

MASS INTENTIONS 9TH MARCH - 15TH MARCH 2020 ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL:

Mon 6.15pm	Morning Mass Mon - Sat 10.30am Kathleen O'Brien, Ardshanavooley Theresa MacSharry, Ardshanavooley Bridget Cronin PJ & Ellen O'Shea, Cleeney Jack & Abbie Casey, Knockragh Ted O'Riordan, Woodlawn Con Lynch, Woodlawn Patrick Twomey, Port Road
Tues 6.15pm	Peter Arciszewski, Poland
Wed 6.15pm	Bridget & John O'Sullivan & their daughter Bridget & Sons, David & Timmy & wife Chris & Son in law Timothy, Knocknahoe & John Michael O'Rourke
Thur 6.15pm	Tess Carroll, Marian Terrace (1st Anniversary)
Fri 6.15pm	Pat Morris, Rockfield, Tralee Road (1st Anniversary)
Sat 6.15pm	Kathleen Griffin, Coolcorcoran (1st Anniversary) Pat & Nora Guerin, O'Sullivan's Place Sonny Pigott, Bellville Grove & Daniel O'Riordan, Hogan's Lane John Horgan, Woodlawn Road James & Rita Mulligan, Kenmare Road, Muckross
Sun 8.00am	Jerry McCarthy, Ballycasheen
Sun 10.30am	Donie Tangney, 119 Ballyspillane (1st Anniversary)
Sun 12noon	Peggy O'Shea, Pike Hill & Falshea House, Tralee Road

CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION: **Morning Mass Mon—Sat 9.30am**

Mon 9.30 am	The Deceased Members of the Ferris Family
Tues 9.30 am	Jimmy Murphy, 46 Park Drive
Wed 9.30 am	Paddy Foley, Cahirciveen
Thur 9.30am	Jerry Cronin, Knocknaskeha
Fri 9.30am	Kathleen Shine, 18 Park Drive, (1st Anniversary) & her husband Dan Shine
Sat 9.30am	Catherine Dineen, Minish
Sun 11.00am	Sheila O'Keefe, Lissivigeen

CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT MUCKROSS

Sun 9.30am No Intention

DEATHS: Please Pray for ...

David Nash, "Nashville" Tralee Road, & Scarteen, Blackwater, Kenmare

1ST ANNIVERSARIES:... Patrick (Paud) Murphy, Clasheen
Tess Carroll, Marian Terrace
Kathleen Shine, Park Drive
Pat Morris, Rockfield

BAPTISMS: Welcome to

Lucy Noen Kennedy, Rockfield, Tralee Road
Alfie Cole Stack, Pairc Chummin, Kilcummin

TOMORROW'S PARISH? - HAVE YOUR SAY! The Diocese of Kerry invites you to share your thoughts on the future of parish. Everyone is invited to a meeting in **Dromhall Hotel, Muckcross Road, Killarney on Tuesday March 10th @ 8pm** to explore how tomorrow's parish can thrive, given the changing society in which we live. As the number of priests in parish ministry decrease, parishes face many challenges: how will funerals be celebrated in the future, who will support children presenting for first holy communion, who will offer pastoral care and support to the sick and the housebound over the coming years, will churches close and who will support couples wishing to marry in church? Similar meetings will be held throughout the diocese as the first stage of a planning process being undertaken to map out a diocesan response to today's needs.

THE PERMANENT DIACONATE: The Diocese of Kerry is seeking candidates who feel they may have a calling to be permanent deacons. The diocese already has six deacons. The hope is to begin a "come and see" programme next autumn. Information leaflets on the permanent diaconate are available in the church. Any interested candidates should establish contact via a local priest or the diocesan office (admin@dioceseofkerry.ie) as soon as possible.

ECUMENICAL LENTEN BIBLE STUDY jointly led by Fr Liam McCarthy OFM and Archdeacon Simon J Lumby at the Killarney Friary's Prayer Room each Friday in Lent at 4pm until 5pm. All are welcome to come to this study which is entitled *Caring for the Garden of the Earth*. An excellent topic at this time when we are called by Roman Catholic, Orthodox and Anglican Church Leaders to the urgent need to focus on the role of the church and of all people in the efforts to curb climate change

TIM MOORE MEMORIAL QUIZ: Annual Table quiz on Thurs 12th March at 7.30pm in The Gleneagle Hotel. Teams of 4 from all over the region will take part. All funds raised are used for The Irish Pilgrimage Trust to bring Children with special needs to Lourdes at Easter.

MUCKROSS ICA GUILD A meeting will be held on Mon 9th March in Loughguitane National School @7-45pm, new members welcome.

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER "MAGICAL" By Ben Quinlan in the Franciscan Friary- Proceeds from this concert will be donated to help the Homeless Shelters to families in Kerry. Tickets can be purchased at the Friary Office or with Ben on mobile 089 4201823. Fri 13th March at 7pm - Tickets Adults €20, Students €15 & Children €10

SHEP Introduction to Personal Development Course starting on Wed 11th March 7-9.30 pm in the Presentation Brothers Group room Port Rd. The course is FREE. To book Ph: Deirdre on 087- 7728089.

KILLARNEY BRANCH KERRY HOSPICE, AGM @ Killarney Heights Hotel on Wed 11th Mar at 8pm, Enquiries to Pat Doolan 085 1543514

STATION MASSES

Wed week March 18th for Woodlawn Rd, Woodlawn Pk, Woodlawn Drive, Dromhall Pk, Deireadh Coille, Femdale Ave, Hawthorn Ave, Glenview Drive, Ashgrove, Woodlawn Ave, Woodhaven, Brooklawn, Oakwood & Riverside Drive at **7.30pm in the Parish Centre, Church of the Resurrection, Park Road**

Thurs week March 19th at 7.30pm for Main St, High St, New St, Plunkett St, College St, College Square, Green Lawn, Beech Road, Dennehy's Road & Fair Hill at **St. Clares House, Beech Road**

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 **FASTING & ALMSGIVING**. The following might be helpful for your own private prayer and reflection, as well as a focus in our Masses for the time ahead.

2ND WEEK OF LENT: FOCUSING ON FASTING & ALMSGIVING

Mon: Fast from unkindness

Tues: Fast from jealousy - love the giftedness of others

Wed: Fast with Jesus who is compassion and love

Thurs: Fast from judging others - go the extra mile today for someone

Fri: Fast in solidarity with those who never have enough to eat

Sat: Fast and remember all you have received from God

Stations of the Cross in St. Mary's Cathedral Wed and Fri 5.50pm

TROCAIRE BOXES: available in the Churches this weekend as we endeavour to support the developing world over Lent. Please take one, and go to www.trocaire.org to find out more about their work.

PROTECTING OURSELVES FROM THE CORONA VIRUS: In this time of great concern, let us pray for countries, communities, families and individuals affected by it. But we all need to play our part to be prudent, without panic. Following guidelines of best practice you will notice already that Holy Water fonts are empty, there is no handshake at the Sign of Peace, and receiving Holy Communion is by the Host only and not by the chalice (for those who are coeliac or have a gluten intolerance there are low gluten hosts available). Please be aware that our altar society members, Church cleaners, sacristans, Eucharistic Ministers and priests are also being extra vigilant in their duties to ensure best practice. But we also ask for your own best practice too - at Communion time we ask you to follow best advice and to receive Holy Communion on your hands only; kindly ensure your own hand hygiene; and if you have a concern regarding your own health or regarding recent travels then please seek medical advice.

BINGO IN ST MARY'S PARISH HALL: every Thurs at 9pm

CORK AUTISM CONFERENCE 2020 Sunday October 11th, Clayton Silversprings Hotel, Cork. Visit: www.autismcork.ie or call 089 239 8900