

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2<sup>nd</sup> — 3<sup>nd</sup> August 2025

**Anniversaries** 

John Harrington Bryan Murphy,

Mass intentions for this weekend

Saturday Vigil... Mary Meehan (nee Lucid)

Sunday Mass..... Tom & Mai Griffin & dec members of the

Gleasure & Griffin Families

Mass intentions for the coming week.

Tues..... 7.00pm No Mass in the Church

Wed......6.30pm Kitty Kilmurray (nee Fitzgerald), Scotland

L/O Heirhill.

Thurs .... 7.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:30pm Thomas & James Enright (25<sup>th</sup> ann)

Friday... 7.00pm Nora Hussey (died recently in England)

Sat..... 8.00pm Michael & John Michael Moloney & dec

members of the Moloney & Reidy families

Sun..... 10.00am Kitty & Willie Flahive

Offertory Collection € 966.91 Thank you for your support and generosity to our Parish. You may continue to hand in your Parish envelopes to the Post Office, and we thank the Post Office for providing this facility to us. Their assistance is greatly appreciated.

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From 1pm Sunday –9am Monday this weekend only Fr Sean Hanafin (087) 8341083

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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) for all bookings for Masses, Baptisms and Weddings. Mass cards also available. Email: <a href="mailto:ballyheigue@dioceseofkerry.ie">ballyheigue@dioceseofkerry.ie</a> phone number (066) 7133110 (office hours)

**Baptisms:** 2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month. **Confessions:** Available upon request before mass.

Greed --Todays readings caution us about greed and the hold possessions exercise over the human heart. Greed and meanness are not confined to the wealthy but the most common of human failings and all of us can become victims of them in our struggle to earn our daily bread. They spell disaster for us and blind us as to where true values lie. Happiness does not come from having what we want, but being content with what we have. ~ Fr Gerard

<u>Diocesan Collection for the Pastoral Centre, Killarney</u> will be taken up at this weekend's masses. The John Paul II Pastoral centre acts as a focal point for the catechetical and adult faith education programmes of the diocese and supports Primary and Post Primary Religious Education. Baskets will be at available at both exits.

<u>National Novena to Our Lady of Knock</u> takes place from August 13<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup>, with daily ceremonies at 3pm and 8pm in Knock Basilica. Daily workshops take place at 12;45pm and themed guided prayer sessions will be available in Knock prayer centre.

The 3rd Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Saturday the 23rd of August 2025. Please note the date and consider taking part in this special time of prayer and reflection at Ireland's National Marian Shrine. Please check with your Pastoral Area regarding buses. May our prayer be "To Jesus through Mary" Please pray for the safety of all pilgrims who travel.

Tuesday Evening Mass Until further notice there will be no Mass in the church on Tuesday evenings. Thank you for your understanding.

We welcome into our faith community the newly baptised in July
Callie Sheehan, Ballyheigue
Éabha Belle Fahey, Causeway
May they grow in knowledge & love & the grace of God

## The Parable of the Rich Fool

Then he said, "Beware! Guard against every kind of greed. Life is not measured by how much you own." Luke 12:15 (NLT)

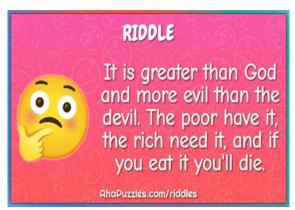
Based on Luke 12:13-21



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GOOD	CROP	WATCH	GRAIN	MERRY	
RICH	FOOL	DIVIDE	GROUND	DRINK	
STORE	EAT	BIGGER	LIFE	GREED	
JUDGE	CROWD	THINGS	BARNS	GUARD	

Seanfhocaíl: An t-airgead is a lorg a chaillean an t-anam.



Answer: Nothing

The Jubilee Prayer 2025

Father in heaven,
may the faith you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
reawaken in us the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.
May the flame of charity enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within
both humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth.
Then, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.
To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

Pope Francis.