

## MASS INTENTIONS 21ST DECEMBER - 27TH DECEMBER 2020 ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL:

### Morning Mass Mon - Sat 10.30am

<b>Mon 6.15pm</b>	Jacinta Bowler Cordner, Fossa (1st Anniversary) Myra O'Connor, New Street Mary Elizabeth (Betty) Murphy, Monastery Gardens Kathleen McCarthy, Ardshanavooly The Deceased members of the O'Sullivan family, Mullen, Scartaglin Tom & Sheila Looney, Gortdromakerry, Muckross Mary, Jimmy & Michael Sheehan, Marian Terrace Colman & Christine Kelliher, High Street David Price, New Jersey & Florida, USA Molly O'Connor & Eily Doherty Mary Burns & Mr & Mrs Coffey, Flemings Lane The Deceased Members of the Courtney Family, High Street
<b>Tues 6.15pm</b>	Christy & Peggy Quilligan, Ballyspillane Kathleen Hardy & her Husband George & Son Georgie & Grandson Lee
<b>Wed 6.15pm</b>	Bridie & Jerry Brosnan & their Son Donal Brosnan, "Shehy House", New Street

### **THUR CHRISTMAS EVE - 4PM. 6.15PM, 8PM, 10PM & 12 MIDNIGHT FRI CHRISTMAS DAY - 8AM, 10.30AM, 12NOON THESE MASSES CAN BE VIEWED ONLINE**

<b>Sat 6.15pm</b>	Tom Murphy, St. Brendan's Terrace Martin Griffin and the Deceased Member of the Griffin & Brennan Families, Dalton's Avenue Jerry O'Leary, Emmett's Terrace, Lewis Road Shane O'Donoghue, Chicago & Killarney Cathy O'Connor, O'Kelly's Villas
<b>Sun 8.00am</b>	Denis O'Leary, Rockfield, Kilcummin
<b>Sun 10.30am</b>	Linda Eviston, Dromkerry, Fossa, Sean Eviston, New Street & Jerry O'Leary, Emmett's Terrace, Lewis Rd
<b>Sun 12noon</b>	James O'Connor, "Ardross", Ross Road

### CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION:

#### Morning Mass Mon—Sat 9.30am

<b>Mon 9.30 am</b>	No Intention
<b>Tues 9.30 am</b>	Victor & Mary Sparling, Park Road
<b>Wed 9.30 am</b>	Mary & Michael Fleming & their infant son & Granddaughter Majella
<b>Thur 9.30am</b>	Special Intention
<b>Thur 24th</b>	<b>Christmas Eve</b>
<b>Fri 25th</b>	<b>Christmas Day</b>
<b>Sat 9.30am</b>	The Doherty Family
<b>Sun 11.00am</b>	Jerry & Margaret Coffey and their Son Donal Coffey, Tullig, Spa

### CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT MUCKROSS

#### **Thur 24th Christmas Eve & Fri 25th Christmas Morning**

<b>Sun 9.30am</b>	Sarah & Peter O'Connor, Spiddal, Co. Galway
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### **DEATHS: PLEASE PRAY FOR ...**

Sr Scholastica Scanlon, Presentation Convent & Ballagh, West Limerick  
Bridget Touratsos (Née O'Toole) Late of Allman's Tce & Kentucky USA  
Gerry Doyle, New York, Glenna Cottage & Marian Terrace

**1ST ANNIVERSARIES:...** Sean O'Callaghan, Countess Road  
Jacinta Bowler Cordner, Lackabane Village, Fossa

**BAPTISMS: Welcome .....** Conor Patrick Baker, Cahernane Meadows  
Patrick Thomas Quilligan, Ballyspillane  
Sienna Jordan, Ballaugh Cross  
Quinn Patricia Murphy, Woodlawn Road  
Stanislaw Plocieniak, Bruach na hAbhainn  
Amelia Robyn Boyall, Bridgefield, Upper Lewis Road

**CHRISTMAS MASSES:** As you know from last week's newsletter we have to comply with government and diocesan regulations for congregations at Mass, and so we have had to introduce a ticket system for Masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. Like you, we too are disappointed to have to restrict numbers as we celebrate the Lord's Nativity. **All our tickets are now gone. If you have tickets you do not now need, please return them to the Parish Office on Monday. If you are looking for tickets for Mass, contact the Parish Office Mon or Tue to see if any are returned (The Office will only be open Mon & Tue).**

We have an obligation to comply with regulations, and so if you do not have a ticket for Mass on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day, then we ask you to pray via Mass on Radio Kerry, on RTE or join us for one of the Masses online from the Cathedral where we have a webcam:  
**Cathedral Christmas Eve Masses online: 4pm, 6.15pm, 8pm, 10pm 12 midnight, Cathedral Christmas Day Masses 8am, 10.30am, 12 noon (again, admission by ticket only).**

- We ask for **your understanding** if it happens that you will not be able to attend Mass in person as you would so dearly wish.
- Please join us for **Mass online** for Christmas Eve or Christmas Day, and please gather with us for **Mass on Christmas week and during the Christmas season** to have your opportunity to receive Holy Communion over Christmas.
- **Give your family crib a place of priority** in your home this Christmas, and **visit the crib in the Church** as a family during Advent and Christmas.
- We ask for the help of our Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, and especially stewards (to comply with regulations) – **if you can help as a steward** please contact the Parish Office Mon or Tue.

**CHRISTMAS CONFESSIONS:** Availing of Confessions is challenging at the moment for people. We will have an extended focus on Penance at Masses this weekend and encourage you to avail of individual Confessions after Christmas time. **Confessions in the Friary:** Mon & Wed 10.30-12.30, 3-5pm, Thurs 10.30—12.30. **Confessions in the Cathedral** Thurs 11-1pm (in the Baptisty)

**PARISH OFFICE:** will be closed from Wed the 23rd to Mon 4th Jan.

### **SVP SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL KILLARNEY -**

Christmas Appeal by returning the SVP (Blue) Envelope to SVP, Ozanam House, Green Lawn (off New Street) Killarney. Contact: (064)6634012

**GIANNA CARE KERRY:** Gianna Care Kerry supports expectant mothers and their babies. Donated items can be dropped into the parish office at St. Mary's Cathedral, Killarney. If you know of someone or are

experiencing an unplanned pregnancy please contact us on our 24hr help line 1800 1111 41 www.giannacare.ie

### KILLARNEY PARISH SILVER CIRCLE - Week 10 Results

**1st Prize €500: David Doyle, Iron Mills**

Seller: Maisie O'Sullivan

**2nd Prize €250: Fr Padraig Walsh, Tralee**

Seller: Parish Office

### Winners of €100 each are as follows:

Seán O'Mahony, Park Road  
Jack McGuire, Bricin, High Street  
John & Maria Clifton, The Demesne, Ross Rd  
Gerry Flynn, St. Mary's Terrace  
Michael & Chris Horan, Coolies, Muckcross

Seller: Danny Ferris  
Seller: Eileen O'Connor  
Rd Seller: John Clifton  
Seller: Tadhg Fleming  
Seller: S O'Donoghue

### Winners of €75 each are as follows:

Mike O'Grady, Chestnut Grove, The Park  
Jackie O'Sullivan, Woodlawn Park  
Mary Dowling, Rathgar, Dublin 6  
Der Brosnan, Tralee Road  
The Kiely Family, St. Margaret's Road  
Catherine Gleeson, Loreto Road  
Jim Doyle, O'Connell's Terrace  
Claire Falvey, Tullig Beg, Killorglin

Seller: Pa MacGillcudry  
Seller: Bridie Cronin  
Seller: Tadhg Fleming  
Seller: Donal Casey  
Seller: Parish Office  
Seller: Jim Gleeson  
Seller: Mary O'Keefe  
Seller: Maria Falvey

**Congratulations to all winners, and thanks to all who supported, promoted and sponsored the draw this year.**

This week's prize money is sponsored by:

**C.B.C. Distributors, Fairview Guesthouse, Torc Candles,  
& Joe O'Shea Electrical**

### CHRISTMAS MASS STEWARDS

Anyone who has volunteered to usher at our Christmas Eve & Christmas Day Masses are invited to a meeting this Sunday at **6pm n the Church of the Resurrection** for stewards at the Church of the Resurrection Masses and **on Monday next at 7pm after Mass in the Cathedral** for stewards at the Cathedral Masses and Muckcross Masses.

**CHRISTMAS DUES ENVELOPES** for the support of the priests of the parish—there is an envelope in your family box of envelopes, and there are extra ones at the doors of the Churches. These can be returned at Mass, to the sacristies, to the parish office or to the collection box at the sacred space in the Cathedral. Thanks for your generosity.

**SAMARITANS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS COLLECTION** on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. Anyone unable to attend church services who wishes to make a donation, can do so online: [www.samaritans.ie/kerry](http://www.samaritans.ie/kerry)

**MARY CULLOTY O'SULLIVAN** will be singing Christmas Songs after 6.15pm Mass on Tuesday 22nd December. The performance will be available to view on Killarney Parish Webcam.

**DIOCESE OF KERRY YOUTH VIRTUAL CHOIR** celebrate Christmas singing 'Immanuel'. It is available for viewing on [www.dioceseofkerry.ie](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie). Well done to all involved in this.

### **DO YOU WANT TO GROW CLOSER TO YOUR MOTHER MARY?**

Join a group of women growing together in faith and friendship from January 4th for 90days. Fiat 90 is a 90-day spiritual retreat for women with prayer, fasting and other challenges to help us grow closer to Jesus