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Weekend 3rd Oct / 4th Oct 2026

Firies Church

Sat 3 rd Oct	7.30pm	Pat & Kitty Foley, Mounthenry. Anniv.
Mon 5 th Oct	10.00am	No Mass.
Tues 6 th Oct	7.30pm	Con & Mary Keane, Clounlara, Firies. Anniv.
Wed 7 th Oct	7.30pm	Nell, Ann Marie & Dan Hickey & Kit Scannell, Killeagh. Anniv.
Thurs 8 th Oct	10.00am	Private Intention.
Fri 9 th Oct	7.30pm	Pat Joe Teahan, Longfield, Firies.
Sat 10 th Oct	7.30pm	Patrick McCarthy, Kilnanare. Anniv.

Ballyhar Masses

Sun 4 th Oct	10.00am	Mary McCarthy, Anniv & husband Patrick. Also, deceased members of McCarthy & Lyons families.
Sun 11 th Oct	10.00am	Denis & Kay Carroll, Aglish. Anniv.

All Masses can be viewed online on MCN FIRIES including Firies and Ballyhar Churches.

Priest on Duty this Weekend.

Fr. Seán Murphy, 087 6501998

Priest on Duty Weekdays

Monday, Fr. Pat O'Donnell, 087 6501998

Tuesday, Fr. Noel Spring, 087 2935969

Wednesday, Fr. Pádraig Kennelly, 083 3541877

Thursday, Fr. Seán Murphy, 087 6501998

Friday, Fr. Joe Begley, 087 6501998

Saturday, Fr. Jim Lenihan, 087 1081588

All Funeral Masses will be recorded unless advised otherwise. The recording will be removed a month later.

WEDDINGS IN FIRIES & BALLYHAR.

All weddings in Firies & Ballyhar Churches are at 2.00pm.

BAPTISMS.

Firies, Saturdays, 2.00pm, Sundays, 12.30pm

Ballyhar, Saturdays, 2.00pm, Sundays, 11.00am

Holy Water is available in the Sacristy before and after Mass times due to water being allowed to overflow onto the carpet on the floor.

Items for Newsletters should be submitted to Fr. Pádraig by Wednesday. The parish Office is open each Friday from 10.00am to 1.00pm for booking Baptisms, Marriages, Masses and House Masses. **Parish Office No: 066 9764981**

Mass Cards are available in Firies & Ballyhar Sacristies and also at the Parish Office in Firies.

Ministers of the Eucharist, Firies.

3rd Oct, Noreen M. Hickey, Eileen Kennedy, Jackie O'Sullivan, Maura Kerrisk.

10th Oct, Joan O'Brien, Eileen Browne, Bridget Flynn.

Readers, Firies.

3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st Oct, Bríd O'Shea, Joan O'Shea.

Collectors for the Month of Oct.

Noel O'Shea, Donal Spring, Brendan Spring.

Counters

5th Oct, Michael O'Sullivan, Rosaleen Fitzgerald.

Cleaners for the month of Oct Firies.

Sinéad Galvin, Mary O'Leary.

Ministers of the Eucharist, Ballyhar.

4th Oct, Mary Groves, Ann Hickey.

11th Oct, Eileen Groves, Margaret/Oliver Falvey.

Readers Oct, Ballyhar.

Des O'Connor.

Cleaners for the month of Oct, Ballyhar.

Eileen Cremin, Eileen O'Mahony, Mary Kenny.

Church Collections.

Weekly, €471.30, Monthly, €15.00, Shrines. €195.00.

Thank you.

Castleisland Community Centre

Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th October, 4:50pm – 8:10pm New donors are very welcome at all clinics it only takes about an hour but could save a life.

Call 1800 222 111 to book

Mission Month online talk

The Diocese of Kerry invites you to an online talk, *One in Christ, United in Mission*, with Fr Michael Kelly, Director of Missio Ireland, and Miriam Hanlon from Asdee, who volunteered in East Africa. They will share their mission experiences and reflect on why it matters today. Thursday 15 October at 7.30 pm. To register, visit dioceseofkerry.ie

Volunteer Drivers needed in Kerry

The Irish Cancer Society is seeking compassionate volunteer drivers to join our Transport Team. We are currently looking for drivers in Kerry, particularly those who can drive to hospitals in Limerick.

As a volunteer driver, you will bring patients attending chemotherapy appointments to hospital and safely home again. By giving your time, you can help make travelling for treatment a little easier for people affected by cancer.

If you can spare 2 days per month, have a valid driving licence, and a safe, reliable vehicle, you are the perfect candidate to make a difference. The Irish Cancer Society provides training and support before you begin volunteering.

Your time can make a meaningful difference, providing practical support and reassurance to patients when they need it most.

For more information on how to become a volunteer driver, please contact Monica or Emily at volunteer@irishcancer.ie