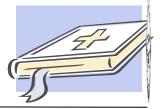


## **Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish**

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## November 5th (31st Sunday in Ordinary Time) PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- \*Michael Barry, Rock Street.
- \*Margaret Roche, Celbridge, Co. Kildare & formerly Dromtacker.
- \*\*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 Francis Nolan 2087 2069656.

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

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTER ROTA:** The new rota for Eucharistic Ministers has been sent by email to all ministers who are using email. The remainder will be sent by post.

**30/30 VISION GROUP:** The Irish Bishops Conference have agreed that parishes would return 30% of Church grounds to nature by 2030 which is called 30/30 Vision. The 30/30 Vision Group met recently and are planning to map out the Church grounds, to meet the gardeners and to register the project with the pollinators.ie. The next meeting will take place in the Pastoral Centre on Monday November 27th at 7.30pm. All welcome.

**DIOCESAN COLLECTION:** in aid of Irish Church Commissions & Agencies will be taken up at all Masses this weekend Nov 4th /5th. Your support is very much appreciated.

NOVEMBER MASSES: Our week of Remembrance for the Dead will take place this coming week, from Monday 6th to Friday 10th. The November lists will be included in the special Masses each evening at 7pm during that week. The special Mass on the Friday evening will be offered for all who died since November of last year. If you want to include anyone in the Friday evening Mass who died outside the parish since last year, please write their name and date of death on an envelope and return it to the letterbox at the Parish Office by Tuesday November 7th.

**NOVEMBER ENVELOPES & PRAYER CARDS**: as well as Christmas envelopes and calendars have been delivered to households in the parish. Many thanks to the contact people in each area for their co-operation. Envelopes can be returned to the Parish Office or at weekend Masses. Many thanks for your generous support.

**UHK ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DEAD:** Mass for the Dead will be celebrated in St Johns Church, Castle Street, on Monday November 6th at 7pm for all those who have died in University Hospital Kerry over the past year, including those who have died in Palliative Care Services, Maternity Services, relatives of hospital staff and former staff members. All welcome.

**GOD'S ACRE MASS;** will be celebrated on Wednesday Nov. 8th at 3.00pm.

ST. JOHN'S CEMETERY OAKVIEW MASS: will take place in Our Lady & St Brendan's Church on Monday Nov 20th at 7.30pm. Refreshments afterwards in the Pastoral Centre. All welcome.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE: on May 29th - June 5th 2024 from Cork airport. Spiritual Director Fr. Ted Sheehan. €879.00 per person sharing. €100 discount if fully paid before Nov 17th. €50 discount if deposit paid before January 15th. Limit to 50 places. Call Sean O'Shaughnessy 086-2959380.

ST. ITA'S & ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL TRALEE: are seeking substitute bus escorts to support children with special needs throughout the Kerry region. If you are interested in working as a substitute bus escort, please forward your CV to <a href="mailto:office@sisj.ie">office@sisj.ie</a>

**DANCING AT KERINS O'RAHILLYS CLUBHOUSE:** every Wednesday night from 9–11.30pm Admission €10. For more information contact John Joe 087-9735113.

**GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS:** are holding a open public meeting in the Rose Hotel on Friday November 24th at 8pm. All welcome. Refreshments afterwards. For information contact 087-2444128.

**ROAD SAFETY:** In these winter days, in the interest of safety, we encourage motorists to travel carefully. Check your tyres and also your lights. We encourage pedestrians, cyclists and those using scooters to be visible. Remember the slogan:

Be Safe; Be Seen!!

## INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

First Reading

God's priests here receive a warning. God's word and his blessings are not to be tampered with. His righteous demands are not to be overlooked.

Second Reading

St. Paul rejoices because people have accepted the gospel as 'God's message and not some human thinking.' With God's help, may we do the same.

Gospel

Ambition and arrogance are permanent temptations for people in positions of influence. Our Lord gives a simple but direct remedy: 'The greatest among you must be your servant.'

## NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS Nov 6th-12th

Monday 9.30am Decd. Members of the Legion of Mary.

Tuesday 9.30am Michael Brick, L/O Oakview. (2nd Anniv)

Wed 9.30am Martin O' Sullivan, L/O Banna. (25th Anniv)

Thur. 9.30am Molly Kelly, L/O Caherslee.

Friday 9.30am Fr. Tomás Houlihan, L/O Ardfert & Caherslee

(Birthday Remembrance)

Saturday 9.30am Niall Murphy, L/O East London (29th Anniv)

6.30pm Imelda Morris, L/O Monavalley & West Cork.

Gerardine King, L/O Cahermoneen.

Brian Mc Cann, L/O Cahermoneen

(Birthday Remembrance)

Michael Horan, L/O St. John's Pk (20th Anniv)

Mary Anne Russell, L/O St. Martin's Park.

Mary O' Neill, L/O Mitchel's Cresent.

Edward (Eddie) O' Brien, L/O Casement's Ave.

(Month's Mind)

Robert (Bob) Barry, L/O Oakview. (7th Anniv)

Sunday 10.00am Joe, Sheila & Brian Looby, L/O Cahersiveen

Con & Babe Spring, L/O St. Brendan's Park.

Decd. Members of the Sheedy & O' Dwyer Families, L/O Killorglin & Waterford

John Buckley, L/O Listellick.

Kay Dineen, L/O Killeen. (Month's Mind)

John Lombard Murphy, L/O London.

Michael & Annie Duff, L/O Raththurlas, Nenagh.

Special Intention.

11.15am Joan Collins, L/O Listellick. (2nd Anniv) & her husband Tom (42nd Anniv)

12.30pm Patrick & Mary Kirby, L/O Racecourse Lawn.

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