

Annascaul Parish:
(Camp, Inch, Annascaul)
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Diocese of Kerry
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
12th July 2026

We pray for all who died recently and all whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

Masses this Week:

Sacred Heart Church, Annascaul.

Sat 11th July 7.30pm: (1) Mary Greaney, Acres. Anniv and her husband Denny Greaney R.I.P. **(2)** John McCarthy, Pound Road. R.I.P. Month's Mind.

Fri 17th July: No Mass

Sat 18th July 7.30pm: (1) Nora and John Kennedy, Gorticurrane. Anniv. and deceased family members. **(2)** Pádraig Spillane, Ardrinnane. Anniv. **(3)** Johnny McCarthy, Main Street. Anniv, his brother Owen and parents Euge and Peg R.I.P.

St Mary's Church, Camp.

Sat 11th July 6.15pm: (1) Maurice Quirke, Garrahiies. Anniv. **(2)** Gerardine Sayers Reidy, Dublin and Derrymore R.I.P. Recently deceased

Thurs. 16th July 7pm: Cemetery Mass.

St Joseph's Church, Inch

Sun 19th July 10am: Tom and Kate Moriarty, Inch Bridge. Anniv.

Gluten free hosts are available from the Priest at Communion time.

Parish Office: 066 9157103.

Office Hours: Monday: 10am – 1pm
Wednesday: 10am – 1pm:
Friday: 10am – 4pm

Priest on duty this Sunday:
Fr Eoghan Ó Cadhla 087-6951318.

Rotas for next weekend:

Sacred Heart, Annascaul, Sat 18th July

7.30pm: Reader: Donna O'Brien

Euch. Minister: Catherina Rohan:

St Joseph's Inch, Sun 19th July 10am:

Reader: Dudley Morgan

Euch. Minister: Hannah M. O'Connor

Offertory Collection last weekend: €955.
Mile buíochas.

Diocesan Collection in aid of **Sick and Retired Priests** will be taken up as a second collection after Communion **this Sat 11th July in Camp.**

Mass in Camp Cemetery: Thursday 16th July at 7pm.

St. Mary's Church, Camp is celebrating its 200th anniversary this year. Bishop Ray Brown will celebrate Mass in St. Mary's Church on **Friday, July 24th at 7:00 p.m.** Info.brigid.oconnor@yahoo.com

ATU St Angela's College, Sligo is inviting applications for the following programme beginning Autumn 2026: **Part-Time Certificate in Religious Education** for Primary School with Online Delivery. Closing date for Applications is Friday, 14th August 2026. Contact Mary Kearns on E.mary.kearns@atu.ie or www.atu.ie

The **Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place on Saturday, August 22nd, Feast Day of the Queenship of Mary. A bus will be organised (subject to interest). Please contact the Parish Office on 066-9157103 if interested.

Pope's Intention for July: For respect for human life. Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognising it as a gift from God.

Pope Leo XIV on X: Only in the cross of Jesus is evil overcome; only in his passion does our mortal weariness find consolation and redemption. In slavery, Christ is liberation. Amid the scourge of war, Christ is hope. In the hour of sin, Christ is forgiveness.

Thought for the Day: The parable of the sower is told twice, in an original form and in a later, church interpretation. The explanation tends to dominate our reading; but it might be worthwhile allowing the original parable to "speak." It tells of small, even careless, beginnings, the sower scatters all over the place. As we see in nature, tiny seeds have an astonishing, miraculous effect. Go back over your own experience and recall something which began modestly but which in the end grew surprisingly. The reign of God is like that, the modest beginnings of Jesus' own preaching had tremendous effect. **Prayer:** *God of every harvest, it can be hard today to be confident about the Good News and yet we know that it is you who give the growth (1 Cor 3:7). Amen.* (Fr Kieran O'Mahony)

The **Annual National Grandparents Pilgrimage** celebrating the 6th world day for grandparents and the elderly, will take place, Sunday, July 26th at Knock Shrine starting at 2.30pm with the anointing of the sick. A day of grace and blessing for the whole family as we honour grandparents and the elderly. Chief celebrant will be Archbishop Eamon Martin. All welcome. www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org

Naoi gCéad Míle Fáilte to all who are visiting the area or at home on holidays at this time. We hope you enjoy your break!

Youth 2000 Summer Festival will take place in Newbridge, Co. Kildare between 13th – 16th August, for young people aged 16–35! This is a donation-only event, with free buses available across the country and all meals included. Inspiring talks, Youth Mass, workshops, music, prayer, and plenty of opportunities to chill out. All are welcome. To register or find out more, visit youth2000.ie or @Youth2000Ireland.

Prayer to Discover Your Vocation

God our Father, send workers into your harvest. May the Spirit we received in baptism touch the hearts of many to offer themselves in priesthood, religious life and other forms of service. Give the parents and families of our diocese the wisdom and courage to support young people in searching for and following the call of God in their lives, Amen.

COMMUNITY NOTES

Bingo Fundraiser in loving memory of Kathleen O'Connor nee O'Shea R.I.P. at Inch Community Centre (V92HK31) on Thursday 23rd July at 8pm. Doors open at 7pm. All proceeds raised will be donated to the Irish Heart Foundation in Kathleen's memory.

Better Balance Better Bones: Physical Activity Programme that will improve strength and balance in association with Baile Mhuire, Tralee and the HSE. Starting Tuesday July 14th, 10am - 11am (8 Week programme) at Lios Poil Community Centre. Booking is essential. Info.: contact Sharon 085 2537742.

A nonpolitical Community

Demonstration takes to The Streets of Dingle to demonstrate for more staff and services at West Kerry Community Hospital on Saturday, July 18th at 3.30pm, beginning at the hospital. Info.: 087-2890625/086-3892129. Ní neart go cur le chéile!