



BANTRY FAMILY OF PARISHES NEWSLETTER

BANTRY PARISH, CAHERAGH PARISH, GOLEEN PARISH, MUINTIR BHAIRE PARISH, SCHULL PARISH

Fr. Myles McSweeney: 086-1623031 Canon Martin O'Driscoll: 027-50096
Fr. Anthony Buckley: 087-2744617 Fr. Ben Hodnett: 089-4308735 Fr. John C. O'Donovan: 028-52985
To contact Priest on duty (Bantry): 087-7999886 Parish office: Tel: 027-56398
email: bantryparishoffice@gmail.com Website: www.bantryfamilyofparishes.ie

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7TH JULY 2024 VOL.21. NO.26

Jubilee Prayer of Consecration Fatima

*Hail, Mother of the Lord
Virgin Mary, Queen of the Rosary of Fatima!
Blessed among all women,
You are the image of the Church dressed in the
Paschal light
You are the honour of our people,
You are the triumph over the mark of evil.*

*Prophecy of the merciful Love of the Father,
Teacher of the Annunciation
of the Good News of the Son,
Sign of the burning Fire of the Holy Spirit,
Teach us, in this valley of joys and sorrows,
The eternal truths that the Father
reveals to the little ones.*

*Show us the strength of your mantle of protection.
In your Immaculate Heart, be the refuge of sinners
and the way that leads to God.*

*In unity with my brethren,
In Faith, Hope and Love,
I surrender myself to you.
In unity with my brethren, through you, I
consecrate myself to God,
O Virgin of the Rosary of Fatima*

*And thus surrounded by the Light
that comes from your hnds,
I will give Glory to the Lord for ever and ever.
Amen.*

NEWSLETTER DELIVERY TO THE MIZEN PENINSULA

The Family of Parishes newsletter is printed in Bantry Parish Office every Friday morning. We are looking for a person or persons who travel to Bantry on a Friday or a Saturday to pick up the newsletter from St Finbarr's Church, Bantry and bring it to either Ballydehob, Schull, Lowertown or Goleen Churches for weekend Masses. Please contact Sandra in the Parish office or email bantryparishoffice@gmail.com to arrange collection and delivery. It would be ideal if this could be shared so that one person is not left doing it all the time.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE 60+ FROM A FARM HOUSEHOLD IN WEST CORK WHO IS RECEIVING CARE? We are conducting a short survey for people aged 60+ from farm households who have recently received help with daily tasks from a family member, friend, neighbour or care service. Hardcopies available at Teagasc Discussion Groups throughout July and August or you can contact Duley at amy.duley1@ucdconnect.ie or on 01 805 9773 to meet her at your local Teagasc office. You can also fill in the survey online at <https://bit.ly/farmcaresurvey>

Died Recently: We extend our prayers & sympathy to the families, relatives & friends of:

Angel McCarthy (née Cronin) – Curraglass, Kealkil & formerly Inchamore, Coolea
Jerzy Lejman – Ard na Greine, Bantry
Derry Collins - Ballycummisk, Ballydehob
Rest in Peace

Recent Parish Baptisms: We welcome into our Christian Community

Sean O'Connor – Foxborough, Massachusetts, U.S
Fiona Kate O'Riordan – Curramore, Borlin, Bantry
Kasey Walsh – Glengarriff Road, Bantry

MISSION APPEAL: Sr Nuala and Sr Mary will conclude their Mission Appeal in the Holy Family Church, Caheragh, Sacred Heart Church Durrus and Our Lady Star of the Sea, Kilcrohane on Sunday 14 th July. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Community Notices

Gortalassa Old School House (G.O.S.H) - P75 C589. Our weekly Wednesday morning social gathering would like to invite you all to come along for a special fundraising coffee morning on Wednesday 10th of July from 11 am to 1 pm (ish....Irish time!!). We really need your support as this event has been organised to raise much needed funds to help us repair the roof. Please spread the word and help us to get a step nearer to reaching our target. Everyone is welcome and bring your friends and family. Looking forward to seeing you all.

Kilcrohane Carnival: Organised by the Kilcrohane Development Association who are responsible for the upkeep, maintenance and insurance of the village playground, hall and community sports' field. Events start on Tuesday 16th July with a karaoke competition and on Wednesday the West Cork Fit Up Theatre are hosting a play in the hall. On Thursday there's a table quiz and on Friday children's sports, bicycle races and dancing in the street to Rubicon. On Saturday there's a children's treasure hunt, a children's disco and duck races. The main event is on Sunday 21st July with a fancy dress parade through the village followed by sports in the field with side stalls and the main raffle with €600 to give away! Times and venues are on our Facebook page - Kilcrohane Development.

Ahakista Garden Swap Coffee Morning: Join us on Monday 15th July from 11am to 1pm at The Cabin in Ahakista Come along to swap plants, cuttings, plant pots, small gardening equipment, seeds etc. Tea, coffee and cakes will be provided. Come along reconnect with your neighbours and make new friends! All Welcome. This morning is hosted by The Family Carer and Older Person's Initiative and Ahakista Community Association. For more information Contact Lorna Harte on 087 400 1763

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES APRIL - OCT 2024: 7 Nights Apartment B&B from €273 per person sharing. Airport transfer available on request. Contact us for details and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or website www.med-irishcentre.com

Sat. 6th July: 13th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry: 6.15pm: Kevin Lynch – Gurteenroe – 2nd anniv.
Mark Delaney – Blackrock Road
Michael O'Sullivan – late of Rooska & Leicestershire
Dromore: 8pm: Donal (Dodo) O' Regan- Kealanine -1st anniv.
Lowertown: 8pm: Johanne Goggin - Cloughanekilleen

Sun 7th July: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Bantry: 9am: Patrick & Margaret Murnane - Scart
Ballydehob: 9.00am: Michael & Anita Sheehan – Rossbrin
Finbarr Berry – Waterford & Ballydehob
Rory O'Driscoll & his father Declan O'Driscoll
Durrus: 10am: Con O'Sullivan – Gearameen
Currie O'Sullivan – Clashadoo – 1st anniv.
John Pyburn - Coomkeen
Coomhola :10.30am: Mary Coakley – Snav West – 1st anniv.
& her parents Derry & Sheila, her brother Jimmy & all deceased relatives.
Denis Flynn – Coomhola – 1st anniv.
Denis O'Connell (1st anniv) & his grand-daughter Kerry.

Schull:10.30am: Paddy Logan – Coorydorigan
Mary & Tadgh McSweeney

Caheragh: 11.15am:
Fr. Michael McCarthy – Rearahanagh – 6th anniv.
Jeremiah & Peggy Keohane – Clouncuggar
Paul & Peggy Kingston - Tooreen

Kilcrohane:11.30am: John Daly – Inchinalought – 2nd anniv.
Goleen: 12noon:
Dan & Annie Barry & their son Joe Barry - Gortnacarriga
Bantry: 12noon: Special Intention
Ray Wiseman (Rooska) & his father Eamonn Wiseman
Jimmy O'Rourke – Cois Riasc
Jack & Hazel Hall

Monday 8th July: 14th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry:10am: Jerry O'Sullivan – Cavan & Marian Terrace
Schull: 10am: Tim Collins & deceased family members

Tues 9th July: 14th week in Ordinary time:

Bantry:10am: Donor's Intentions
Goleen: 10am: Donors Intentions

Wed. 10th July: 14th week in Ordinary Time:

Durrus: 9am: People of the Family of Parishes
Ballydehob:10am: No booking
Bantry: 10am: Special Intention

Thurs. 11th July: St. Benedict, Abbot, Patron of Europe::

Bantry:10am: The Cronin Family – Bantry & New York
Goleen: 10am: No booking

Friday 12th July: 14th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry: 10am: Special Intention
Schull: 10am: No booking

Sat.13th July: 14th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry Hospital: 10am: Margaret Murphy – Beach – 1st anniv.
Finbarr Murphy – Beach – 10th anniv.

Offertory Collection last w/e: 29th / 30th June 2024: Bantry: €2285
Schull: €1127 Goleen: € 655 Muintir Bhaire: €715 Caheragh: €639
Second collection this weekend 6th/7th July in our Family of Parishes for Maintenance.