

PRIOR PARISH



BALLINSKELLIGS,  
PORTMAGEE & THE GLEN

NEWSLETTER



*Recently Deceased*  
*John (Johnny) O Connor, Waterville, Kerry*  
*May his soul Rest in Peace.*

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Fri 12 <sup>th</sup> Sept	The Glen	7.30pm	
Sat 13 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Fossa Portmagee	1.00pm 7.30pm	<b>Marriage</b> Charles & Nora O'Shea & deceased members of the Devane & O'Shea Families.
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Caherdaniel Ballinskelligs	09.30am 11.30am	Des & Margaret Farrington Teresa O'Sullivan (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv)
Tue 16 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Knightstown	9.30am	
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Ballinskelligs	7.00pm	Recording mass for RTE to be shown on Thursday, Sept 18 <sup>th</sup> @ 10.30am
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Portmagee	7.30pm	
Sat 20 <sup>th</sup> Sept	The Glen	7.30pm	
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Aghatubrid Ballinskelligs	10.00am 11.30am	Sonny Fitzgerald

**Rota for Readers & Eucharistic Ministers**  
**Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Portmagee - **Reader** – Mary Kennedy, **Eucharistic Minister** – Julie O'Connell  
**Sat 20<sup>th</sup> Sept** - The Glen – **Reader** – Amy O'Connell **Eucharistic Minister** – Margaret Brennan  
**Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Sept** – Ballinskelligs – **Reader** – Rebecca O'Shea - **Eucharistic Ministers** – Phil Gibbons & Catherine Curran - **Collector** – Mike O'Connor

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## Rest

It takes enormous strength to carry our burdens.  
But we cannot underestimate the strength it takes to admit when they have become too heavy.  
Surrender is not weakness.  
It is knowing when enough is enough.  
It is feeling and honouring what you have and have not been called to bear.  
Show yourself the same grace that in a fraction of a heartbeat, you would extend to someone else.  
The last thing we need is a world full of people who are barely hanging on.  
Find some shelter and stay for as long as your soul requires it.  
This journey was not meant to be taken without setting your bags down and stopping to rest for a while.

*You do not write your life with words.  
You write it with actions.  
What you think is not important.  
It is only important what you do.*