

Castletownbere/Rossmacowen/Bere Island Parish Newsletter

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Please pray for all those who died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace. Pray for Martina O'Connor, her Anniversary 25th July.

Sacred Heart Church Castletownbere

Saturday	26 th July	6.30pm	Joseph McLaughlin. 1 st Anniversary
Sunday	27 th July	12.00pm	Mary Cronin Anniversary Mass
Tuesday	29 th July	7.00pm	
Wednesday	30 th July	10.00am 10.30am	Joan McNulty, Anniversary Mass. Eucharistic Adoration
Thursday	31 st July	10.00am	9 th Anniversary of James O'Sullivan, Seaview Bar.
Friday	1 st Aug.	7.30pm	Graveyard Mass. St. Mary's, Droum
Saturday	2 nd Aug.	6.30pm	Connie Murphy, Anniversary Mass.
Sunday	3 rd Aug.	12.00pm	Fisherman's Mass.

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

St Bartholomew's Church Rossmacowen

Sunday	27 th July	10:00am	Johnny Harrington, Gour, 1 st Anniversary.
Sunday	3 rd Aug.	10.00am	James C. Harrington, James P. Harrington, Curraduff.

St Michaels Church Bere Island

Mass Live on Bere Island Community Radio 100.1fm

Sunday	27 th July	10.00am	John Sullivan, Eugenie.
Sunday	3 rd Aug.	10.00am	Sullivan Ceartan Family, Nealie & Delia Murphy, Ardagh. Donal Harrington, 10 th Anniversary, Ballinakilla.

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	2/3 rd Aug	Mary Murphy, Oakmount. Mary Dudley & Joan Murphy
Readers	2/3 rd Aug	Mary Harrington & Noel Forde.
Altar Servers	3 rd Aug.	Luke O'Neill, Conor Lynch & Molly & Lily O'Sullivan

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

27th July 2025

Priest on Emergency Duty for Beara & Kenmare. Fr. Amos Ruto 0871085431

Week 1.	Week 2.
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Week 1 26/27 th July. Week 2 2/3 rd Aug. Week 1. 9/10 th August.	

* Tuesday **Mass at 7.00pm main church & Prayer Gathering at 7.30 pm** in the nun's Chapel, all are welcome.

* **Dates for Graveyard Masses.** St. Mary's Droum Cemetery, Friday 1st August 7.30pm.
 St Michael's Bere Island Graveyard Mass, Sunday 10th August 10.00am.
 St. Bartholomew's, Rossmacowen. Friday 29th August. 7.30pm.

Jubilee Pilgrim Place. Built in 1950 for the Holy Year and celebrating its 75th anniversary this year, in 2025, there is an annual pilgrimage to and Mass at St. Michael's Cross Bere Island, on the Saturday of the August Bank Holiday. Mass at 2.30pm. Celebrated this year with Bishop Ray Browne.

We will have a cup of tea after 12 o'clock Mass on Sunday the 10th of August to welcome Fr Amos to our parish. All are welcome.

Would you like to help with a social event in your parish? We are looking for people to form a group to organise and run the tea mornings. If this something you would like to get involved in please give your name to the parish office. Many thanks.

Collectors needed for weekend masses. If you are available to help out please hand your name into the parish office. Thank you.

Bantry Memory Café. The free café hopes to provide a warm welcoming place for people to meet others also living with dementia/ cognitive impairment, their friends & family as well as health & social care professionals.

Reflection.

When the Lord adds His blessing to your life,
 There's no limit to your success!
 God Bless

Fr. Amos Ruto. 087-1085431