
Áine O'Reilly, Grove House, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick  
Helyn O' Neill ( Née Lowry) Dooks, Glenbeigh & Formerly of Sheheree,  
Loreto Road and Co. Kilkenny  
Vincent Scott, Sunny Hill, Killarney & Formerly of Rusheen, Furies

#### 1ST ANNIVERSARY, *We remember.*

William (Bill) Keane, Whitebridge Manor

#### BAPTISMS: We Welcome ...

Landon Eric Sermukslis, East Grinstead, West Sussex, UK  
Caelan Donald Sermukslis, East Grinstead, West Sussex, UK  
Mason Maverick McCannon O'Connor, St Brendan's Place

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Church of the Resurrection 5pm - 9pm Tuesdays

St Mary's Cathedral Wed 11am– 5.30pm Wednesday

Muckross 4pm—6pm Thurs

Franciscan Friary 2pm –7pm Fridays Holy Hour Sundays @ 6pm

### JOURNEY WITH US THROUGH LENT

Each Week we will have a different theme as we try to deepen our faith commitment. This week we focus on Prayer. The following might be helpful for your own private prayer and reflection, as well as a focus in our Masses for the time ahead.

#### 1ST WEEK OF LENT: FOCUSING ON PRAYER

**Mon:** We pray for those who feel they walk Alone or in Darkness

**Tues:** We pray for the Dead

**Wed:** We pray for Vocations

**Thurs:** We pray for the Sick and the Housebound

**Fri:** We pray for those families suffering in the war stricken Countries

**Sat:** We pray for those needing Compassion and Mercy

**2026 DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE** is on from Friday Feb 27th to Sunday March 1st. in RDS Ballsbridge, Dublin. For details contact Mary at 086 0529008

**KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA** on the 11th of May, 6 nights from Shannon to Porto Direct, 4\* half board. For Further Information, please contact Barters Travelnet 021 4851700 or kcallaghan@travelnet.ie

**KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:** from the 10th June—15th June, from Kerry to Tarbes Direct, Full board for further info, please contact Nora 087 931 8976 Pilgrimage@dioceseofkerry.ie

**LENTEN ONLINE TALK SERIES:** The Diocese of Kerry invites you to its Lenten online talk series, "Beyond Almsgiving," exploring poverty in the light of Catholic Social Teaching, on 24 February, 10 March, and 24 March at 7.30 pm. Speakers include Dr Aoife McGrath (Maynooth) and guest speakers from SVP and Trócaire. Information and registration: www.dioceseofkerry.ie

**KILLARNEY PARISH CONFIRMATIONS:** Please note that Confirmations will be celebrated on Friday the 6th of March, there will be **no 10.30am or 6.15pm** Mass that day. Confirmations at 11.00am for St Oliver's NS, Gaelscoil Faithleann NS & Tiernabou NS and 2.30pm Presentation Monastery NS, Holy Cross Mercy NS, Loreto Scoil Bhríde NS, Loughquittane NS & Lissivigeen NS.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** This Weekend for the red envelope collection, Thank you for your support.

### OFFERTORY COLLECTION ENVELOPES

The Envelopes are now available from the Parish Office. These envelopes are a source of income for the parish. **We would greatly appreciate if the contact people or volunteers could help with distribution, please contact the office to arrange collection of boxes**, to distribute in their particular area. If you currently do not use an envelope or are new to the Parish and would like to have a box of envelopes, please contact the Parish Office and we'll organise that for you. Your contribution to the Parish is greatly appreciated. Many thanks for your continued support. .

#### Join the conversation on Kerry's Age Friendly Strategy

Kerry County Council is developing a new Age Friendly Strategy. If you are aged 55 years and over, you are invited to share your views on how we can make County Kerry a place where people of all ages can live well, age positively, and feel valued.

Round 1 of the in-person public consultation sessions will take place as follows: Tralee: 24<sup>th</sup> February, The Rose Hotel, 6.30pm – 9.00pm  
Dingle: 25<sup>th</sup> February, Dingle Benners Hotel, 6.30pm – 9.00pm  
Listowel: 26<sup>th</sup> February, The Listowel Arms Hotel, 6.30pm – 9.00pm

More dates and locations to follow. For further information phone 066 9796713 or email agefriendlykerry@kerrycoco.ie

**KILLARNEY ACTIVE RETIREMENT** have resumed their Weekly meetings - KCYS - back of Friary Bookshop - Fridays 2 to 4 PM - €20 Annual Membership now due - New members always welcome

**JOIN US FOR OUR LADIES' CRAFTING GROUP!** Starting on Monday, 23rd February at 10.30am, we'll be meeting on the 4th Monday of each month after that. This group is for women who are hard of hearing, and offers a fun, supportive, and inclusive space to learn new skills, enjoy great conversation, and make connections. Come along for company, creativity, and a cup of tea! **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 10.30am-12.30am Location Chime unit 1b Park place, High Street Killarney V93 CDP9 Contact: 064 6620052 or 0860105200**

**ABLEFEST** returns to Killarney on Sunday March 15th from 12-4pm. Ablefest is an inclusive ,music and arts festival, celebrating individuals of all abilities, together with their families and friends. With features such as a silent disco, live music from Jake Carter and a wide variety of interactive activities, there is something for everyone! For more information go to [www.stpatricksfestivalkillarney.ie](http://www.stpatricksfestivalkillarney.ie) or check out Ablefest Killarney on facebook and instagram.

**SHINE SUPPORT FOR MENTAL HEALTH:** Monthly Meetings First Wednesday of every month from 6pm—8pm in Tralee , For more info contact 086 0407701 or email; support@shine.ie

**BINGO:** at St. Mary's Parish Hall, will be held on Thursdays@ 8.30pm

