

Kenmare Parish / Sunday, 3rd July 2016 ~ 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Fr. Tom Crean, Parish Priest.

Kenmare Pastoral Area: Parishes of Kenmare, Kilgarvan, Glengarriff (Bonane), Sneem & Tuosist.

Recent Deaths:

Patrick (Patsy) McCarthy, Mangerton, Kilgarvan (*brother of Fr. Flor McCarthy*) who died during the week.

Nancy O’Sullivan (nee O’Brien) Killowen Rd. Kenmare. Reposing at Finnegan’s Funeral Home. Rosary on Saturday at 8.45pm. Removal on Sunday evening at 7pm to Holy Cross Church. Requiem Mass on Monday at 11am, followed by burial in Old Kenmare Cemetery.

Joan (Josie) O’Sullivan, Killowen Ctgs, Kenmare, England & New York. Reposing at O’Connor’s Funeral Home on Tuesday from 5pm followed by removal at 7pm to Holy Cross Church. Requiem Mass on Wednesday at 11am followed by burial in Old Kenmare Cemetery.

May they Rest in Peace.

Mass Intentions this Week

Direendaragh	Sat	6.30pm	The People’s Mass	
Templenoe	Sun	10.45am	Daniel & Ellen O’Sullivan, Greenane P.O. and Jerry & Kitty Buckley.	Anniversary
Holy	Sat	8.00pm	Denis Kidney	Anniversary
Cross	Sun	9.30am	Donal Lynch, Carrignahillan	”
Church	Sun	12noon	Special Intention	
	Mon	10.00am	Mary & Jack O’Sullivan (Patey)	Anniversery
	Tue	10.00am	John ‘Dan’ & Maureen O’Sullivan, Cahir.	”
	Wed	10.00am		
	Thur	10.00am	Richard & Margaret Maybury, Tara Farm, Tubbrid.	Anniversary
	Fri	10.00am	Helen Rembrecht & Daniel P. O’Sullivan	Anniversary
	Sat	10.00am	Bernie O’Connor & family, Tubrid.	”

Confessions Every Saturday: 12noon to 1pm

Eucharistic Adoration	Christ the King Prayer Group.	Holy Hour
Mon/Tues: 8am - 9pm Friday: 8am – 10am	Wed: 7.30pm to 9pm (<i>in Church Lodge</i>)	Sun: 7pm – 8pm

26th June 16	Offertory Collection	Parish Development Fund - Weekly Envelopes	Total
Direendaragh	€ 33	€ 40	€ 73
Templenoe	€ 78	€ 94	€ 172
Kenmare	€ 1,030	€ 1,302	2,332

Kerry Diocesan Collection ‘Sick & Retired Priests’ taken up this weekend 2nd & 3rd July.

The Fund helps to support our retired priests, some of whom are in full time Nursing Home care. The Fund also supports the ongoing care of sick and retired priests in the Diocese and makes provision for the payment of their medical expenses.

If you’d like to use an envelope for this collection, you’ll find one at the back of the church, and you can place it in the basket next week-end.

♦ **MEAL FOR PRIESTS HOME ON HOLIDAYS** – The annual dinner for priests who are at home from abroad on holiday will take place on the 2nd August at 7pm in the Parish Centre, Church of the Resurrection, Killarney. ☎ 064 6631168 to confirm if you wish to attend.

Diocesan Appointments: Bishop Ray Brown has announced changes of appointment that include the following:-

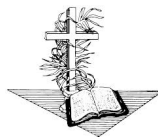
Fr. Bill Radley, Glenflesk, Retired. **Fr. Seán Hanifin**, Tralee, on Sabbatical. **Fr. Tom Lean**, Ballyheigue, to Dromtariffe. **Fr. Liam Comer**, Dromtariffe, to Ardfert. **Fr. George Hayes**, to Glenflesk. **Fr. Pat Moore**, Retired. **Rev. Seán Jones** (Deacon) to Listowel Pastoral Area.



Jubilees: Congratulations and deepest gratitude to our Priests who are celebrating Jubilees this year (in total 210 years of priestly service). Diamond Jubilarian is Fr. Joseph Nolan; Golden Jubilarian is Fr. Eoin Mangan and Silver Jubilarians are Frs. Pádraig Kennelly, John Kerin, Martin Sheehan and Teddy Linehan. We thank them for their years of service in ministry and wish them well in this and future years.

May Christ continue to fill their hearts with His Peace and Love.

Today’s Readings: “Rejoice, Jerusalem,” says the prophet. Jerusalem’s days of mourning are over; all will delight in her new-found glory. (1st Reading). The miracles of God are available to the eyes and ears of those who are open (Psalm). St. Paul says that the only thing he will boast about is the cross of Our Lord Jesus Christ. He owes everything to Christ (2nd Reading). A sense of urgency drives today’s Gospel – an urgency to recognise that the kingdom of God is indeed at hand and that its presence will be felt through our desire to be its witnesses.



Books to Explore:

1. DEAR POPE FRANCIS, by Pope Francis and the Children of the World. Available from bookshops and www.Messenger.ie It contains 259 letters with the children’s questions which the Pope took very seriously and gave each child a response which was at once simple and profound.
2. ‘THE ACTION BIBLE’ is a graphic adaptation of 200 Bible tales in comics form for ages 8 and up. ISBN 978078144996.



Old Kenmare Graveyard Mass.

The annual Mass will be celebrated on Thursday, 14th July at 8pm. This year is the fortieth anniversary of the Graveyard Mass and to mark the occasion a plaque, recording the history of this sacred place, will be unveiled. Further works are also being carried out including a memorial wall around the Famine Plot and the development of paths in the vicinity of the Old Church ruin.

If anyone has any concerns or queries please get in touch with Bertie McSwiney.

- Cemetery Mass at Kilmackilloge will take place on Thursday, 7th July at 8.00pm.
- Multiple Sclerosis Society South Kerry Branch: Annual Church Gate collection on next weekend 9th & 10th July in Kenmare, Direendarragh & Templenoe.
- Christians Together Prayer Walk in Kenmare on Tuesday, 12th July, at 7pm. We will gather in the Gateway. After prayer and ‘instruction’ we will prayer walk around the town and reassemble in the Gateway to share of our encounters and spend time in worship.