



Community of St Ciarán and All Saints

Leap & Glandore, Castlehaven & Myross, Skibbereen, Aughadown, Rath & the Islands



Clergy:

Fr Kevin O'Regan Co-PP (moderator) Fr Bernard Cotter Co-PP Fr Evin O'Brien CC	Fr Martin Keohane (Weekend Assistant) Fr Michael Curran MSC
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Sunday 13th September – 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun, 13 th Sept, Glandore 10am	Margaret Cahalane, First Anniversary Tom and Hannah Cahalane and deceased family members
Sun, 13 th Sept, Leap, 12 Noon	Eilís McCarthy

Fr Curran's Masses (and his Mass intentions)

Mon, 14 th September, Leap 10am	NO MASS
Tues, 15 th September, Leap 10am	NO MASS
Fri, 18 th September, Glandore 10am	NO MASS

Weekday Masses (and Mass Intentions)

Wed, 16 th September, Leap 10am	Special Intention
Thur, 17 th September, Glandore 10 am	NO MASS

Sun, 20 th September, Glandore 10am	NO MASS
Sun, 20 th September, Leap, 12 Noon	Ellen Calnan John O'Donovan, Gortnadihy

Second collection next Sunday, September 20th for Priesthood Education.

Graveyard Extension: Work is now complete on the graveyard extension adjoining St. Mary's Church in Leap. The Finance Committee have decided that applications for a plot will close on September 30th. After that date, plots will only be allocated on a "need basis". Please contact any member of the Parish Finance Committee for further information.

Charitable Donation Refunds: A total of €14,999.75 has been refunded by The Revenue Commissioners to the parish for the years 2022, 2023, 2024 & 2025. These refunds have been made possible by those who donate a minimum of €250 annually by using the envelope system or by direct debit. If you pay tax, either through the P.A.Y.E. system or through Self Employment and donate €250 annually, you might consider signing up with any member of the Parish Finance Committee for 2026/2027.

Please email kilmacabeparish@gmail.com for any church or community news or events that you would like shared in the newsletter.

Other Parish News and Notes:

Baptismal Support Team - Kilmacabea Parish plans to form a team of people who will support Fr. Cotter during Baptisms and provide encouragement and guidance to parents and Godparents as they prepare to present their children for Baptism. Full training and guidance will be provided, along with ongoing support for members of the team. If you would be interested in becoming part of this team, we would be delighted to hear from you. Please contact Kenny at 087 7747835 or Eithne 087 6526963.

Padre Pio Mass and Prayer. Meeting will be held at The Sacred Heart Church, Rath, Baltimore P81 AK06, Monday, September 14th beginning at 7:00pm. Adoration and Rosary followed by Mass at 7:30pm. Blessings with First Class Relic of St Pio of Pietrelcina. Petition box with Mass offered for those intentions.

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports **bereaved parents in West Cork**, will be **hosting grief cafes throughout the autumn**. In September, the cafe will be in the **Dunmanway Family Resource Centre, Tuesday, 15th September from 7:30pm - 9pm**. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age of their child, the circumstances of their death or how recent their death was. Registration is encouraged here: <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/1995200948747?aff=oddtcreator>. We also offer online support group meetings. To find out more, call 01 4045378 or email info@anamcara.ie.

There will be a **day of reflection for the Season of Creation** in the **Carmelite Friary in Kinsale on Saturday, 26th September from 10:30am to 4pm**. This will be facilitated by Roisin Alexander-Pye of Trocaire. Book by contacting sallysimpson01@gmail.com.

Bi-Centenary Book: On Friday, August 28th Bishop Fintan Gavin launched a book detailing the history of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Skibbereen 1826 - 2026. Copies of the book costing €20 are available in Skibbereen from Drinagh Co-op, Field's Supervalu & Cathal O'Donovan's Bookshop. Please consider buying a copy and help support the fundraising committee in Skibbereen.

Rota for opening and closing Leap Church (Week commencing)	Upcoming Readers for Leap Church in July:
14 th Sep: Anna Connolly 21 st Sep: Adrian Healy 28 th Sep: Martin O'Donoghue	Sun, 13 th Sep: Mary Nyhan Sun, 20 th Sep: Ros Healy Sun, 27 th Sep: Sheila Mc Carthy

A Athair Neimhe,

Tógaimid suas lucht an bhróin agus gach duine a iompraíonn ualach trom.
Fill do lámha grámhara timpeall orthu ag a bhfuil croíthe briste agus lig dóibh do láithreach réidh a mhothú.

Maolaigh a mbrón agus tabhair dóibh síocháin chiúin thar gach tuiscint. Soilsigh do sholas isteach ina ndorchadas, ag tabhairt neart dóibh chun aghaidh a thabhairt ar gach lá nua.