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Parish Office times: Weekdays: Monday & Wednesday 9am – 11am. Thursday & Fridays 9am – 12noon

### The Marian Movement of Priests

The Marian Movement of Priests is a private association of Catholic clergy and lay associate members founded by the late Stefano Gobbi in 1972. While visiting the Shrine of Our Lady of Fátima in Portugal he felt himself inspired to begin this work, whose principal emphases are to encourage Consecration, especially of priests, to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and whole-hearted fidelity to the Magisterium of the Pope and Bishops united with him.

For this purpose Fr. Gobbi has travelled throughout the world holding Cenacles of Prayer on every continent. Cenacle refers to the gathering of the apostles around the Blessed Mother in the Upper Room in which the Last Supper was celebrated and in which they awaited the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. In Cenacles of Prayer the laity gather with the clergy, and with our Lady by praying the rosary, and often celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, as they pray for and await the Triumph of the Immaculate Heart, so ardently desired by the Church and promised by Our Lady at Fátima.

In the almost three decades of this movement, many tens of thousands of deacons, priests and bishops, including Cardinals, and millions of religious and laity, have consecrated themselves to the Blessed Virgin and pledged fidelity to the Magisterium at the Cenacles of Prayer. In addition, besides the public Cenacles held in parish churches throughout the world, many weekly, bi-weekly or monthly Cenacles are held in private homes.

Each Sunday evening the Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle will be held in the hospital chapel from Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October beginning at 7:30pm. All are very welcome.

### Envelopes for November

Envelopes to commemorate your departed relatives & friends are at the doors this weekend. The Novena of Masses begins November 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### R.I.P. 2016 - 2017

Those who have died since November 2015 will be remembered in the following Masses during November:

**Bantry:                      Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November                      @ 7.30pm**

**Kealkil:                      Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November                      @ 7.30pm**

**Coomhola:                      Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November                      @ 8.15pm**

Relatives of those who have died are invited to attend. Candles will be available at the porches for relatives to bring to the altar when their deceased family member's name is called out.

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

**Sandy (Alexander) Gibbons - Chapel Street**

**Patrick (Patie) O'Leary- Caherdaniel**

**Stephen (Stevie) Minihane - Cuan Mhuire & formerly of Newtown Farm**

**John Cremin - Seskin, Bantry**

**May they rest in peace**

### Feast of All Saints Wednesday November 1<sup>st</sup>

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October**  
**Bantry - Vigil Mass                      6.15pm**

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November:**  
**Coomhola    10am**  
**Kealkil        11am**  
**Bantry         12noon**  
**Bantry         7.30pm**

## Calendar: Mass Times and Intentions :-

Mon. 23<sup>rd</sup> October: 29<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time:  
St. John of Capistrano:

**Bantry: 10am:**

**Jerry & Margaret Whooley – Glengarriff Road**

Tues. 24<sup>th</sup> October: 29<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time:

St. Anthony Mary Claret:

**Bantry: 10am:**

**Adelaide Finnegan – Marino Street – 10<sup>th</sup> anniv.**

Wed. 25<sup>th</sup> October: 29<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time:

Blessed Thaddeus MacCarthy:

**Bantry: 10am: Ellen O'Connor**

**Hospital: 5.30pm: Albie & Mary McCarthy &  
Eileen McSweeney - Gurteenroe**

Thurs. 26<sup>th</sup> October: 29<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time:

**Bantry: 10am: Mary Scully – New Street**

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October.: 29<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time:

St. Otteran – Monk:

**Bantry: 10am:**

**Eugene & Ellen O'Sullivan – Glencreagh  
Kealkil: Timothy Kelleher - Capanaboul**

Sat. 28<sup>th</sup> October: SS Simon & Jude, Apostles:

**Hospital: 10am: Mary Scully – New Street**

**Bantry: 6.15pm: Gary O'Donovan - Cahir**

Sun. 29<sup>th</sup> Oct.: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

**Bantry: 9am : Michael Goggin – Barrack Street**

**Coomhola: 10am: Pdraig Holland - Derrycreha**

**Kealkil: 11am: Den McCarthy - Curraglass**

**12 noon: People of the Parish**

## Recent Parish Baptisms:

**Ryan Marc O'Sullivan – Dromleigh,  
Bantry**

**Alexa James Whooley Murphy –  
Dromleigh North, Bantry**

**We welcome them into our Christian Community**

**Offertory Collection:** weekend of 14<sup>th</sup> /15<sup>th</sup> October:  
Bantry:€1,915; Coomhola:€205; Kealkil:€275.  
Special Collection for the Propagation of the Faith  
will take place this weekend, October 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>

### **MALE CARERS SUPPORT GROUP**

*Due to popular demand West Cork Carers Support Group  
are now holding **monthly Male Carers Support Group  
Meetings** in our Bantry office on Bridge Street **from  
10.30am – 12.30pm.***

***This month, all Male Carers are welcome to join us for a  
talk on your Benefits & Entitlements and any Budget  
changes on: Wednesday November 1<sup>st</sup>. Come and  
join us for a chat over a cuppa. We are very much  
looking forward to seeing you all there on a regular  
basis.** For more information, contact us on 027 53848  
or at [westcorkcarers@eircom.net](mailto:westcorkcarers@eircom.net)*

**Care for the Aged is looking for Drivers to  
deliver meals on wheels. Commitment is just  
One day in the month for three hours  
maximum. Please contact Eileen Lane on  
086-4096629 if you can help this vital local  
service.**

### Autumn Station Masses 2017

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October @ 8pm: Connie Manning – Ardnacloughy, Dromdubh,  
Baurnagearagh**

## **THE DEEP END: The Third Side of the Coin**

Most of us have been raised to believe that there are two sides to every issue. So often we hear the term 'there are two sides to every story' or 'two sides of a coin' but there is, in fact, a third. A story always has your version, their version, and the truth. When it comes to a coin, there is the head side, the tail side, and the edge of the coin! One side of the coin may represent a particular point of view; the other its opposite. However, if we just stand the coin on its edge, we can see both sides more clearly and, more often than not, a third way. What a loaded question the Pharisees' disciples and the Herodians asked Jesus. If Jesus said the taxes shouldn't be paid, he would have pleased the Pharisees but then they could report him and have him arrested as a rebel. If he said they should be paid, he would have gained the support of the Herodians but almost certainly lost all support from his followers. But Jesus did not come into the world to discuss Roman taxation, temporal revolutions or political action. Neither did he come to only see two sides of a coin! He neither endorses Caesar as divine sovereign (as the inscription on the coin indicates) nor does he discourage the paying of taxes. He simply reminds his questioners that these are worldly affairs in a worldly kingdom but there is another kingdom yet to come with a much higher authority. 'Give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God.' Julieann Moran – Society of Missionary Children