

Killeentierna Parish (Currow and Currans). Castleisland Pastoral Area

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Currow and St Therese and Colmcille, Currans.

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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

26th July 2026

World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly

Anniversaries & Masses

Saturday	7.30pm	Currans	Nora O'Sullivan, Gurrane.
Sunday	10.00am	Currow	Marie, Seamus & Dan Murphy, Kilsarcon.
Monday	10.00am	Currow	People of the parish.
Tuesday	10.00am	Currow	
Wednesday	7.30pm	Currans	
Friday	6.00pm	Currow	David F. Cahill, Chicago & Dromulton.
Saturday	7.30pm	Currow	Joan & Davy Fitzgerald, Brenda Fitzgerald, Sheila Browne, Sheila Brosnan, Mairead Nolan & Anne Fitzgerald.
Sunday	10.00am	Currans	Jerry & Mary Brosnan & deceased members of the Brosnan family, Inchabee & Kerrisk family, Killeentierna

Please note change of Mass locations beginning next weekend.

Cup of tea after Mass: Call to the parish centre after this mornings Mass for a chat and refreshments.

Frank Duff Prayer meeting will be held Monday 3rd August at 8pm in the parish centre.

Rosary in Currans Church. For Peace, every Wednesday for the month of July at 7.15pm.

Eucharistic Adoration in Currow Parish Centre Tuesday from 1pm to 9pm and in Currans Church Thursday from 6-9pm.

Legion of Mary every Tuesday evening in the Sacristy in Currow Church at 7.30pm.

Offertory Collection amounted to €1,060.00.00. Thanks to all. **Donate Button:** To make a payment or donation go to <https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/parish/killeentierna> and click our donate button. **Killeentierna Parish statement of income & expenditure 2025** is available in both Churches.

Follow us on our new Facebook page Currow/Currans Churches.

Kerry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes fundraiser: Ballymac Vintage Club will hold a car run on Sunday 2nd August beginning at 9am at O'Riadas bar, Ballymac. Run leaves at 11am. All vehicles welcome. Donations on the day with proceeds to St. John of God and Kerry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes.

Embrace the Grace is the title of the Young Adult Catholic Conference (18-40) being held on Saturday 29th August 2026 from 9.30am to 6 p.m. at the Legion of Mary, De Montfort House, Morning Star Avenue, Dublin 7 DO7 VAO3. Tickets are on Eventbrite.ie. The Legion of Mary in Kerry want to sponsor two young unwaged adults to attend. Please contact Patricia 0879048659 for more information.

Youth 2000 Ireland (aged 16 - 35) are currently preparing for their annual Summer Festival which will take place from Thursday 13th – Sunday 16th August in Newbridge College Co. Kildare. This event brings together young people from across the country for a time of prayer, community and encounter with Christ. At the heart of the mission is a deep desire to lead young people closer to the heart of the Church, helping them to grow in faith and to discover their place within the Church. The event operates on a donation basis only, there is no charge for attendance. Five buses will travel to Newbridge, Co. Kildare from across Ireland on Thursday 13th of August and return on Sunday 16th August 2026. A bus will leave Tralee on Thursday morning. Booking is online via the www.youth2000.ie website. *For further information, see www.youth2000.ie*

The 2026 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: Our annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Saturday August 22nd, the Feast Day of the Queenship of Mary. Bus, Breakfast & evening meal €70.00. Bus departing Currow Church at 6.30am. Bus departing Garvey's Supervalu, Castleisland at 7.00am. Contact Fr. Gerard O'Leary on 087 6617549 or Nora Fealy 066 7141241.

Prayer for Grandparents and the Elderly

Lord Jesus, you were born of the Virgin Mary, the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne.

Look with love on grandparents the world over. Protect them!

They are a source of enrichment for families, for the Church and for all of society. Support them! As they grow older, may they continue to be for their families, strong pillars of Gospel faith, guardians of noble domestic ideals, living treasuries of sound religious traditions. Make them teachers of wisdom and courage, that they may pass on to future generations the fruits of their mature human and spiritual experience.
(From Pope Benedict's Prayer for Grandparents)

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