



Local Priest: Fr. Jim Lenihan, P.P.

Parish Office: St. Agatha's Parish Centre, Headford, Killarney. V93 X0C2.

Office Hours : Mon/Tues 10am to 3pm to book Masses, Baptisms, Weddings.

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GBC Radio: 98.6fm for all Masses from Glenflesk Church.

Masses: Saturday 27th June to Sunday 5th July

St. Agatha's, Glenflesk:

Saturday 27th 6.00pm Nellie & Jack Moynihan, Garries, their sons Freddie & John, daughter Betty & deceased of the Moynihan family.

Tuesday 30th 7.30pm Mass

Friday 3rd 7.30pm Special Intention

Saturday 4th 6.00pm Lynsday O'Donoghue, Coracow (Anni)

Our Lady of the Wayside, Clonkeen:

Sunday 28th 9.30am Dan & Betty Lucey, their grandson Seán O'Shea & deceased of the Lucey family, Clonkeen & the O'Sullivan family, Abbeydorney.

Sunday 5th 9.30am Mass

Sacred Heart, Barraduff:

Sunday 28th 11.00am Mass

Wednesday 1st 7.30pm Mass

Thursday 2nd 9.30am Mass for the people of the parish.

Sunday 5th 11.00am D.D. Slattery, Carrigeen, Headford & deceased of the Slattery family & the Falvey family, Upper Barraduff. Sonny Dennehy, Cornhill (Anni)

PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND: Fr. Vitalis Barasa 087 6501998

PRIEST ON DUTY WEEKDAYS: Monday Fr. Kieran O'Brien 087 6501998

Tuesday to Friday Fr. Jim Lenihan 087 1081588

NOTICES:

ADORATION: Every Monday in the Sacred Heart Church from 10 am to 1 p.m.

St. Agathas 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and Our Lady of the Wayside 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP: will be on Thursday 2nd July at 3pm in The Church of the Sacred Heart, Barraduff. All are welcome.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS: Saturday 4th July beginning at 5.20pm with 15 minutes meditations followed by the Rosary.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION: 4th/5th July for Sick & Retired priests.

MUCKROSS ABBEY GRAVEYARD MASS: Monday 6th July at 7.30pm.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: Couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary this year are warmly invited to renew their marriage vows at the **6.00pm Vigil Mass in St. Agatha's Church, Glenflesk, on Saturday 1st August**. This invitation is open to all couples celebrating a milestone anniversary, whether they were married in our parish or elsewhere. As the parish is not in a position to know who is celebrating these anniversaries, couples are kindly asked to contact the parish office themselves with their names and anniversary details to ensure they are included in the celebration by Friday 17th July. Please spread the word to family and friends who may wish to take part.

THE LEGION OF MARY: are starting a new MENS GROUP on Wednesday 1st July. We will meet at 7.30 p.m. in St. Bridget's Chapel at the Church of the Resurrection in Park Road. We look forward to welcoming many men to Come and Travel on this new adventure. Information 087 9048659.

BARRADUFF N.S: Church Gate Collection at all three Churches this weekend 27th/28th June. Your support is greatly appreciated.

PART-TIME SCHOOL SECRETARY REQUIRED: Knockanes National School, Headford, Killarney, Co. Kerry is seeking applications for a **Part-Time School Secretary** position. The role involves working mornings in a busy primary school office and requires excellent organisational, communication, and IT skills. Previous administrative experience is desirable. More information available at <https://www.knockanesns.ie/about> Please submit a letter of application and CV to the Chairperson, Knockanes National School, Headford, Killarney, Co. Kerry, V93 HX80. Envelope marked: Secretary Application. Closing Date for applications: Fri 3rd July. Short-listing may apply. Canvassing will disqualify.

A NOTE FROM FR. JIM.....

I was listening to a podcast recently where a man reflected on his faith journey. He recalled asking his father as a young boy, "Dad, am I your number one?" His father smiled and replied, "No son, God is number one for me. Your mother is number two, you boys (he had two brothers) are joint number three". At the time, he was disappointed but as an adult, he came to appreciate his father's wisdom. He realised that by loving God first, his father was loving Love itself. Because God was at the centre of his life, he was able to be a devoted husband and a wonderful father. Putting God first did not lessen his love for his family; it enabled him to love them more deeply and faithfully. So today when you hear Jesus say: 'Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me', don't be offended, it's just spiritual physics. May we, as Christians, resist being shaped by a consumer-driven, overly sentimental understanding of love, and instead spend time at the foot of the Cross, where we learn what true love really is.