CAHIRCIVEEN PARISH NEWSLETTER –15th Dec 2024 Third Sunday of Advent

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Masses and Intentions O'Connell Memorial Church

Sat 14th 7 30 Mary Daly East End (1st Anniv)

Sun 15th 11 30 Haulie O'Donoghue (Riverview), Flor & Nellie O'Connell & Lucy Breen (Waterville), Anne Dennehy ((New St & Tralee),

Marie & Michael Mahony (Valentia Rd

Mon 16th 11 00 Jim Byrne (Kildare)

Tue 17th 11 00 Nora Murphy (Cois Uisce)

Wed 18th 11 00 John Foley (Coomdiveen), Nora O'Sullivan (Teernahilta)

Thur 19th 11 00 Mary B & Dan O'Shea Mortimer & Dan O'Donoghue, John & Nellie Galvin, Michael & Nellie Chawke (East End)

Fri 20th 11 00 Michael O'Driscoll (Gurranreagh)

Sat 21st 7 30 Michael & Sheila McCarthy (Marian Place), Pate & Bridie O'Sullivan (Glenbeigh), Deceased Members of the Clifford (Seargant) family (Foilmore)

Sun 22nd 11 30 Seá O Sè (Kimego) Deceased O'Shea families, Canig & Clahanelinehan, John O'Shea (Valentia Road)

Remembering our Dead Recent Deaths

Dererca Devane (nèe Houlihan), Limerick & Valentia. Michael O'Sullivan (Mike Mór), Canuig, Mastergeehy. Fergus O'Kane, North Caroline & Waterville.

Larry Graham, Pennsylvania

Anniversaries

Mary Daly, Haulie O'Donoghue, Flor & Nellie O'Connell, Lucy Breen, Anne Dennehy, Marie & Michael O'Mahony, Jim Byrne, Nora Murphy, John Foley, Mary B & Dan O'Shea, Mortimer & Dan O'Donoghue, John & Nellie Galvin, Michael & Nellie Chawke, Michael O'Driscoll, Marie Garvey, Nora & Timothy O'Sullivan (Teernahilta), Helen McCarthy.

Aghatubrid:

Sun 15th: 10 am Special Intention

Foilmore:

Sun 22nd 10 am Kate
O'Donovan-Lynch (Dunmanway &
Kells), Mike Riordan, Eric Nolan,
& deceased Lynch family. Frank
Moran (Killognaveen)

Offertory Collection: €3,435. Thanks to all.

Christmas Mass Bouquets: Christmas Cards: Rosary beads etc available from the parish office. Please feel free to call in and browse.

Coláiste na Sceilge: Presents a festival celebration of arts Tue Dec 17th at 7 30 pm: Arts showcase in lower mail from 7 pm. All proceeds to Cunamh Iveragh.

Coláiste na Sceilge Students Christmas Carolling: Wed Dec 18th at 10 30 am in Super Valu and afterwards in Centra: All proceeds to SVDP.

Dance in aid of Palliative Care will be held in the Foilmore Community Centre on Sat Dec 28th at 9 pm.

The Annual Ecumenical Carol Service will take place in St John the Baptist Church Knightstown on Tuesday 17th December commencing at 7.30 p.m. All are most welcome. Christmas Clergy Envelopes are available in the church porch for those who do not have a parish box of envelopes but would like to contribute to Fr Larry's yearly income. Thanks. Church Restoration Update: Preliminary work on plans for the heating and electrical systems has now been completed. Drawings and specifications are ready to go to tender. It is expected that tenders will be received by late January 2025. I will keep you informed on progress.

Special Collection: Sat/Sun 24th/25th for the Restoration Fund. This collection is towards the future improvements of the Interior Works of the building. This collection is an opportunity to our visitors and those, home for Christmas to support the project. So it is not intended to add any further request to the many parishioners who have been so supportive throughout the year. We thank you for your generosity.

Confessions: Fri Dec 20th after the 11 am Mass: Sat Dec 21st from 12 30-130 pm. Christmas Mass Schedule! Tuesday Dec 24th Vigil: 7 30 pm O'Connell Memorial Church: Wed Dec 25th 10 am Aghatubrid: Wed Dec 25th 10 am Foilmore: Wed Dec 25th 11 30 am O'Connell Memorial Church.

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

Kerry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Fatima: Led by Fr Noel Spring: May 11th − 15th May 2025: Return coach included from Kerry to Shannon Airport to Porto: 4 Star Hotel Fatima/Half Board Basis with lunch on the Feast Day Porto City Tour: Cost €899: Further details from barter's Travelnet, Cork: Contact No 021 4851700.