

St Mary's Church



Ballyheigue

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of The Universe

23rd-24th November 2024

For emergencies only please 'phone:

During the week

Fr Gerard Finucane (087) 0554874

Fr. Pat Crean-Lynch (087) 2200114

Fr Jerry Keane (087) 2844649

From 1pm Sunday –9am Monday this weekend only

Fr. Brendan Walsh - (087) 791 3271

Deaths

Nancy Leahy (nee Coffey) Australia L/O Lower Village

Anniversaries

Ita Harty, Garry Dineen, Patty & Lily Dineen

Mass intentions for this weekend

Saturday Vigil Donie Whyte (months mind)
& dec. on Parish November list

Sunday Mass John & Maryann O'Halloran
& dec. on Parish November list

Mass intentions for the coming week.

Tue....7.00pm Mary Agnes O'Leary

Thur...7.00pm Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

7.30pm Mary Bunce

Fri.... 7.00pm Brian, Christina, Mossie & Jack Fitzgerald

Sat.... 8.00pm Eileen Higgins

Sun... 10.00am Pat Joe Lynch (died recently), Bridie & Michael
Lynch

**Address: Chapel Rd., Ballyheigue, Tralee Co Kerry Eircode:
V92 HY57 -Telephone (066) 7133110.**

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

Live streaming of masses on: www.dioceseofkerry.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.

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

Celebration of The Sacrament of Reconciliation takes place
on 1st Thursday of every month at 7pm.

*Individual Confessions available on request.

The Offertory Collection last week €779.76 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.

CHRIST THE KING

The feast of Christ the King provides an excellent opportunity to review the quality of our Christian commitment. What effort have we been making to allow Christ's kingdom of love, peace and justice to come alive in our hearts and in our community? Jesus is calling us to rise above the basic instincts of selfishness, bitterness and pride and to pledge our lives in his service. Within our family, at work or in the neighbourhood, how often do we take the easy way out and let Christian standards go by the board? Today's feast calls us to make room for Christ in our hearts by imitating his life however imperfectly. ~ Fr. Gerard

Diocesan Collection for Youth Services will be taken up at all Masses next weekend 30th November /1st December. Baskets will be available on the tables at both exits. Thank you.

Glenderry National School presents *Carols by Candlelight* in St Mary's Church Ballyheigue on Wednesday, the 11th of December at 6.30 pm. For details regarding donation etc. please contact school office, 066 7133827 or Stephanie in Moriarty's Centra.

Glenderry NS will hold their Annual Open Day on Wednesday, December 4th at 2 pm for prospective pupils and parents for the 2025/2026 school year. This is an opportunity to meet the staff and view the school and what it has to offer. We look forward to meeting and welcoming both parents and pupils on the day

Parish Envelopes Distribution: We would be grateful to the Area Representatives if they could collect the 2025 boxes of envelopes for distribution in their area from the Baptismal Room in the Church after each Mass this weekend 23rd-24th November. *Our sincere thanks to all those who have undertaken this work for our Parish. Thanks also to all our Parishioners for their generous and faithful support.*

Senior Citizens' Christmas Party This year's Christmas Festivities will be held in the White Sands Hotel on Sunday 8th December at 2.00pm. Meal tickets can be purchased in either the Hotel or the Community Centre. The organising committee wishes to thank everyone for their steadfast cooperation for the good of our parish.

Munster Dioceses "Seeds of Hope" Conference. An initiative of the dioceses of Kerry, Limerick, Killaloe, Cashel and Emily. Learn how your local parish can respond to the ecological crisis. This biodiversity conference will take place on Saturday 25th Jan 2025 in Springfort Hotel, Mallow. Further details on noticeboard and www.dioceseofkerry.ie

Online Advent Retreat. *The Priory Institute is delighted to offer a free of charge online retreat "Keeping Vigil for the Vulnerable God. 'Visit our website prioryinstitute.com to register/find out more.*

O'Shea's of Kerry - Annual coach to Knock Shrine: For details of departure times for Night Vigil of The Feast of Immaculate Conception Saturday 7th December, please see notice board.