

Dingle Parish
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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pray for Maureen Buckley, The Grove.
Máire Uí Ráighne (née Long), Indreabhán, Co na Gaillimhe agus Fán, Ceann Trá; **Bríd Brady, (née O'Connor)** Dublin and late of Emlagh, Doonshean. Suaimhneas síoraí dá n-anamacha.

St Mary's Church, Dingle.
Sat 17ú 6.15pm 1. James and Peig Griffin, Ballinana. 2. John and Josie Eade, Goats Street and Benners Hotel.

Sun 18ú 11.30am Olivia O'Connor, Marian Park.

Mon 19ú 10.00am Sa Díseart.

Tues 20ú – Wed 21ú 10.00am No Mass

Thurs 22ú 10.00am No Mass

Fri 23ú 6.15pm John, Evelyn and Kieran Bambury, Bridge Street.

Sat 24ú 6.15pm 1. Jack Farrell, Green Street. 1ú CB. 2. Michelle O'Sullivan, Minard East. 3. John and Kathleen Lynch, Upper Main Street. 4. Special Intention.

5. Nellie, Tommy and Jack Evans, Minard East. 6. Eileen and Jim Sheeran, Garfinez and their son Jim.

Sun 25ú 11.30am Jean Sheehy, Cooleen.

Confessions: St Mary's Church, Dingle Fridays after 6.15pm Mass.

Rotas: Next Weekend: Euch Mins:
6.15pm Maura Flahive, Blandina O'Connor and Ann Moriarty O'Connor. **11.30am:** Ann O'Connor and James Devane. **Readers:**
6.15pm Breandán Fitzgerald. **11.30am:** Tommy McCarthy. **Cleaners Team 3.**

Naomh Caitlín, Fionn Trá
Sat 17ú 7.30in Intinn Príobháideach.

Naomh Eoin Baiste, Lios Póil
Domh 25ú 10.00am Paddy Noel McKenna, Ardmore, Lispole.

Rota: Min Eoc: Máiréad Uí Ghairbhí.
Léitheoir: Pádraig Ó Conchúir.

Thought for the Day: In John's Gospel, the first thing that any human being says of Jesus is found on the lips of John the Baptist: Look, there is the Lamb of God. We think naturally and correctly of the Passover lamb and of the Passover, the feast which marks the liberation of Israel. To be set free is a wonderful experience and we could reflect on how I experience my freedom in Christ. From what have I been set free? (For example, fear of death, the risk of absurdity, sins and false directions in life...) Even more important, for what have I been set free? **Prayer:** Jesus, Lamb of God, help me to recognise whatever in me is holding me back from life in abundance: give me your life, your forgiveness, your healing. In you, I put my trust. Amen. (Fr Kieran O'Mahony)

Offertory Collections: €2,066.00
Míle buíochas. **Diocesan Collection for the Needs of the Holy Land** will be taken up this weekend **January 17th/18th** as a second collection after communion.

Ranganna Oíche – Eanáir 2026
Grianghrafnadóireacht; Spanish; Iodáilis; Gearmáinís, Fraincís; Gaeilge; Mindful Movement, First Aid; Pilates agus Safe Pass. €150 for 8 weeks. Teagháil: 087 7951743.

For anyone interested in studying theology **The Loyola Institute** are holding an online information session, Tuesday, February 10th. More information and registration <https://www.tcd.ie/loyola-institute/> or email loyola@tcd.ie

The **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** wish to thank all who contributed to their annual collection. Go gcuíti Dia go fíal libh.

Gluten Free hosts are available from the Priest at Communion.

Priest on duty this Sunday:
Fr Eamon Mulvihill 066-7139145.

Work has begun this week on the **Refurbishment of St Mary's Church, Dingle**. The work will involve replacing the roof lights (glass) in the body of the Church and over the Altar. The Bell tower will be re-roofed, and about one eighth of the roof copper including the copper guttering will be replaced. It is hoped that the work will stop the leaks that have become an increasing reality in recent years. During the work we will have access to part of the church at weekends only. The work is scheduled to be complete by mid-May 2026. Requiem Masses will take place in either St John the Baptist Church, Lispole or Séipéal Naomh Caitlín, Fionn Trá during these months. Mass on Friday evenings and Saturday and Sunday will be held in the Church. The cost of this phase of work is in the region of €1.5million. "It is through the generosity of the people of the parish and the careful stewardship by the Finance Committees over time that the work is possible. We thank you for your patience during this time.

Pope Leo XIV on X: My thoughts turn to the situation currently unfolding in the Middle East, especially in Iran and Syria, where ongoing tensions continue to claim many lives. I hope and pray that dialogue and peace may be patiently nurtured in pursuit of the common good of the whole of society.

The Pope's Intention for January: For Prayer with the Word of God. Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope in our communities, helping us to build a more fraternal and missionary Church.

Tap to Donate terminals are located at the back of St Mary's Church. Machines are programmed to donate €5 to the Parish each time they are used.

Parish Office at the Presbytery, Dingle.
Office Hours: Tuesday: 9.30am – 12.30pm.
Wednesday: 9.30am – 12.30pm.
Thursday: 9.30am – 12.30pm.
Parish Office: Tel. **066 9151208.**
Christmas Crib Appeal 2025 - Crib donations will go to the Cara Project in Kenya. Five students from Pobalscoil Chorca Dhuibhne, will be going to Kenya early in the new year to work in an Orphanage there. **Received to date:** €825.

Beannú/Blessing of St Carlo Acutis Shrine will take place in St Vincent's Church, Baile an Fheirtéaraigh, Tuesday January 20th. The programme will include Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament **12.00 – 6.15pm**. Confessions **5.00 – 6.15pm**. Blessing with St Carlo Acutis Relics **5.00 – 6.50pm**. Anointing of the Sick **6.15pm**. Mass and Blessing of the Shrine **7.00pm**.

Bunscoil an Chlochair, Dingle is now taking enrolment for 2026/2027. Clárú ar siúl anois don scoilbhliain 2026-2027. Contact the school on 066-9151154 or email bscd01@gmail.com

Scoil Naomh Eoin Baiste, Lios Póil Clárú ar siúl anois don scoilbhliain 2026-2027. Enrolling now for 2026-2027 school year. Sonrái Teangmhála: 066 9157408 nó R-phost scoilnaomheoinbaiste@gmail.com

Comhghairdeas le foireann peile na Gaeltachta a bhuaigh Cluiche Ceannais Craobh Idirmeánach na hÉireann an Domhnach seo caite.

Gach rath agus beannacht ar fhoireann Peile Dhaingean Uí Chúis a thabharfaidh aghaidh ar Naomh Bríd, Átha Luain, Co. Ros Comáin sa Chluiche Ceannais Sinsearach an Domhnach seo i bPáirc an Chrócaigh ag 3.40in. Go n-éirí go geal libh.

Prayer: Father, grant us in all our tasks your help, in all our doubts your guidance and in all our weaknesses your strength. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.