



KILGARVAN PARISH, CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK.

Parish Office number 087 436 4140 / Email: kilgarvan@dioceseofkerry.ie Office hours: Monday and Friday 10am – 1pm

Kilgarvan Parish is served by the priests of the Kenmare Pastoral Area

Fr. Niall Howard, Fr. George Hayes, Fr. Liam O'Brien and Fr. Seán Murphy

Sat. 6th December – Intention:

6pm

Jim McGrath – Slaughts

Margaret Horgan – Coolnacuppogue (Month's Mind)

Michael O'Leary – Ardtully

Pat & Maggie Healy – Railway Road

Mon. 8th December – Holy Day of Obligation

6pm

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Intention: People of the Parish

Wed, 10th December - Eucharistic Adoration Only

6.15pm

Sat. 13th December – Intention:

6pm

Danny O'Sullivan-Down & Deceased Members of the O'Sullivan-Down family Gortloughera

Danny, Jimmy Healy & Deceased Member of the Healy Family - Uct

Ida Quill (1st Anniversary) & Frank Quill - Gortloughera

Denis & Helen O'Sullivan - Ardtully

Sunday Duty this weekend: Fr. George Hayes (087) 122 6888

Parish Office: Office hours Monday and Friday from 10am to 1pm.

Adoration: Spend an hour with Jesus; Holy Rosary, Divine Mercy and Hymns, every Wednesdays at 6:15pm for an hour.

Confessions for Advent: Please note that there will be Confessions after every Saturday Mass during Advent. Let us celebrate the power of God's mercy in our lives and live God's mercy in our world.

Please pray for the Soul of Deirdre Kelleher Coolnoohill, who died during the week. We sympathise with her family and friends. May she Rest in Peace.

Calendar for Sale: 2026 calendars for sale, cost €12. All proceeds going to Fr. Sylvester to help him bring Our Lady of Knock statue to his country of Sri Lanka

to build a grotto. All images taken locally Kilgarvan, Kenmare, Bonane and Killarney. For more information contact Melissa 087-133 6866. They will be for sale after Mass next Saturday Dec 13th in the Church porches.

Primary School Survey is taking place until the 16th of December online. All parents/guardians both of children in Primary schools, and of children who have not yet started Primary school, have a vote. We encourage them to vote; it is about their preference for our schools and ethos. Let us treasure our Catholic school ethos and voice that in the survey. www.gov.ie/en/departments-of-education/campaigns/primary-school-survey

Reflection

"Let us pray with one heart and one soul – Lord come to our aid, grant us peace, teach us peace, guide our steps in the way of peace. Open our eyes and our hearts and give us the courage to say: Never again war.' Lord Hear Us."

Community Notices

Kilgarvan Review: Kilgarvan Review 2026 is on sale in local shops – Healy-Rae Mace, Quills Food Store, Also in Kenmare, Maureen's Supermarket, Super Value, Mac's Service Station & O'Connor's Bookshop. Cost €7.

Christmas in Kilgarvan: will be on Saturday 6th of December, starting at 7:00 pm, sponsored by Kilgarvan Show. The Roughty Valley Vintage Club will be present with their vehicles lit up with Christmas lights. The Christmas lights will be turned on at 7:00 pm indoors, at Healy Rae Bar Lounge. Hot chocolate, mulled wine, sweets and treats can be had, also music on the night by DJ Amy Kelleher. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. All free, so why not come along and enjoy a fun evening.

Kilgarvan Christmas Market at the Michael J. Quill Centre 13th and 14th December 2025 from 11am to 5pm. Support local crafters, artisans, and food producers. Entry is free, making it an accessible way for everyone to support small local businesses while soaking up the festive Christmas spirit.



