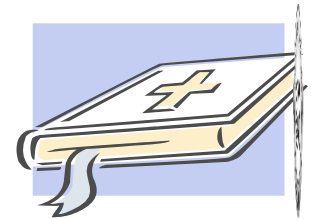




Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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Parish Office Opening Hours: Closed due to current restrictions.

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

March 20th –21st 2021

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

***Angela Tangney**, Lixnaw & formerly Marian Park.

***Louise O'Hara**, Colliswood.

****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 ☐087 2069656.

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.

PARISH OFFICE: will remain closed until current restrictions are lifted. Thank you for your understanding at this difficult time.

BOOKED MASSES: As the Parish Office is closed, you may use the letterbox in the Parish Office for the offering for any Mass which is already booked. Please use an envelope and on it put the name of the deceased, the date of the Mass and your contact phone number.

TO BOOK A MASS: Please contact the Parish office 066-7125932, leave your number and we will get back to you as the date you require may not be available. Many thanks for your co-operation.

DEVELOPMENT FUND ENVELOPES: The envelopes for the coming year have been delivered to households in the Parish. Many thanks for your generous support for the Development Fund collection; to those who use the weekly envelope and those who contribute by standing order or annual cheque. Your generosity helps to support the capital projects during the year such as upgrading the external lighting and live-streaming. If you are not receiving envelopes at present but would like to support this collection please contact the Parish Office.

FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION DATES: While it is great to have the children back in school, we are still unsure about dates for the First Holy Communion & Confirmation ceremonies. As long as the Churches remain closed for Masses, the ceremonies cannot take place. When the restrictions are eased, we will keep you updated of any new information. Many thanks for your co-operation.

COVID-19: Due to the COVID-19, no public Masses will be celebrated until further notice. Let us keep the people of our country in our prayers at this time.

Mass will be live-streamed each day:

Sunday 10.00am Monday - Saturday 9.30am

RADIO KERRY: Our regular Parish Mass on Sundays at 10am, will be broadcast live for the duration of the current restrictions.

OPENING OF THE CHURCH: The Church is open for private prayer in accordance with proper public health guidelines. You are very welcome to our church which will be open each day after Mass until 5pm. (except when funeral Masses will be celebrated).

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: will take place online on Friday evenings during Lent at 7.30pm. We invite you to join us in this Lenten prayer.

LECTIO DIVINA: Lenten talks online with Fr Seamus O'Connell during the month of March on Tuesday 23rd and 30th at 7.30pm –9pm. Suggested donation is 5-10 euro. To register and to receive the zoom link, please email office@stjohns.ie Please insert "Lectio Divina" on the subject line. This has been organised by the Lectio Divina Group in St Brendans Parish, in conjunction with St John's and the Spa Parishes.

TROCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN; Trocaire Boxes are available at the Church doors. We are very grateful for the generous support of Trocaire in our parish last year. The amount raised in the Kerry Diocese was €110,000, significantly lower than 2019.

EASTER DUES: Dues envelopes & Easter Newsletters are being delivered to all houses in the parish at present. Envelopes and Booklets are also available at the Church doors. Many thanks for your generosity during the year.

DAILY THOUGHTS FOR LENT

5th Sunday of Lent *With the Lord, there is mercy.*

Monday Let your heart be filled with God's view of life.

Tuesday Fast from judging others, go the extra mile today for someone else.

Wednesday Welcome the stranger, in yourself as well as in your neighborhood.

Thursday Pray for those needing compassion and mercy.

Friday Remember those who struggle to receive forgiveness.

MASS INTENTIONS March 22nd –28th

Monday 9.30am Special Intention.
Tuesday 9.30am John & Mary Casey, L/O Pembroke St.
Wed 9.30am Michael McDonagh, L/O Ballinorig Close.
Thursday 9.30am William & Julia Mason, L/O Ballybeggan.
Friday 9.30am Bridget & Tim Collins, L/O Listellick.
Saturday 9.30am Maureen Nolan, L/O Upper Rock St.
Sunday 10.00am James Culloty, L/O Gurrane, Listellick.

Nicholas Comerford, L/O St Brendan's Pk. (1st Anniv)

Patrick O'Doherty L/O Leedale, Caherslee.

Tim Gannon, L/O Co. Mayo.

Eileen Kennelly, L/O Listowel. (Recently Deceased)

Dr. Pat Casey, L/O Millstreet. (Recently Deceased)

Stephen O'Callaghan, L/O Boston & Kevin Barry Villas. (Recently Deceased)

Pat Kelly, L/O Caherslee. (3rd Anniv)

Carmen Pedrote, L/O Madrid. (1st Anniv)

Dan & Peggy O'Brien, L/O Ballymacelligott (20th & 12th Anniv)

James Daly, L/O Dublin. (2nd Anniv)

Mary B & John O'Donnell, L/O Oakpark Demesne.

Braelyn McCarthy, L/O Shanakill, (Months Mind)

Special Intention.

SUGGESTIONS FOR LENT

PRAY

Quiet Prayer
Angelus at home
Stations of Cross
Rosary
Adoration

FAST FROM

Social Media
Bad Language
Negative thinking
Wastefulness
Plastic Waste

GIVE ALMS

Trócaire
Giving the gift of time
Lending a listening ear
Being critical of others
Helping the housebound