

St Michael's Church

Allihies/Cahermore Parish

August 2026

Priest on duty 09th Aug Fr. George Hayes. 087-1226888



Mass Every Thurs evening @ 7pm Cahermore: Every Friday evening @ 6.30pm Allihies Every second Sunday Cahermore @10.00am: Every second Saturday Allihies @ 6.30pm.

Fr. John Kerin may be contacted on 086-1918246.

We remember in our prayers all who have died recently, we remember and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. We extend our sincere sympathy to all who are bereaved. May they rest in eternal peace.

Mass Intentions for Weekend 08th & 09th August 2026 – 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August			
Thursday	06 th Aug	Cahermore	Graveyard mass at 7.00pm.
Friday	07 th Aug	Allihies	Graveyard mass at 6.30pm.
Saturday	08 th Aug	Allihies	Michael McCarthy, Garnish, also remembering the deceased McCarthy family members. John Wynne, Ballyduff, Co Kerry, on his 16 th Anniversary on 6 th August.

Mass Intentions for Weekend 15th & 16th August 2026 – 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

August			
Thursday	13 th Aug	Cahermore	Joseph & Julia O'Sullivan, Cloghane.
Friday	14 th Aug	Allihies	NO MASS.
Saturday	15 th Aug	Allihies The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Elizabeth Murphy, Canalmore, First Anniversary. Mass at 10:00am
Sunday	16 th Aug	Cahermore	Deceased members of the Harrington Family, Knockroe Lower.



Graveyard Masses 2026: Cahermore Thursday 06th Aug @7pm
Allihies Friday 07th Aug @6.30pm.

Please contact Claire at the parish office to book Mass, Weddings, or Christenings, on 086-8344354 or email allihies@dioceseofkerry.ie

Sacristan Volunteers Needed: We are seeking volunteers to help as sacristans in the churches of Allihies and Cahermore. To share the responsibility, we hope to establish a rota of volunteers. Training and support will be provided. If you are willing to help with this important ministry, please contact the parish office or speak to Fr. John Your help would be appreciated.

Allihies Echoes 2026: Contributions are now invited for the Allihies Echoes 2026. If you have an article, poem, photograph, story, memory, or any other item of local interest, we would love to hear from you. Please send your submissions to allihiesechoes@gmail.com by Saturday, 10th October.

Allihies Copper Mine Museum: Concert - 'Ceramics Exhibition by Jocelyn Adam 'I Window Architecture O' Allihies Mine Museum Friday 7th August'26 @ 8pm.

BEARA Graveyard Masses: Cahermore Cemetery 6th August @ 7pm. Allihies Cemetery 7th August @ 6.30pm. St. Bartholomew's Cemetery, Rossmacowen 7th August @ 7pm. St. Michael's Bere Island, 9th August @ 10am.

Beara West Resource Centre : Upcoming Centre Closure- August Closure & Meals on Wheels Reminder Please note that Beara West Resource Centre will be closed from **Monday, 3rd August until Friday, 7th August** for our annual August break. We will reopen on Monday, 10th August at 9.00am. There will be **no** Meals on Wheels service on **Thursday, 6th August**.

Beara West Resource Centre: Introducing HerSpace (Women's group) - Commencing in September! Same group, fresh new name! HerSpace is our new monthly women's programme, offering two meetups each month: Craft & Chat – get creative, enjoy a cuppa, and connect with others. Wellness & Wisdom – relax, recharge, and pick up practical tips for your wellbeing. Whether you're looking to make new friends, learn something new or simply take some time for yourself, HerSpace is a welcoming space for all. Watch this space for more information or call us on 027-70998 to find out more.

Thought for the week

Walk gently with the Lord each day,
And trust His love to lead the way.
In every smile, in every care,
God's quiet presence lingers there.
Plant seeds of hope where'er you go,
With hearts that shine and faith that grows.
When trials come, don't lose your peace;
His grace will bring your heart release.
Walk on in faith, with joy renewed,
For Christ walks every step with you.