

## KILLARNEY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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### MASS INTENTIONS 27TH FEBRUARY - 5TH MARCH 2023

#### ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

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

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| <b>Mon</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Margaret O'Shea. Ardschanavooley (Months Mind)<br>Teresa Markiewicz, Poland<br>Ian & Mary O'Leary, Countess Road<br>Kathleen O'Shea, Hazelwood Drive & Ballyspillane<br>Sr Redempta Twomey, Main Street, Killarney & Wicklow<br>Bridget Bustin, Arbutus Grove<br>Micheál O'Sullivan, Woodlawn   |
| <b>Tues</b> | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Michael, Anne & Baby Richard Dowling, "Dunmore",<br>Ross Road & Deceased Members of the Dowling & Quann<br>Families   |
| <b>Wed</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Bridget & John O'Sullivan, Knocknahoe & their Families in<br>Killarney & Boston   |
| <b>Thur</b> | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Michael Barry, Coolies, Muckross  |
| <b>Fri</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | <b>Confirmations—No 10.30am and No 6.15pm Mass</b>  |
| <b>Sat</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Teresa Cahillane, Scrahan Mews & late of Fossa<br>(Months Mind)<br>Kathleen O'Leary, The Park<br>Mairead Casey, Mangerton View<br>Patrick & Julie Doyle and Deceased Family Members,<br>O'Kelly's Villas<br>Mai & Jack Finnegan, St. Brendan's Place<br>Joan Huber & Family & her Father John Kelly,<br>Coolcushlough<br>Peg O'Leary, Woodlawn Park<br>Christina Sheahan, High Street<br>Donal & Maura O'Riordan, Clasheen & their Daughter<br>Pauline Carey (Née O'Riordan), Currans<br>Jerry McCarthy, Ballycasheen |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>8.00am</b>  | Paul O'Connor, Kings Park, Muckross Road & Formerly<br>New Road   |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>10.30am</b> |   |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>12noon</b>  | Peggy O' Shea, Pike Hill & "Falshea House", Tralee Road   |

#### CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

##### **Morning Mass Mon—Sat 9.30am**

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| <b>Mon</b>  | <b>9.30 am</b> | James (Benny) Clifford, Hazelwood Drive & Margaret &<br>Michael Leahy, Woodlawn and Noreen & Paddy O'Driscoll,<br>Cobh<br>No Intention |
| <b>Tues</b> | <b>9.30 am</b> | Paddy Leahy, Marian Terrace  |
| <b>Wed</b>  | <b>9.30 am</b> | Michael, Hannah , Sean & Joe Cooper  |
| <b>Thur</b> | <b>9.30am</b>  | No Intention   |
| <b>Fri</b>  | <b>9.30am</b>  | Hannah Mary McKenna (Née Ferris), Park Road  |
| <b>Sat</b>  | <b>9.30am</b>  | Betty O'Donovan, Park Drive & her twin brother Eugene<br>Buckley, Bishopstown, Cork  |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>11.00am</b> |  |

#### CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, MUCKROSS

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| <b>Sun</b> | <b>9.30am</b> | Anthony O'Donoghue |
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**RECENT DEATHS:** Tom Cronin, Ballydowney & Late of High Street  
Eileen Lanham (Née Kevins) , Spain & Late of Ards, Fossa, Killarney  
Sean Lynch , London & Formerly of Eden Villa, Sheheree

### 1ST ANNIVERSARY: *We remember:*

Christine O'Brien, Woodlawn Road  
Esther Kally, Arbutus Grove

### BAPTISMS ...We Welcome;

Freya Elisa O'Sullivan Murray, Park Drive  
Olivia Lelia Walsh, Alto Vista, Loreto Road  
Laurence Phebya, Ballyoughrath, Killarney Road, Milltown  
Fionn Noel O'Shea, Maple Leaf, Coolcaslagh Upper

#### **Confirmations in St Mary's Cathedral**

**Friday March 3rd** Holy Cross Mercy N.S., Presentation Monastery N.S.,  
Loughquittane N.S., Lissivigeen N.S. Scoil Bhríde Loreto N.S. **11.00am**

St. Oliver's N.S. , Tiernaboul N.S. & Gaelscoil Faithleann N.S. **2.30pm**

Please hold the children, their families, and their school communities in your  
prayers as they make their final preparations for the Sacrament.  
**On Fri there will not be 10.30am or 6.15pm Masses unfortunately**

**SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER:** Meeting will take place on Friday 3rd of  
March (1st Friday) Mass at 10.00am . New Members also welcome.

**THE COMMUNAL FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS** will take place on the  
4th March at 8.45 am in the Church of the Resurrection Killarney, Devotions will  
begin with the Fatima intentions followed by the Rosary and the celebration of  
Mass at 9.30am. **All will be done with the intention of saving souls and making  
reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, thus fulfilling Our Lady's  
request to the Laity to pray for peace.**

**THE ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR EMIGRANT SERVICES** will take place  
on Sat & Sun March 11th/12th this year. The funds raised in churches all over  
Ireland allows the Irish Church to offer essential support to those organisations  
providing pastoral, practical outreach to the most marginalised and vulnerable  
groups of Irish people living abroad, many of whom are living lives of quiet  
desperation.

#### **OFFERTORY COLLECTION ENVELOPES**

Now available from the Parish Office. We would greatly appreciate if the contact  
people could call to collect and 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. Many thanks for your continued support.

**RAINBOWS:** is pleased to be in a position to offer children who have  
experienced loss through bereavement the opportunity to participate in the  
Rainbow 9 week programme. There are places available in the groups for children  
aged between 9 and 12 years. If you would like your child to attend Rainbows or  
for more info contact 087 2932598.

**COUNTRESS BRIDGE 100TH YEAR ANNIVERSARY**, in honour of all those  
who died on the Countess Bridge, Mass will be celebrated at the Church of the  
Resurrection on Saturday 4th of March at 2pm. All Welcome.

**THE KILLARNEY /SOUTH KERRY BRANCH OF THE IRISH CANCER  
SOCIETY** Daffodil Day Coffee Morning is being held on Friday 3rd March at  
The Towers Hotel Killarney from 10.30am to 12.30pm. All Welcome.

### 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 being Confirmed this year

Sat: We pray for those needing Compassion and Mercy

Some Prayer Ideas for Lent: Many make an extra commitment to gather for Mass  
during Lent. Mass each day during Lent online and on the parish radio Mon to Sat  
10 30am & 6.15pm, and weekends Sat 6.15pm, Sun 8am, 10.30am & 12noon.  
We have a Lenten sacred space in the Cathedral that you are welcome to visit, and  
as always we encourage you to pray the Stations of the Cross in the Churches or at  
home during Lent.

**Trócaire Boxes are available in our Churches & we ask that you take one to  
your home as we support those in the developing world this Lent.**

**KNOCK SHRINE:** Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 20th March  
2023. €599.00 per person sharing. Price includes return bus to Knock, 4 nights' in  
Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions  
included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton  
Centre & National Museum. Single supplement €100.00. Contact Patricia on 087  
1890 236 or email [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com).

**AFFORDABLE LIVE-IN HOMECARE** provide live in carers for the elderly in  
your area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for your relative, please call Eileen  
or Tom today on 087 9916791. Our website is [www.alhomedcare.ie](http://www.alhomedcare.ie)

**FALL PREVENTION PILATES FOR SENIORS-** levels - Beginner,  
Intermediate, Chair and Balance. Tuesdays 11am and 12pm, Thursdays 10am and  
11am, Fridays 8pm- in Sport Complex - Killarney. Contact Jola 0872832370

**HEARTBEAT** welcomes back Pharmacist Owen Daly to talk about medications.  
Do you know what each medication you are taking is for? Are you taking the  
correct doses and at the right times? Owen is with us to answer any queries you  
may have on this important subject. Tuesday February 28th 8pm at the Parish  
Centre near the Church of the Resurrection. All are welcome. **Masks are essential.**

**KILLARNEY RAMBLING HOUSE** on Friday the 3rd of March at 8p.m at the  
Old Killarney Inn - in Aghadoe V93 NW52 - Entry €5 - All Welcome

**PARISH OFFICE** closed on Friday the 3rd of March due to Confirmations in the  
Parish.

**SECOND COLLECTION** this weekend in aid of Killarney Parish Debt Fund.  
Your support is greatly appreciated.