



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

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Masses: Saturday 6th to Sunday 14th June

St. Agatha's, Glenflesk:

Saturday 6th	6.00pm	Brian Kelly, Carrigeen, Ironmills (Anni) Pádraig O'Donoghue, Droumnaheere (Anni)
Saturday 13th	6.00pm	Deceased members of the Dennehy family, Artigallivan.

Our Lady of the Wayside, Clonkeen:

Sunday 7th	9.30am	Mass
Sunday 14th	9.30am	Freddy & Margaret Moynihan, Loo Bridge.

Sacred Heart, Barraduff:

Sunday 7th	11.00am	Dan, Margaret, Donie & Pattie Lyne, Annaghmore (Anni)
Wednesday 10th	9.30am	Mass
Thursday 11th	9.30am	Mass
Friday 12th	9.30am	Mass for the Feast of the Sacred Heart
Sunday 14th	11.00am	Jer Kelly, Annaghmore East (Anni)

PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND: Fr. Pádraig Kennelly 083 3541877

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.

KILLAHA GRAVEYARD MASS: Monday 8th June at 7.30pm. All welcome.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION: this weekend 6th/7th June in aid of Peter's Pence.

PRAYERS & SYMPATHY: To the family of Eileen Foley, Eyeries (sister to Kathryn Nagle, Barraduff). May Eileen rest in peace.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA: As we continue to celebrate the visit of Our Blessed Mother in Fatima, we will recite the Rosary on Main Street Killarney at 3 p.m. on Saturday 13th June. We welcome all to come and pray before the Statue of Our Lady, to pray for peace in our world.

ST. AGATHA'S CHURCH: We are seeking helpers with the church cleaning/flowers. If you are available please contact Patricia 087 9048659.

KNOCKANES NS: will run an After Schools Programme starting in September. Our external provider is currently recruiting staff. Interested candidates will be Garda vetted. Childcare qualifications are not essential but experience caring for /working with children is an advantage. Phone +353 (87) 900 4101 details.

RECOVERY HAVEN: will have a drop-in information morning at Kenmare Family Resource Centre on Thursday, June 11th at 10am - 12.30pm. All are welcome.

A NOTE FROM FR. JIM.....

A comedian joked recently that he asked the AI app ChatGPT: 'If you were the devil and maybe you are!! How would you destroy humanity? It said: **1.** Make people distrust everyone and everything - Turn institutions, experts, media, governments, families, and communities against one another. - Make it impossible to agree on basic facts. **2.** Keep people distracted all the time - Fill every spare moment with outrage, entertainment, and noise. - Leave little room for reflection, learning, or meaningful relationships. **3.** Encourage division into hostile tribes - Convince people that anyone who disagrees with them is an enemy. - Reward anger and contempt more than understanding. - **4.** Promote short-term gratification over long-term thinking - Make immediate pleasure, status, and consumption seem more important than character, responsibility, or future consequences. **5.** Destroy hope and purpose - Persuade people that their actions don't matter, that nothing can improve, and that life has no deeper meaning. - People who lose hope often stop building, creating, helping, and caring. It's a humorous take on AI but I feel it also uncovers a lot of truth about the devil's tactics. This Sunday as Catholic Christians, we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi. We celebrate the most incredible miracle the world has ever seen where God not only came among us in the person of Jesus Christ but remains with us in the Eucharist under the appearance of bread and wine. I genuinely believe the Eucharist is God's answer to the attack of the Devil (Diabolos) = slanderer, accuser, one who divides or tears apart relationships through lies, suspicion, and false accusation. Jesus wants to protect us from the evil one by bringing us together in Holy Communion and to restore trust and unity. It draws us away from distraction and noise into prayer and worship. It unites us as one family around the Lord's table. It teaches us self-giving love through Christ's example. And it fills us with hope by nourishing us with His presence and directing our hearts towards eternal life. I believe the evil one is hard at work in our world today. But I also believe that God has given us the remedy and solution to overcome the devil's tactics in the great gift of the Eucharist. So what is your relationship with the Holy Eucharist? I genuinely believe without the Eucharist we're sitting ducks spiritually. The Lord places a choice before us: "I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live." (Deuteronomy 30:19). May we choose life, choose Christ, and choose the Eucharist.