St Mary's Church



## Fifth Sunday of Lent

St Patrick, Bishop, Principal Patron of Ireland

16th-17th March 2024

## For emergencies only please 'phone: During the week

Fr Brendan Walsh (087) 791 3271 Fr Pat Crean-Lynch (087) 2200114 Fr Jerry Keane (087) 2844649

From 1pm Sunday –9am Monday this weekend only

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## Anniversaries

John Flahive, Nora Hanlon Michael & Kathleen Hanlon Mass intentions for this weekend

Saturday Vigil... Bridie Murphy (1st ann)

Sunday Mass..... (St. Patrick's Day) Philomena, Jeremiah &

Julianne Leen & Mary Nyland Mass intentions for the coming week.

Michael & Kathleen Hanlon Tue....7.00pm

Thur...7.00pm No Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

7.30pm No Mass... (Confirmation in Causeway)

Fri.... 7.00pm Michael Leen (1<sup>st</sup> ann) Sat.... 8.00pm Donal & Noreen Leane Sun...10.00am Maurice, Annie & Ellie Harty

The Offertory Collection € 941.65 was lodged to Parish a/c. Thank you for your continuing support of our Parish. You may continue to hand in your Parish Envelopes to the Post office and we thank the Post Office for continuing to provide this facility to us. Their assistance is greatly appreciated.

Address: Chapel Rd., Ballyheigue, Tralee Co Kerry Eircode: V92 HY57

Live streaming of masses on: www.dioceseofkerry.ie-Parishes - Ballyheigue –click on picture of the Church.

Under GDPR, the recording of Requiem/Funeral Masses, is a decision for the next-of-kin of the deceased and must be requested via the undertaker. The undertaker will make the family aware of this.

Church Open: 11am –4.30pm Tuesday to Sunday

The Parish Office is open in the Presbytery, 9.40am-1.00pm Wednesday & Thursday mornings (closed on Holy Days). All bookings for Masses, Baptisms and Weddings to go through the Parish office Mass cards also available. Email: ballyheigue@dioceseofkerry.ie Telephone (066) 7133110.

**Baptisms:** 2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month.

## We welcome into our Parish Community our newly Baptised in February

Saibh Kate Pierce, Marian Park Michael Jay Ouirke, Tralee Elsie James, Ocean View Daniel Anthony & Kerry Anna Brash, Hong Kong Conall James White, Tiershanahan

May they grow in knowledge and wisdom and the grace of God.

Recovery Haven Kerry (Cancer Support House) will host a FREE Lymphoedema Awareness Talk with UHK Physiotherapists Mary Hickey & Keira O'Brien on Wednesday March 27th at 7.00pm. Lymphoedema can often be associated with cancer and cancer treatment. It will help you learn about the condition and get expert advice on how to manage and treat symptoms. Info or to book your place contact us on (066) 7192122 or email: reception@recoveryhavekerry.com

*Confessions for Easter*: Tuesday next 19<sup>th</sup> March, 6.40 to 6.55pm and before Mass on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March.

The Diocesan Collection for Emigrant Services will be taken up at all Masses this weekend 16th /17th March. A basket is available beside the Offertory Collection containers. Thank you.

All Married Couples are invited for a special blessing at the Vigil Mass at 8pm on Saturday 6th April. It is not confined to significant wedding anniversaries and there is no need to register, just come along on the night.

Ballyheigue Community Centre - Better Balance Better Bones. This programme tailored to over 55's is aimed to improve one's strength and balance. The programme is facilitated by Baile Mhuire Day Care Centre Tralee, MTU and the HSE. Booking is essential as limited places are available. Classes beginning Tuesday March 12th 2:45pm – 3:45pm at Ballyheigue Community Centre. Call or text Sharon on (085) 2537742.

40 Hour Adoration for Vocations to the Priesthood will be held in St Brigid's Chapel, Church of the Resurrection Killarney. Commencing Thursday at 5.00pm 21st March and finishing with 9.30 Holy Mass on the Saturday 23rd. All parish groups and individuals invited to sign up to cover the hours. Contact number to register (087) 6884124.

The Legion of Mary in the Diocese are having their annual Consecration to Our Blessed Lady on Sunday March 24th at 3p.m. It will be held at the Prince of Peace Church in Fossa. All are welcome to attend.

'You will never reach your destination if you stop and throw stones at every dog that barks.' (Winston Churchill)