

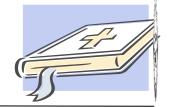
Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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Parish Office Opening Hours: 9.00am - 12.30pm.

Safequarding Children in The Diocese of Kerry: If you have any concern, please contact □087 6362780



September 25th 2022 (26th Sunday Year C)

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- *Brendan Dowling, Upper Rock Street.
- *Eileen O'Mahony (nee Turner), Leith & St. Brendan''s Park.
- *Mary Sheridan (nee Keane), Colliswood.
- *Mike Farmer, Lohercannon.
- *Mary Roche (nee Murphy), Woodview Park & formerly Kevin Barry Villas.
- **And all who have died this week and also those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

PRIEST ON DUTY for the Tralee Area this weekend is Fr Padraig Walsh, 2087 2069656.

PUBLIC MASSES: We encourage all people to be mindful of people who are just returning to Mass after many months.

- Please use the sanitizers as you enter the church.
- The Family Chapel is also open for use.

HOLY COMMUNION: As the system for Holy Communion worked well during Covid times, we encourage people to come forward for Holy Communion row-by-row, starting from the front and to receive on the hand only.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: We will resume the basket collections this weekend. Many thanks to the volunteers as new collectors.

PARISH OFFICE: is open on Monday—Friday from 9.00am—12.30pm.

RADIO KERRY: Our regular Parish Mass on Sundays at 10am, will be broadcast live.

CHILDRENS LITURGY GROUP: lead the young children (5-7 year olds) during the 10am Sunday Mass, teaching them prayers and bible stories. We are looking to recruit volunteers to help with the Children's Liturgy Group. If you are willing to help please contact the Parish Office.

A WALK IN THE PARK: to celebrate the theme of creation, with Don Nolan in the Town Park on Friday next, September 30th from 10.30am-11.30am. Meeting at the Park Gates for Coffee at 10.15am

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC): At the recent meeting of bur Parish Pastoral Council on September 19th the following items were discussed:

Parish Mission: Themes for the Mission were discussed, based on the feedback from the Parish Questionnaires last June. On open meeting will take place on Monday October 24th, to outline the themes for the Mission and inviting people to become involved in the planning and preparation. More details later.

Season of Creation: A Walk in the Town Park with Don Nolan has been planned to take place on Friday next, September 30th from 10.30am—11.30am. We encourage people to meet at the Park Gates, opposite the Brandon Hotel, for coffee at 10.15am. This will be a very enjoyable and informative way to celebrate the Season of Creation in our own locality. All welcome.

MASS BOOKINGS 2023: We are now taking bookings for Masses for 2023. Please contact the Parish Office.

TEA DANCE: Will be held in St Brendan's Pastoral Centre, on Sunday Sept. 25th, 3 - 6pm. Music by Nite-Life. Admission €10.

IRISH CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER: Copies of the Irish Catholic Newspaper are available for sale near the Main Door; £2.50 each.

COLÁISTE ÍDE is hosting an Open Day on October 8th from 10am - 4pm. It is an opportunity to visit the school and an opportunity to visit the beautiful historical building. All welcome.

TUSLA; the Child and Family Agency, are currently recruiting new foster carers to meet the growing demands for placements given the ongoing humanitarian crisis and the impact of Covid-19 in communities across Ireland. To find out more about becoming a foster carer please call 066-7184513

IRISH MESSENGER: Copies of the Irish Messenger Magazine September issue are available for sale on the bookstand near the Main Door - £2 each.

RECOVERY HAVEN KERRY: will host an online children's workshop—celebrating all children on Thursday September 29th 6.30-7.15pm. This is a creative and confidence boosting workshop for any child impacted by cancer. Phone 066 7192122 for further information

DISCERNING A RELIGIOUS VOCATION; hosted by the Poor Clare Sisters, Cork. Zoom Meeting on Saturday Oct 1st at 3pm. Email vocationspoorcalrescork@gmail.com

SERVICE OF REMEMBERANCE; Will be held in the Sacred Heart Church, Western Road, Cork by the Cork University Maternity Hospital on Friday 14th October at 7.30pm. All who have experienced pregnancy or infant loss are welcome to attend.

ROSARY: will take place in The Square, Tralee on Saturday October 1st at 1pm. All welcome.

KERRY PRO-LIFE RALLY: in the Square Tralee, on Sat Oct 1st, assembling at 2.30pm. Further information contact 087-6590551

NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS Sept 26th -Oct 2nd 2022

9.30am Special Intention. Monday

Tuesday 9.30am Tommy & Mona O'Herlihy, L/O Caherslee.

Wed 9.30am Mick & Nora Gleeson, L/O Ballylongford.

9.30am Caroline Hanafin, L/O Shanakill. (9th Anniv) Thur.

9.30am Breda Carroll, L/O Tralee & formerly Cork. Friday

9.30am Ray Chute, L/O Caherslee. (7th Anniv). Saturday

6.30pm Hannah O' Connor, L/O Pembroke Street.

Don & Marie Carroll, L/O Leedale.

Michael Breen, L/O Doon.

Joe Costello, L/O Ard Carraig. (6th Anniv)

10.00am Special Intention. Sunday

Barry Nunan, L/O Urban Tce. Rock Street.

11.15am Niamh Mc Carthy, L/O Ballyroe.

12.30pm Noreen Keane, L/O Lioscarraig Drive, Caherslee. (1st Anniv)

LIVE STREAMING: The webcam is available on the parish website **www.stbrendansparishtralee.org** The Masses are recorded and available on the website, soon after the Mass is celebrated.

INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

First ReadingThe message of the prophet is stark: revelry that is funded by injustice or forgetful of God's justice is the road to destruction.

Second Reading'Be saintly and religious, filled with faith and love, patient and gentle.' These are St Paul's instructions to Timothy. Dedication to God is not an abstract piety: it brings a whole raft of joyful demands!

Gospel

The rich man's crime is not what he has done but what he has failed to do. It is not enough to avoid wrong: we must, with God's help, pursue goodness and justice.