

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 16th August 2026

PRIOR PARISH



BALLINSKELLIGS,
PORTMAGEE & THE GLEN

NEWSLETTER



Recently Deceased

Michael Joseph O'Connor, Kells, Cahersiveen

May his soul Rest in Peace.

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Fri 14 th Aug	The Glen	7.30pm	Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary John & Mary Golden, Ballinablown.
Sat 15 th Aug	Ballinskelligs Portmagee	10.00am 7.30pm	Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Jackie O'Sullivan (1 st Anniv) Julia, Mikey Joe and Frank O'Connell Brendan & Margaret O'Keeffe & deceased members of the O'Keeffe & Gleason families
Sun 16 th Aug	Caherdaniel Ballinskelligs	9.30am 11.30am	John, James, Michael & Ellie Leary, Kinnard Sonny Fitzpatrick Special Intention.
Tue 18 th Aug	Knightstown	9.30am	
Fri 21 st Aug	Portmagee	7.30pm	
Sat 22 nd Aug	The Glen	7.30pm	
Sun 23 rd Aug	Dromid Ballinskelligs	10.00am 11.30am	James Dillon, Fermoyle

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What Life Has Taught Me ...

I've learned that no matter how bad today seems, life goes on, and tomorrow can be better.

I've learned that you can tell a lot about a person by how they handle a rainy day, lost luggage, and tangled Christmas lights.

I've learned that you'll miss your parents when they're gone, that making a living is not the same as making a life, and that life can give you a second chance.

I've learned that you shouldn't just take from life—you need to give something back.

I've learned that even when I have pains, I don't have to be one, and that a kind word, a warm hug, or a friendly touch can mean so much.

I've learned that I still have a lot to learn.

Most of all, I've learned that people may forget what you said or did, but they will never forget how you made them feel.

Éigse na hAoine

Beidh oíche amhránaíochta ar siúl in Ionad Pobal an Ghleanna ag 8.00pm ar an Aoine , 21ú Lúnasa le Tim Dennehy agus Róisín Mullarkey.
Singer Tim Dennehy will be joined by Róisín Mullarkey for a night of music and song in the Glen Community Centre at 8.00 pm on Friday, 21st August. Fáilte roimh chách.

Re-opening of The O'Connell Memorial Church

You are all invited to the re-opening of the O'Connell Memorial Church on Saturday, 15th August – Mass begins 11.30am

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Rota for Readers & Eucharistic Ministers

Fri 21st Aug - Portmagee – **Reader:** Marie O'Driscoll, **Eucharistic Minister:** Kathleen O'Driscoll
Sat 22nd Aug - The Glen – **Reader** – Amy O'Connell **Eucharistic Minister**– Mary Adair
Sun 16th Aug – Ballinskelligs – **Reader** – Sile Sugrue- **Eucharistic Ministers** –Margaret Moran & Eileen O'Sullivan **Collector** – Donal Browne