

BALLYBUNION PARISH NEWSLETTER
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PARISH OFFICE: entrance via the presbytery
OPEN: MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY FROM 10 A.M. TO 1 P.M.
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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH IS FITTED WITH A LOOP SYSTEM

Saturday 27th September: 7 p.m.: Michael Bunyan, Mike McMahon and Deceased Members of the McMahon Family, Kitty Rowan (100th Birthday Remembrance) and Joan Kennelly, Patsy Fogarty and Kevin Harkin and Deceased Members of the Fogarty Family, Tom Corridon and Deceased Members of the Corridan Family

Sunday 28th September: 11.30 a.m.: Mary Holly (Months Mind), Annie Molloy, Hannah Hannon, James Jimmy Kissane (2nd Anniversary)

ANNIVERSARIES: Mary Holly (Months Mind), Annie Molloy, Hannah Hannon, James Jimmy Kissane (2nd Anniversary), Michael Bunyan, Mike McMahon and Deceased Members of the McMahon Family, Kitty Rowan (100th Birthday Remembrance) and Joan Kennelly, Patsy Fogarty and Kevin Harkin and Deceased Members of the Fogarty Family, Donal Holly, Mary and Leslie Buckle, Tom Corridon and Deceased Members of the Corridan Family

NATIONAL BOARD OF SAFEGUARDING ART COMPETITION: for children up to 18 years. Competition runs from 1st to 30th September. See poster at the rear of the church.

RECONNECTING FOR SERVICES DAY 2025: Listowel arms Hotel 9th October from 10 to 2 p.m. Free event. Booking essential: 0877794765 **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Monday 8.45 to 9.45 a.m.

BALLYBUNION COMMUNITY ALERT: Collection will take place next weekend on 27th/28th September. An open meeting will be held in Ballybunion Community Centre on Thursday 9th October at 7.30 p.m.

All welcome to attend. Our local Superintendent, local Seargent and Gardai will be in attendance. Local Representatives have been invited to attend. Diarmuid Cronin of Muintir na Tire will attend.

MEDIATION SESSIONS start on Mondays at 7.30 p.m. in Ballybunion Community Centre from Monday 29th September. All are welcome. Contact Grainne: 087 9762862

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF: Pamela Pennington nee Asregado who has died in England Funeral arrangements later.

PRIEST ON DUTY: Sunday 28th September: Fr. Sean Hanafin Ballybunion: 087 8341083

REMEMBERING NICAEA: This year marks the 1700th anniversary of the Council of Nicaea when Christians came together against a backdrop of controversy and created a statement of faith to summarise their beliefs in Jesus Christ. It was expanded by the Constantinople council several decades later and has been affirmed by followers of Jesus ever since. Christian congregations across UK and Ireland are warmly invited to participate in REMEMBERING NICAEA ON

SUNDAY 5TH OCTOBER 2025 WITHIN THEIR OWN Sunday service in whatever way they feel is appropriate. **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** 9th May 2026. Enrolment will take place at the Vigil Mass on Saturday 27th September 2025.

BALLYBUNION ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP resumes on Wednesday 1st October in the Old Convent Doon Road at 2 p.m. Day trips, theatre and Dining, creative writing, speakers, yoga. New Members welcome.

ENVELOPES: weekly envelopes can be handed into the Parish Office, or payment can be made by electronic bank transfer to Account: Ballybunion Church IBAN: IE66BOFI90578228898502

Monday 29th September: Mary and Leslie Buckle,

Wednesday 1st October 11 a.m.: Funeral Mass with Interment of Ashes for the late Jimmy and Teresa (Keane) Dodds, late of Church Road and England

Friday 3rd October: 10 a.m.: STATION MASS : Marian Crescent, Doon Road, Doon east /West, Cliff Road

Saturday 4th October: 7 p.m.: Timmy and Annie Diggin and Deceased Members of the Diggin Family, Tom O'Connor Glouria and Lahardane,

Sunday 5th October: 11.30 a.m.: Marian Mulvihill, Batty Lynch Craughdarrig and Deceased Members of the Lynch Family, Tom and Delia McEligott Craughdarrig