



## Second Sunday in Ordinary

## Time

17<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> January 2026

## Death

James (Jimmy) Cooley, Chapel Road

## Anniversaries

Mai O'Connor

## Mass intentions for this weekend

Saturday Vigil... Mary, Tom, Thomas & Denise O'Halloran & dec.  
Members of the Leen Family

Sunday Mass..... Frankie Cantillon

## Mass intentions for the coming week.

Tues..... 7.00pm Patrick & Catherine Heaney, John Joe & TJ Lynch,  
Hugh, Mary & Joe Collins & dec members of the  
Heaney families.

Marie Brophy

Thurs..... 7.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thurs 7.30pm Denis Enright &amp; Dan Curran

Fri..... 7.00pm John &amp; Kitty Higgins

Mary, Hugh &amp; Joe Collins

Sat ..... 8.00pm Annie & David Bowler & dec members of the  
Bowler families.

Tim &amp; John Harrington &amp; Grandparents

Sun..... 10.00am Marie Reidy Gleeson

Norrie Keane &amp; Mai O'Conner (nee Keane)

For emergencies only please 'phone: During the week  
Fr Gerard Finucane (087) 0554874

Fr Jerry Keane (087) 2844649

Fr Pat Crean Lynch (087) 2200114

From 1pm Sunday – 9am Monday this weekend only

Fr Sean Hanafin (087) 8341083

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

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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](mailto:ballyheigue@dioceseofkerry.ie)  
mobile; (087) 4083927

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

Confessions: Available upon request before mass

Offertory Collection €1,141.34 Thank you for your  
support to our Parish, you may continue to hand in  
Parish envelopes to the Post Office, and we thank the  
Post Office for providing this facility to us. Their  
assistance is greatly appreciated.

## Pointing the finger.

John the Baptist utilises the action of pointing, to point out the Saviour of the World. We can learn from him the attitude to point out  
to others, in order to notice the good and noble deeds of others. Pointing to others ought not to be a medium of accusation and  
denunciation rather it must be a means of appreciation and admiration. Let us become people of true acknowledgement and not  
wasteful blaming, of honest encouragement and not critical judgment. ~ Fr. GerardPlease note new contact number for the Parish Office, St Mary's Church  
Ballyheigue, this is for office use only, therefore will only be answered  
during office hours. 087 4083927 Parish office will open between 9:30am  
& 1pm Wed & Thurs.Basket Collection will resume in the church during the Offertory. Please  
note the usual containers will be at the end of the church for those who  
prefer to contribute in this way. Baskets will be passed from the top of the  
church to the bottom; we would be grateful to anyone willing to bring the  
basket to the altar afterwards. Thanks very much to all our parishioners.Diocesan Collection for the Needs of the Holy Land will take place this  
weekend 17<sup>th</sup> -18<sup>th</sup> January. This collection provides aid to Christian  
communities in the Holy Land to help them continue to live there. Baskets  
are provided at both exits of the church.Questions about God and Jesus? About the synodal reform of the  
Church? Why not consider studying some theology? Join us online at 6pm  
on Tuesday 10th February for an information session, and to hear from  
some of our students. See our website to register [www.tcd.ie/loyola-](http://www.tcd.ie/loyola-institute/)  
[institute/](http://www.tcd.ie/loyola-institute/) or email [loyola@tcd.ie](mailto:loyola@tcd.ie)Listowel Community and Family Resource Centre 068 23584 have a few  
events coming up starting next week focused on supporting parents, these  
talks are open to all who care for children; These talks are free to attend  
but prebooking is essential. Phone 068 23584 & see parish notice board  
for more details.

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