

## KILLARNEY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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### MASS INTENTION 16TH FEB– 22ND FEB 2026

#### ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

#### **Morning Mass Mon - Sat 10.30am**

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| <b>Mon</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Áine Fleming, Pinewood Estate (1st Anniversary)<br>The Godson Family<br>Marie O'Connor, Woodlawn Park<br>Tim, Sheila & Denis O'Sullivan, "Avoca House"<br>Millwood<br>Sheila McElligott, Ballydowney   |
| <b>Tues</b> | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Máire Burns, Lewis Road (1st Anniversary) &<br>Abbie O'Donoghue, New Street  |
| <b>Wed</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | <b>Ash Wednesday</b>   |
| <b>Thur</b> | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Molly O'Sullivan, O'Kelly's Villas   |
| <b>Fri</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Jimmy O'Donoghue, Gortdromakerrie  |
| <b>Sat</b>  | <b>6.15pm</b>  | Patrick (Patsy) O'Flaherty, Formerly of O'Sullivan's<br>Place (Months Mind) & Peggy O'Flaherty, Rock Road<br>Louise O'Dowd, Dalton's Avenue & Firies<br>(Months Mind)<br>Derry Horgan, Coolegreane Park<br>Edward & Eileen O'Connor, Dalton's Avenue<br>Michael Kenny, Muckross View his Sister Eileen<br>Kinsella (Née Kenny) Mooncoin, Kilkenny & Formerly<br>of Muckross<br>John C Cooper, College Square<br>Eileen & Pat Carroll, Knocknashkeha<br>Thomas O'Connell, Scrahan Mews<br>Donal O'Doherty, Oakdale, Park Road<br>John McGillicuddy, High Street<br>Noreen Dineen, Whitebridge Manor<br>Nora O'Keeffe, Lissivigeen |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>8.00am</b>  | No Intention   |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>10.30am</b> | Hazel Fleming & Mai Fleming, Ballydribbeen   |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>12noon</b>  | Jerry O'Sullivan, Dunrine & Kilgarvan  |

#### CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

#### **Morning Mass Mon—Sat 9.30am**

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| <b>Mon</b>  | <b>9.30 am</b> | No Intention  |
| <b>Tues</b> | <b>9.30 am</b> | No Intention  |
| <b>Wed</b>  | <b>9.30 am</b> | <b>Ash Wednesday</b>  |
| <b>Thur</b> | <b>9.30am</b>  | John L O'Sullivan" Lisaden" Countess Grove  |
| <b>Fri</b>  | <b>9.30am</b>  | Special Intention   |
| <b>Sat</b>  | <b>9.30am</b>  | Stephen O'Connor, Ardshanavooley  |
| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>11.00am</b> | Amy O'Connor, Whitebridge Manor & her Grandfather<br>Pat O'Connor, Muckross & Spain |

#### CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, MUCKROSS

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| <b>Sun 9.30am</b> | No Intention |
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#### **DEATHS: Please Pray for ...**

Mary Dickinson (Née O'Brien), Ash Close, Ballydribben & Late of  
Pinewood

Mary O'Shea (Née Tangney) High Street & Formerly of Castleisland  
Paddy Courtney, Gortdromakerrie, Muckross  
Sr Kathleen Quinlan, Presentation Convents, Killarney, Tralee & Cork &  
Formerly of Waterville  
Alice O'Sullivan, Mangerton View, Killarney

**1ST ANNIVERSARY, We remember..** Máire Burns, Upper Lewis Road  
Johnny Culloty, O'Sullivan's Place

**BAPTISMS: We Welcome :** Robyn Hannah O'Donoghue, Scartlea  
Joey Caoimhin O'Donoghue, Scartlea  
Jack Noah O'Donoghue, Grosvenor Court, High Street  
Hannah Myra Walsh, The Lodges, Ross Road  
Rian Patrick Carry, Kells, Co. Meath  
Croia Bridget O'Sullivan, Fermoy, Co. Cork  
Elijah Kalonji, College Street  
Samuel Kalonji, College Street

**ST PIO MASS:** Monday 16th February, Church of the Resurrection.  
Rosary at 7.15pm Followed by Mass, Benediction & Blessing with St. Pio  
Glove / Relic.

#### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

**Church of the Resurrection** 5pm - 9pm Tuesdays

**St Mary's Cathedral Wed** 11am – 12.30pm & 2pm – 5.30pm Wednesday

**Muckross** 4pm—6pm Thurs

**Franciscan Friary** 2pm – 7pm Fridays Holy Hour Sundays @ 6pm

#### OFFERTORY COLLECTION ENVELOPES

The Envelopes are now available from the Parish Office. These envelopes  
are a source of income for the parish. **We would greatly appreciate if  
the contact people or volunteers could help with distribution, please  
contact the office to arrange collection of boxes**, to distribute in their  
particular area. If you currently do not use an envelope or are new to the  
Parish and would like to have a box of envelopes, please contact the  
Parish Office and we'll organise that for you. Your contribution to the  
Parish is greatly appreciated. Many thanks for your continued support. .

**KILLARNEY/SOUTH KERRY BRANCH OF THE IRISH CANCER  
SOCIETY** are holding their Annual Coffee Morning on Friday 20th  
February 2026 in the Killarney Towers Hotel from 10.30- 12.00 Guest  
speaker and raffle on the day. Everybody most welcome

**2026 DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE** is on from Friday Feb 27th to  
Sunday March 1st. in RDS Ballsbridge, Dublin. For details contact Mary at  
086 0529008

**KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA** Led by Fr Noel Spring on  
the 11th of May, 6 nights from Shannon to Porto Direct, 4\* half board.  
For Further Information, please contact Barbers Travelnet 021 4851700 or  
[kcallaghan@travelnet.ie](mailto:kcallaghan@travelnet.ie)

**KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:** from the 10th June—  
15th June, from Kerry to Tarbes Direct, Full board for further info, please  
contact Nora 087 931 8976 [Pilgrimage@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:Pilgrimage@dioceseofkerry.ie)

### ASH WEDNESDAY -the Beginning of Lent

This week we are invited to pause and reflect as we enter the Season of  
Lent. On this Wednesday 18th Feb, ashes are placed on our foreheads in  
the sign of the cross to remind us of God's invitation to repent from sin and  
to follow him: "Turn away from sin and be faithful to the Gospel." Ash  
Wednesday is also a day of fast and abstinence.

Masses for Ash Wednesday (with Ashes distributed)

**St Mary's Cathedral 10.30am, 1.10pm Lunchtime Mass & 6.15pm**

**Church of the Resurrection 9.30am**

**TRÓCAIRE BOXES** are available in our Churches & we ask that you take  
one to your home as we support those in the developing world this Lent.

#### **LENTEN CHALLENGE 2026**

Abstaining from alcohol  
Wearing the Pioneer emblem  
Daily prayer

I promise in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus  
to abstain from alcoholic drinks during Lent.

We invite you to pray for people who are living with addiction,  
for their families and for all who are helping them to recovery.  
Your prayers will help them in their life-long challenge.

You are also asked to pray for those all who are in recovery and who  
follow the 12 steps of the AA fellowship one day at a time.

God grant me  
the serenity to accept the things I cannot change,  
the courage to change the things I can,  
and the wisdom to know the difference!

**ANNUAL SOROPTIMISTS PANCAKE MORNING:** on Shrove Tuesday  
17th February 2026 at 10.30a.m in the Killarney Avenue Hotel. Your  
Support is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

**K.W.O.T.E.,** Killarney Women's Organisation for Training and  
Empowerment. Our monthly meeting is on Wednesday 18th February at  
2PM in the Parish Centre next to the Church of the Resurrection  
V93WN32.

**KILLARNEY PARISH CONFIRMATIONS:** Please note that Confirmations  
will be celebrated on Friday the 6th of March, there will be **no 10.30am** or  
**6.15pm** Mass that day. Confirmations at 11.00am for St Oliver's NS,  
Gaelscoil Faithleann NS & Tiernabou NS and 2.30pm Presentation  
Monastery NS, Holy Cross Mercy Ns, Loreto Scoil Bhríde NS,  
Loughquittane NS & Lissivigeen NS.

**BINGO:** at St. Mary's Parish Hall, will be held on Thursdays@ 8.30pm

