

Annascaul Parish:
(Camp, Inch, Annascaul)
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Diocese of Kerry
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
16th August 2026

Recent Death: Richard (Dick) Johnson,
Bruree & Dromcollogher, Limerick and
Ardroe, Inch. *May he rest in peace.*

Masses this Week:

Sacred Heart Church, Annascaul.

Sat 15th August 7.30pm: Bride Hanafin,
Gurteens. Anniv..

Fri 21st August 7.30pm: Private Intention

Sat 22nd August 7.30pm: Kitty Knightly,
Gurteens North. Anniv.

St Mary's Church, Camp.

Thurs. 20th August 7pm: Dan McCarthy,
Derrymore West. Anniv.

Saturday 22nd August 6.15pm: Denis
O'Shea, Killelton. Anniv.

St Joseph's Church, Inch

Sun 16th August 10am: Sharon O'Rourke
Clavel, Ballintaggart. Anniv.

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!

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

The **Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place on Saturday, August
22nd, Feast Day of the Queenship of Mary.

Parish Office: 066 9157103. Office Hours
Monday: Closed this week.
Wednesday: 10am – 1pm: Fri: 10am – 4pm

Priest on duty this Sunday:
Fr Eamonn Mulvihill 066 7139145

Rotas for next weekend:
Sacred Heart, Annascaul, Sat 22nd
August 7.30pm Reader: John Forde
Euch. Minister: Áine Knightly
St Mary's Camp Sat 22nd August
6.15pm: Reader: Sheila O'Donnell

Offertory Collection last weekend:
€1,150. **Diocesan Collection for Pastoral**
Centre: €410. *Mile buíochas.*

The Autumn Envelope from your box of
parish envelopes is due at this time. *Thank*
you for your generosity.

Pope Leo XIV on X: Distressing reports
continue to arrive of innocent people being
killed and injured in Ukraine and Russia.
These incidents are occurring one after
another, indeed they are multiplying,
resulting in ever-increasing numbers of
civilian victims, including children. My
thoughts are with the victims' families, the
wounded and all those who are suffering
due to the ongoing conflict. I continue to
follow with concern the tragic situation in
Sudan, especially in the city of el-Obeid. In
expressing my spiritual closeness to all the
people of the nation, I renew my appeal to
those in authority to guarantee
humanitarian corridors for the civilian
population. You know, Lord, the heart of
the city: its lights and shadows, its noise
and loneliness. Lord, may our urban
communities be open and welcoming
homes, places where hope is shared, where
no one feels invisible, and where the joy of
your Gospel shines in the hidden lives of so
many brothers and sisters.

Pope's Intention for August: For
evangelisation in the city – Let us pray for
a just and sustainable management of
water, a vital resource, so that everyone
may have equal access to it.

The Killarney St. Pio Prayer group are
organizing a **Pilgrimage to Italy** visiting
places associated with St. Pio. The group
will also be going to Assisi where they will
be able to venerate the mortal remains of
St. Carlo Acutis. Gach eolas Michael
Clifford at 085 1309835.

Season of Creation takes place from 1
September to 4 October, Christians around
the world unite in this special season of
prayer and action to care for our common
home. It is a time to celebrate God as
Creator and to reflect on our shared
vocation to protect and cherish all of
creation. This year's theme, "**Living**
Water," is inspired by Ezekiel 47:9, 12 - a
powerful biblical vision of hope and
ecological renewal. Set against the
backdrop of exile and loss, the prophet's
image of living water flowing from God's
sanctuary reveals God's healing presence,
bringing new life to rivers, land,
biodiversity and communities, while
calling us to renewed care for the whole
Earth community.

As part of National Heritage Week, The
Heritage Council is hosting an online
webinar on Monday, 17 August, 7.30pm to
showcase **Havens for Nature: Supporting**
Biodiversity in Faith Grounds. The
webinar will bring together expert speakers
to explore why biodiversity matters, how
parishes can get started, and the actions that
can make a meaningful difference. Info.:
heritageweek.ie.

Young Adult Catholic Conference (18-
40) being held on Saturday, August 29th,
9.30am – 6.00pm in Legion of Mary, De
Montfort House, Morning Star Ave, Dublin
7, DO7 VAO3. Tickets are on
Eventbrite.ie. The Legion of Mary in
Kerry will sponsor two young unwaged
adults to attend. Please contact Patricia
087-9048659 for info.

COMMUNITY NOTES

Community Demonstration: For
Improved services at West Kerry
Community Hospital, Saturday 22nd August
at 3.30pm. Come along and show your
support. Info.: 087 2890625.

The Memorare Prayer: Remember, O
most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was
it known that anyone who fled to thy
protection, implored thy help, or sought thy
intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by
this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of
virgins, my Mother. To thee do I come,
before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O
Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not
my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and
answer me. Amen.

Hail Holy Queen

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy,
our life, our sweetness and our hope.
To you do we cry,
poor banished children of Eve.
To you do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in this valley of
tears
Turn then, most gracious advocate,
your eyes of mercy toward us,
and after this exiles' show unto us the blessed
fruit of thy womb,
Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary