

Castletownbere/Rossmacowen/Bere Island Parish Newsletter

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27th Sunday in Ordinary time. 6th October 2024.

Priest on Emergency Duty for Beara & Kenmare.

Please pray for all those who died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

Sacred Heart Church Castletownbere

Saturday	5 th Oct	6.30pm	John, Maurice & Dermot Cronin and deceased members of the Cronin & Kelly family.
Sunday	6 th Oct	12.00pm	Private Intention
Tuesday	8 th Oct	7.30pm	Missa Pro Populo
Wednesday	9 th Oct	10.00am 10.30am	Mass of Thanksgiving. Eucharistic Adoration
Thursday	10 th Oct	10.00am	Private Intention
Friday	11 th Oct	7.30pm	Private Intention
Saturday	12 th Oct	6.30pm	Joseph McLaughlin, Months mind.
Sunday	13 th Oct	12.00pm	Michael & Shiela Murphy, Bayview House and Michael McCarthy, Oakmount.

Confessions at Sacred Heart Church Every Sat at 12:00 noon.

St Bartholomew's Church Rossmacowen

Sunday	6 th Oct	10:00am	Mary & Edward O'Keefe, James & Agnes O'Sullivan and deceased members of their families.
Sunday	13 th Oct	10.00am	

St Michaels Church Bere Island

Mass Live on Bere Island Community Radio 100.1fm

Sunday	6 th Oct.	10.00am	Ted & Kathleen Harrington and deceased family members, Derrycreveen.
Sunday	13 th Oct	10.00am	Pat Spillane and his son Jerry Spillane.

Parish Office: (located at left side of church) Tues., Wed. & Thurs. 10.00am to 1pm.

Mass Cards are for sale in the Parish office, **Diary 2025** is available in the parish office (70288) if you wish to book Masses. All town Masses streamed live.

Access the streaming <https://mcn.live/Camera/church-of-the-sacred-heart-1>

*Weekly envelopes can be placed in the Black Box at the back of the Church.

* Eucharistic Adoration. Wednesday at 10.30am -11.30am Main Church. All welcome

Ministers of the Eucharist	12/13 Oct.	Trish Orpen, Mary Dudley & Joan Murphy.
Readers	12/13 Oct	Maria Lowney & Anne Harrington.
Altar Servers	13 Oct...	Óisín Turnes Bowles, Nancy & Liam Sheehan & Robyn Kelly.

Week 1.	Week 2.
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Week 2. 12/13 th Oct. Week 1, 19/20 th Oct. Week 2 26/27 oct.	

*Pope Francis has issued a call for a special day of fasting and prayer on October 7, urging the faithful to unite in prayer for peace.

The Pope made his appeal on October 2 as concluded his homily at the Mass opening the Synod on Synodality. He said that he would recite the Rosary "to invoke the intercession of Mary Most Holy for the gift of peace," on the previous day—Sunday, October 6—at the basilica of St. Mary Major, and asked Synod participants to join him in that prayer. October 7 is also the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, which is also celebrated as the feast of Our Lady of Victory,

*** The Diocese of Kerry** invites applications from suitably qualified persons for the following position: **Diocesan Advisor for Post-Primary Religious Education.**

*Join us on **Thursday Oct 17th @ 7.30pm** to hear Sr Anne Carbon, Columban sister, speak to this year's theme for Mission Sunday October 20th: **Go invite everyone to the banquet. (Mt 22:9).**

*Blood donation clinic in Bantry on the 10th of October in The Maritime Hotel. The blood supply is currently low and with a high demand for blood from our hospitals nationally, it is imperative that we continue to maintain the blood supply. 2.30pm to 9pm. Call. 1800731137

Reflection.

Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore them to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us. Amen.

God Bless.

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