



Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary

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6th – 7th September 2025

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Anniversaries

John Martin O'Halloran William (Willie) Leen

Mass intentions for this weekend

Saturday Vigil... Patrick & Mary O'Neill, Patrick Jr, Con & Marian Canty

Sunday Mass..... John Joe, Hannagh & Sonny O'Sullivan & Teresa O'Sullivan Foley

Mass intentions for the coming week.

Mon.....9.00am Pre-Pattern Mass at Church

11.00am Mass at Our Lady's Well & Grotto

Tues..... 7.00pm Margaret & Brendan Dunne & Henry McCormack

Thurs 7.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7.30pm Michael, Catherine & Patrick Dineen & Tom & Esther Falvey

Friday... 7.00pm Mary, Michael & Margaret Griffin.
John O'Halloran

Sat..... 8.00pm Marie & John Drew

Sun..... 10.00am Joan Griffin

Address: Chapel Rd., Ballyheigue, Tralee Co Kerry Eircode: V92 HY57

All scheduled masses are streamed live on:

www.dioceseofkerry.ie-Parishes - Ballyheigue –click on picture of the Church.

Under GDPR, the recording and live streaming of Requiem/Funeral Masses, is a decision for the next-of-kin of the deceased and signed permission must be received by the parish via the undertaker. The undertaker will make the family aware of this.

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: ballyheigue@dioceseofkerry.ie phone number (066) 7133110 (office hours)

Baptisms: 2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month.

Confessions: Available upon request before mass.

Offertory Collection €922.10. 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.

Peace with Creation.

"Glance at the sun. See the moon and stars. Gaze at the beauty of Earth's greenings. Now think what delight God gives to humankind. But we are to work with it. For without it we cannot survive". (Hildegard of Bingen)
Creator God, you gave us responsibility for the earth, a world of riches and delight. Create in us a desire to live sustainably, so that those who follow may enjoy the fruits of creation. ~ Fr Gerard

Diocesan Collection for Diocesan needs will be taken up this weekend. This collection helps fund many of the diocesan services. Collection baskets are available at exits of the church.

Autumn Collection. The autumn collection for the Priests of our Pastoral area is due in the orange envelope marked 7th Sept. Thank you all for your continuing support.

Blessing of School Bags. All Students are invited to bring their empty school bags to mass Sunday, 14th Sept. Bags can be placed before the altar to receive a special blessing

Poetry Book 'Breaking Cover' by Mick Joyce, Doon, will be launched in the White Sands Hotel on Friday 12th September at 8pm. All proceeds from the launch will benefit St Vincent de Paul Ballyheigue. Come and share your support.

Indoor short mat bowls beginning Friday September 12th, from 5pm – 7pm. All Welcome for further information contact Ballyheigue Community Centre (066) 7133837

The Ballyheigue active retired Ladies' group are returning on Wed 10th Sept. at Ballyheigue Family Resource Centre at 10.30am. This is a busy group with many classes, outings and courses during the year. This year we'll be kicking off with an ageing well course. This group is excited to welcome new members, and anybody can turn up on the day.

The Pattern Thresher Festival To celebrate the Pattern and to bring tourists and visitors together. This event will take place this Sunday night, the eve of Our Lady's birthday, in the White Sands Hotel, starting at 8pm with a presentation of aspects of our heritage by young performers. You are welcome to come and enjoy the spirit of the famous Pattern with us.

Season of Creation AIR

This week we reflect on the breath of life and the Spirit who moves through creation. There are several prayer cards available in front of the altar for you to take in an invitation to pause, breathe, pray and thank God for the very air we breathe.

Reflection (1Cor.10:16-17)

One bread One body,
One Lord of all,
One cup of blessing which we bless.
And we, though many, throughout the earth,
We are one body in this One Lord.

Pattern Day

We look forward to our annual Pattern Day Mass at Our Lady's Well and Grotto Monday 8th Sept. Mass begins at 11am and will be celebrated by Bishop Ray Browne. We welcome all of you, especially those of you who are joining us as Pilgrims of Hope in this Jubilee year. We will be joined this year as usual by the walking group from Tralee who will leave at 6.30am from The Dominican Church, arriving just before the Mass
Our huge thanks to all the volunteers, stewards, choir members, readers, Eucharist Ministers and Gardaí.

Stewards are asked to be at the Grotto at 9am. We would ask motorists to please leave the Grotto car park for the very elderly and disabled. We pray that our devotion to Mary will bring many graces and favours to our community for the coming year.

Seanfhocail: Ní bhíonn an rath, ach mara mbíonn an smacht. There is no prosperity unless there is discipline.



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