

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

3rd-4th August 2024

For emergencies only please 'phone: During the week

Fr Gerard Finucane (087) 0554874 Fr Jerry Keane (087) 2844649

From 1pm Sunday –9am Monday this weekend only Fr Brendan Walsh 087 7913271

Deaths

Phil Casey, Dirtane

Mass intentions for this weekend

Saturday Vigil... Patrick, Ciss & Patrick Jr O'Neill & Marian &

Con Canty

Sunday Mass..... Tom & Mai Griffin

Mass intentions for the coming week.

Tue....7.00pm Pat & Geraldine O'Mahony
Thur...7.00pm Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

7.30pm Mary Murphy

Fri.... 7.00pm Theresa (1st ann) & Linda (9th) Lawlor

Sat.... 8.00pm Denny Lawlor (5th) & dec Lawlor family members

Sun...10.00am Willie & Kitty Flahive

Address: Chapel Rd., Ballyheigue, Tralee Co Kerry Eircode: V92 HY57

Live streaming of masses on: wwwdioceseofkerry.ie-Parishes - Ballyheigue –click on picture of the

Church.

Under GDPR, the recording of Requiem/Funeral Masses, is a decision for the next-of-kin of the deceased and must be requested via the undertaker. The undertaker will make the family aware of this.

Church Open: 11am –4.30pm Tuesday to Sunday

The Parish Office is open in the Presbytery, 9.40am-1.00pm Wednesday & Thursday mornings (closed on Holy Days). All bookings for Masses, Baptisms and Weddings to go through the Parish office Mass cards also available. Email: ballyheigue@dioceseofkerry.ie Telephone (066) 7133110.

Baptisms: 2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month.

Reflection ~The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

In today's Eucharist, Jesus is inviting us to let him be as close to us as the bread we eat. He will nourish and sustain us on the journey of life and fulfil the deepest longing of our hearts. As the 'bread of life' he wants to give himself totally to us, so that we in turn learn to give ourselves to our brothers and sisters. In this way we, too, become the bread broken for a world hungry for that Love which is God's way of being. This is our mission.

May we always be hungry and thirsty for Love.

May our hearts and minds be soft and receptive to God's abundant life.

May our bodies have open doors and windows to welcome the approaching unknown future.

May we welcome, bless and share the Universe, this earth, this time, as a lavish feast of grace God is setting

(Ivan Nicoletto, OSB)

<u>The Offertory Collection</u> € 1,067.92 was lodged to Parish a/c. Thank you for your continuing support of our Parish. You may continue to hand in your Parish Envelopes to the Post office and we thank the Post Office for continuing to provide this facility to us. Their assistance is greatly appreciated.

<u>Diocesan Collection for Pastoral Centres</u> will be taken up this week at all Masses on 3rd/4th August. A basket is available near the Offertory collection containers on the tables at both exits. *Thank you*.

Annual Pilgrimage to Knock of the Diocese of Kerry -Our second Annual Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Saturday 24th August which is Just three weeks away. So many people from all parts of the diocese said how much they enjoyed our Knock pilgrimage last year While the bus travelling from this Pastoral Area is now full if you would like to go please check other Pastoral Areas as there may be availability. Hopefully we will have good numbers again this year "Our Lady of Knock, pray for us".

Wedding Bells.

Congratulations to:

Daniel O Brien & Becky Casey

who were married in St. Mary's Church in July

We wish them every joy and blessing in their future life together



We welcome into our Parish Community our newly Baptised in July Mila Belle Delaney, Marion Pk.

May she grow in knowledge and wisdom and the grace of God