



Local Priest: Fr. Jim Lenihan, P.P. **PARISH OFFICE:** Closed Mon 29th April
Parish Office: St. Agatha's Parish Centre, Headford, Killarney. V93 X0C2.
Office Hours : Mon/Tues 10am - 3pm to book Masses, Baptisms, Weddings.
Email: glenflesk@dioceseofkerry.ie **Phone:** 064 7754008 **Mobile:** 087 108 1588.
GBC Radio: 98.6fm for all Masses from Glenflesk Church.

Masses: Saturday 27th April to Sunday 5th May

St. Agatha's, Glenflesk:

Saturday 27th	6.00pm	Eileen O'Donoghue, Loughguittane (Anni) Youth Mass
Thursday 2nd	9.30am	Special Intention
Saturday 4th	6.00pm	Denis O'Donoghue, Coracow (Anni) Margaret Morris (1st Anni) & her husband Tom (2nd Anni), Brewsterfield.

Our Lady of the Wayside, Clonkeen:

Sunday 28th	9.30am	Thomas & Julia Fitzgerald, Derryreague, Clonkeen (Anni)
Sunday 5th	9.30am	Jack & Mary Lynch & Joan & Pat Hayes, Derrymaclavode (Anni)

Sacred Heart, Barraduff:

Sunday 28th	11.00am	Tommie Smith, Lisbabe, John & Nora Riordan, Annaghmore, their daughters Nora Molly & Agnes Kelly (who died in London in March), their sons Pa & Johnny Riordan & their son-in-law Joe Kelly.
Friday 3rd	7.30pm	Theresa Brigid O'Connor, Artigallivan & Doocarrig (Anni)
Sunday 5th	11.00am	Mass

PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND: Fr. Jim Lenihan 087 1081588
PRIEST ON DUTY WEEKDAYS: Monday Fr. Kieran O'Brien 087 6501998
 Tuesday to Friday Fr. Jim Lenihan 087 1081588

NOTICES

COLLECTIONS: **Offertory:** €980. **Diocesan Collection:** (Peter's Pence) €385.90.
ADORATION: Every Monday in the Sacred Heart Church from 10 am to 1 p.m.
St. Agathas 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and Our Lady of the Wayside 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE: Closed on Monday 29th . Open as usual on Tuesday from 10am to 3pm. For Mass bookings or parish enquiries email glenflesk@dioceseofkerry.ie.
PRAYERS & SYMPATHY: to the family of Julia Buckley, Gortdearg (mother to Kathleen Culloty, Annaghmore) whose funeral took place in Shrone on Thursday. May Julia rest in peace.

FIRST SATURDAY: The First Saturday devotion will be included with the vigil Mass 4th May. Leaflets are available to join in the prayers. The rosary will be said before Mass as usual.

GROTTO ROSARY: The rosary will be recited at Knockanes grotto at 7pm for the month of May. Come and join us each evening.

PRAYER VOLUNTEERS: The Legion of Mary are looking for prayer volunteers. These prayers include daily rosary and 2 other short prayers (no need to say an extra rosary if you are already reciting one). The prayers are offered to Our Blessed Mother to help in her role of mothering. Contact Patricia 0879048659.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING AUDIT: The Diocesan Safeguarding Committee would like to thank all Parish Safeguarding Representatives, Priests, and Parish Secretaries for taking the time to complete the annual parish safeguarding audit. The results from the audit are included in the most recent safeguarding newsletter which is available on the diocesan website. It is particularly encouraging to see the increased number of youth-based ministries that are back up and running across the diocese. A special thank you to all involved in establishing these ministries.

DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION REMINDER: Retreat this year at Our Lady's and St Brendan's Tralee on Friday 31st May 2024. Presenters: Fr. Jim Lenihan/ Deacon Thady O'Connor. Mass Celebrant Bishop Ray. See Poster on notice board for details. Bookings: Margaret 087 297 6304: Breda 0876742306.

POOR CLARES in Carlow invite women from age 22 to 40 years for a cuppa and a chat to find out more about our life. Contact us before the event poorclaresvoc@gmail.com Saturday 4th May from 2.30 to 4.30pm.

A NOTE FROM FR JIM.....

Thank God our weather has improved. For myself I was delighted to get out to my garden for the first time this week. I was pruning and weeding. It's hard work but I know that this deadwood and these weeds are going to suck the life from my vegetables and herbs and prevents them from reaching their full potential. How fitting our Gospel passage this weekend is when it tells us that the Father is the gardener and He prunes us of anything which prevents us from becoming the best versions of ourselves. Bishop Barron in this week's homily suggests certain things in our lives that have to go. 1. Unforgiveness 2. Secularism and laziness to spiritual things. 3. Pornography. 4. Avarice (Over desire for money and material things) 5. Gossiping. See Glenflesk Facebook page for the link for his full sermon.