**Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 16th June 2024**

**Recent Deaths:** Eileen Healy (nee Clifford), late of Currowross. Remains reposing in Tangney’s Funeral

 Home Sunday from 5-7pm, arriving at Currow Church for funeral Mass on Monday at 11am. Burial afterwards in St. Michael’s Cemetery, Killeentierna.

Michael Linehan, late of Ballintourig.

**Months Mind:** Mrs. Betty Roddy (nee Sugrue), Tralee/Dublin, Mass in Currans Church next Sunday at

 10am.

**Anniversaries & Masses:**

**Saturday 7.30pm Currow** Nora Mae, Patsy & Jim Fleming, Farrankeal

**Sunday 10.00am Currans** Michael O’Sullivan, Beenativane

**Friday 7.30pm Currow** Tom O’Connor, Currow

**Saturday 7.30pm Currow** Denis O’Connor, Neilus & Hannah O’Connor, Gloundaeigh

**Sunday 10.00am Currans**

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

**Offertory Collection** last weekend was €983.00. Old Ardcrone Cemetery €132.00. Thanks to all.

Killeentierna Parish statement of income and expenditure 2023 available in both churches.

**Donate Button:** To make a payment or donation go to <https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/parish/killeentierna> and click our donate button.

**Cemetery Masses 2024:**

**New Ardcrone Cemetery Mass takes place on Wednesday 19th June at 7.30pm.**

**Kerry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place on Sat 24th August. The transport for the five parishes in the Castleisland Pastoral Area will be organised centrally. To book, please contact Castleisland Parish Office on 066 7141241.  Total cost for Bus and meals is €55.00.  Further information to follow.

**Saints of the Week:**

**Wednesday** St. Romuald, abbot

 Bl. Dermot O’Hurley, bishop and companions, martyrs

**Thursday** The Irish Martyrs

**Friday** St. Aloysius Gonzaga, religious

**Saturday** St. Paulinus of Nola, bishop

 St. John Fisher, bishop & St. Thomas More, martyrs

**The Sacrament of Marriage:** The parties to a marriage covenant are a baptized man and woman, free to contract marriage, who freely express their consent; "to be free" means: not being under constraint, not impeded by any natural or ecclesiastical law.

The Church holds the exchange of consent between the spouses to be the indispensable element that "makes the marriage. If consent is lacking, there is no marriage.

The consent consists in a "human act by which the partners mutually give themselves to each other." "I take you to be my wife" - "I take you to be my husband.” This consent that binds the spouses to each other finds its fulfilment in the two "becoming one flesh.”

 (Catechism of the Catholic Church Para 1625, 1626, 1627)

**Community Notice**

**Currow Rural Development:** The Tidy Towns judges will be calling to the village any time during June or July. We would love your help by removing kerb side weeds outside your house and touching up any paint work where possible.  There is currently no scheme in the village and any work being done is by volunteers, so every bit of help is appreciated. Please message us if you need a hand or would like to get involved. We are continuing our village clean up every Thursday evening at 7.30pm if anyone would like to join us.

**Designer Minds STEAM** (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Maths) Summer Camps start soon in Killarney & Tralee.  For boys & girls going into 1st to 6th Class this September. All details and online registration: [www.designerminds.ie](http://www.designerminds.ie)  Give your child the opportunity to explore, create, and innovate in a fun and supportive environment this Summer.

**THE IRISH MARTYRS OF THE 16TH AND 17TH CENTURIES**

**Bishop Dermot O’Hurley**. **Bishop Conor O’Devany and Father Patrick O’Loughran**: Franciscans.

**Fr. Maurice Kenraghty**(or MacEnraghty).**Bishop Terence Albert O’Brien, Dominican**. **Father Peter Higgins, Dominican.** **Bishop Patrick O’Healy, & Fr. John Kearney, Franciscan,**  **Fr. Cornelius O’Rourke,**Franciscans. **Dominic Collins:**Jesuit brother. **Francis Taylor of Swords**, Lay man. **Margaret Ball:**lay woman. **The Wexford Martyrs: Matthew Lambert** and sailors – **Robert Tyler,** **Edward Cheevers** and **Patrick Cavanagh**. **William Tirry, Augustinian.**

 **May all the Irish Martyrs Pray for us.**