

Dingle Parish
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January 4th, 2025
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Second Sunday of Christmas

Pray for Brendan ‘Bob’ O’Sullivan,
Listowel and late of John St. Suaimhneas
síoraí dá anam.

St Mary’s Church, Dingle.

Sat 3ú 6.15pm 1. Kathleen, Tom, Mary
Theresa and Cian Brick, Ceathrúin a’ Phúca.
2. Thomas O’Sullivan, Flemingstown.

3. Mary Flaherty, West Springfield, MA.

Sun 4ú 11.30am Herbert and Mary
O’Sullivan, The Mall and deceased family
members.

Mon 5ú 10.00am Sa Díseart.

Tues 6ú 11.30am Special Intention. Mass in
the Convent Primary School Playroom.

Wed 7ú 10.00am No Mass

Thurs 8ú 10.00am No Mass

Fri 9ú 6.15pm Michael O’Sullivan, Glen
Minard.

Sat 10ú 6.15pm 1. Thomas Riordan, John
Street MM. **2.** Kay and Tadhg Lynch, Main
Street and Fr James Lynch, Doonshean.

3. Bridget Grandfield, Ballinaboula and
Farranflaherty and deceased members of the
Grandfield and Griffin Families. **4.** James
Dowd, Garfinny. **5.** Timmy and Stevie
Kelliher, Milltown.

Sun 11ú 11.30am Paddy, Nora and Eddie
Hanafin, Baile Beag.

Confessions: St Mary’s Church, Dingle
Fridays after 6.15pm Mass.

Rotas: Next Weekend: Euch Mins:

6.15pm Cristín Uí Chonchúir, Mícheál Ó
Conchúir and Tracey Sheehy. **11.30am:**
Anne Curran and Patricia Williams.

Readers: 6.15pm Gobnait Uí Chonchúir.

11.30am: Anne London. Cleaners Team 1.

Naomh Caitlín, Fionn Trá

Sat 3ú 7.30in Teddy Ó Muirheartaigh,
Rathanáin, CM.

Naomh Eoin Baiste, Lios Póil

Mon 5ú 6.15pm Johnny and Kathleen
Kennedy, Garfinny.

Domh 11ú 10.00am 1. Johnny Moriarty,
Baile na Saor lú CB and his parents Johnny
and Eileen and deceased family members.

2. Caroline O’Sullivan, Cluain an Fhiaidh.

3. Cáit Ashe, Glen Minard.

4. Mary O’Sullivan, Garrynadur.

Rota: Min Eoc: Máire Uí Chinnéide.

Léitheoir: Marie Uí Ghrifín.

Feast of the Epiphany January 5th/6th.

The vigil Mass will be celebrated in Séipéal
Naomh Eoin at 6.15pm.

The 11.30am Mass will be celebrated in the
Convent Primary Playroom. Access is
through the grey sliding door on Main St.

Thought for the Day: We are at the start of
the new civil year and beginning again is an
invitation to look in two directions. What
happened for me in the last year, both in my
ordinary life and in my life as a believer, a
person of faith? For what do I ask
forgiveness? For what do I give thanks? We
also look forward and the new beginning
gives us a chance to start again on the Way
of discipleship. Both thanksgiving and
renewal are to be found in today’s readings.
The Gospel is in invitation to wake up, to
keep watch, to live fully the present moment
under God, in whom we live and move and
have our being. **Prayer:** Wake us up, O God,
at the start of a new year and rouse us from
the slumber of the everyday that we may
recognise you in every moment and in every
person every day of our lives. Through
Christ our Lord. Amen. (Fr Kieran O’Mahony)

Offertory Collections: December 25th:

€5,403.00. **December 28th** €1,716.00.

Míle buíochas.

Priest on duty this Sunday:

Fr Eoghan Ó Cadhla 087-6951318.

Christmas Dues - Focal Buíochais

Fr Michael would like to thank all who have
handed in their Christmas Dues Envelopes.

These can still be handed in over the next
while by placing them in the Building Fund
Boxes at the back of the Churches or in the
baskets at the offertory collection. Your
support of your Parish Priest is greatly
appreciated. NB: If paying by cheque, please
make cheque payable to **Teach na Sagart**
for Dues and **Dingle Parish** for Parish.

Spare envelopes for Christmas Dues are
available at the back of the Parish Churches.
For those using the **boxes of Parish**

Envelopes, please note that the box numbers
are different for 2026. *Míle buíochas for
your great generosity and support
throughout the year.*

St Mary’s Church Refurbishment: St

Mary’s Church, Dingle will close on
Sunday, January 4th for refurbishment work
which will begin on Monday January 5th. It
is hoped that it will open for Friday evening
and weekend Masses. The work will involve
replacing the roof lights (glass) in the body
of the Church and over the Altar. The Bell
tower will be re-roofed, and about one eighth
of the roof copper including the copper
guttering will be replaced. It is hoped that
the work will stop the leaks that have
become an increasing reality in recent years.
During the work we will have access to part
of the church at weekends only. The work is
scheduled to be complete by mid-May 2026.
Requiem Masses will take place in either St
John the Baptist Church, Lispole or Séipéal
Naomh Caitlín, Fionn Trá during these
months. Mass on Friday evenings and
Saturday and Sunday will be held in the
Church. Only half of the Church will be
available until mid March when it is hoped
that the inside work on the roof will be
completed. We thank you for your patience
during this time.

Parish Office at the Presbytery, Dingle.

Office Hours: Tuesday: 9.30am – 12.30pm.

Wednesday: 9.30am – 12.30pm.

Thursday: 9.30am – 12.30pm.

Parish Office: Tel. 066 9151208.

Christmas Crib Appeal 2025 - Crib

donations will go to the Cara Project in
Kenya. Five students from Pobalscoil
Chorca Dhuibhne, will be going to Kenya
early in the new year to work in an
Orphanage there.

Confirmation and First Communion

Masses are as follows: **Saturday, January**

10th at 6.15pm St Mary’s Church, Dingle.

Saturday, January 10th at 7.30pm Sacred

Heart Church, Annascaul. **Sunday, January**

11th at 10.00am Séipéal Naomh Eoin Baiste.

Pope Leo XIV on X: In the light of the
Nativity of the Lord, let us continue to pray
for peace. Let us pray for families suffering
because of war, especially for children,
elderly and the most vulnerable. Let us
entrust ourselves together to the intercession
of the Holy Family of Nazareth.

Gluten Free hosts are available from the
Priest at Communion.

Prayer: May you hitch your wagon to a star,
a star of hope, the star of Bethlehem. May
you not be afraid of the darkness of the
world because Jesus is the light of the world.
And when your earthly journey is over, may
Christ welcome you into his heavenly
kingdom.



*Wishing all a very Happy, Joyful and
Peaceful New Year. Athbliain faoi shéan is
faoi mhaise daoibh go léir.*