

# St. Mary's Church, Ballyheigue.

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Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary  
Time

24th/25th August 2013

### *Mass intentions for the week .*

Tue.....7.30pm	John Joe, Hannah & Sonny O'Sullivan, & Teresa Foley
Wed...10.00am	Special intention.
Thurs.. 7.30pm	Chris Barley (nee Regan) l/o Ballymac- quinn.
Fri.....7.30pm	Bridie Styles.
Sat	
10.00am	Special intention.
7.30pm	Teresa Reidy (month's mind).
Sun	
9.30am	Hannah May & Flor McCormack.
11.00am	Flor Driscoll.

*O God, who cause the minds of the faithful  
to unite in a single purpose,  
grant your people to love what you command  
and to desire what you promise,  
that, amid the uncertainties of this world,  
our hearts may be fixed on that place  
where true gladness is found.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever.*



### 24 Hour Monthly Adoration

Because of Pattern Day the monthly 24 Hour Adoration is changed to next weekend, beginning at 9.00am on Saturday, 31st August and ending before 9.30am Mass on Sunday 1st September

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### Kerry Hospice Foundation

The A.G.M. of the Ballyheigue Branch will be held at the Family Resource Centre on Tuesday, 27th August at 8.30pm. *Everyone welcome.*

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### Ballyheigue Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Ballyheigue Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place 2nd -7th October. Flights from Kerry Airport, bookings with Sol Travel, Tralee. Nearing closing date.

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### Cura Kerry

Cura Kerry the pregnancy counselling service is located at the rear of St. John's Parish Centre (just off St. John's car park) offering support during a crisis pregnancy to anyone affected by the crisis. Opening hours : Monday to Friday : 11 am to 2 pm, Friday nights :7 pm to 9 pm. Saturday : 3 pm to 5 pm. Tel: 066 7127355 or 1850 622626.

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### Accord Counselling and Pre-Marriage Course Service

If you can't talk to each other, try talking to us. Accord offers a wide range of counselling services at our Tralee Centre. We also offer approved Pre-Marriage Courses. For further details contact us on 066-7122280 or [www.accordtralee.ie](http://www.accordtralee.ie).

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### Living with Suicide

As part of their *Life's Journey Series* Lough Derg offers a one day workshop titled 'Living with Suicide' on Wednesday 25th September. This day is for adults who have been affected by suicide, either through personal loss or with suicidal ideation, for those working in support services or ministering to the suicide bereaved.

Info: Maureen ,Lough Derg Office, Pettigo, Co Donegal (071) 9861518 or email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

### Mass in Community Centre

This weekend we have the last Mass for the Community Centre and a *sincere thanks* to all who facilitated this Mass. Last Mass in the Church reverts to 11.00am for next weekend.

### Pattern Day.

As Pattern Day is fast approaching there will be a meeting of Our Lady's Well and Grotto Committee on Thursday next, 29th August at 8.00pm in The Grotto Car Park to ensure that all goes well on September 8th. This will be a huge weekend for the Parish with our new Bishop and the celebration of the Golden Jubilee of Bouleenshere N.S. and the publication of its fantastic booklet . *We urgently appeal for more stewards to help out.* Please hand in your name to the Presbytery or any of the Grotto Committee. *The success of this Historical Day is due to the dedicated volunteers down through the years. Please help out.*

### *Just a Thought ~*

*Teach me to Listen*

*Let me sit at Thy feet and listen  
As they did so long ago.  
But I am always busy, Lord,  
And the world does press me so.  
When problems overwhelm me  
And there is so much to do,  
I cannot pause to listen  
As You would want me to.  
When foolish tensions fill my day  
Teach me, Lord, to pause and pray  
And let frustrations slip away;  
May I hear and then obey.  
Let me sit at Thy feet and listen...*

*~ Margaret L. White*