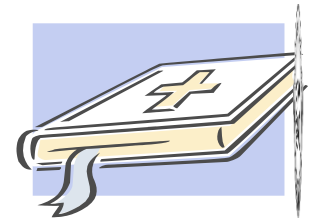




Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish



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Parish Office Opening Hours: 9.00am – 12.30pm.

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

September 11th–12th 2021

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

***Maureen O'Brien (nee O'Shea)**, St. Brendan's Park & Camp.

***James (Jim) Sugrue**, Lohercannon & formerly Ballyseedy.

***Billy Revington**, The Spa.

***Kathleen O'Shea (nee Fitzgerald)**, Ashgrove, Ballyvelley & formerly Rathanny.

****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 Amos Ruto ☎ 087 2069656.

PUBLIC MASSES: We welcome the recent announcement that we can have 50% capacity at all Masses from Monday next. As more people return to Mass, we encourage all people to be patient with the protocols in the church and to be mindful of people who are just returning to Mass after many months. Please wear a mask in the church.

1. Please enter by the Main Door only.
2. The Ushers will continue to offer support and assistance.
3. The collection boxes will continue to be used instead of having an Offertory Collection.
4. We encourage people to come forward for Holy Communion row-by-row and to receive on the hand only.
5. People are welcome to sit in any seat they wish but we ask you to show due regard for others.

Mass each day, Monday to Saturday at 9.30am. Weekend Masses on Saturday at 6.30pm and Sunday at 10am, 11.15am & 12.30pm.

FIRST COMMUNION CEREMONIES: will be celebrated on the dates below. Each child will be allowed to have their parents, siblings, and grandparents in the church. All ceremonies will be live streamed. The ceremonies, which have been prepared in co-operation with the teachers, will be shorter and simpler. We encourage all families to show due care and caution regarding household gatherings.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DATES 2021:
Listellick: Saturday September 18th at 11am
Balloonagh: Saturday September 25th at 10.30am/12pm/1.30pm.

EDUCATION FOR ADULTS: Free Day-Time Education for Adults. KERRY COLLEGE is offering QQI Levels 3 & 4 Eligibility over 18 and on a qualifying DSP payment. Please contact 066-7121041 / 086-0752972 or email info@traleevtos.ie

KERRY CAMINO 2021: The re-scheduled annual 3-day walk of the Dingle Way from Tralee to Dingle takes place on the weekend of Friday 17th to Sunday 19th September....Friday 17th (St. Johns Church, Tralee to Camp,) Saturday 18th (Camp to Annascaul) and Sunday 19th September (Annascaul to the Church of St. James, Dingle.) See website <http://www.kerrycamino.com> or our facebook page for more information if interested in participating in some or all of our guided walk. Bookings on: <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/kerry-camino-3-day-guided-walk-from-tralee-to-dingle-tickets-157597493345>

ANMA CARA: would like to invite you to join us for an online Bereavement Information and Support Evening taking place on September 16th at 7pm. This event will give you an opportunity to hear a bereavement professional talk about the difficult challenges and many milestones that grieving a child of any age has on you and your family. If you would like to join us please register here <https://bit.ly/3Dzyphc> or contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 288 8888

LOUGH DERG PILGRIM PATH: will be offered during September on Sunday 12th, Wednesday 15th, Saturday 18th, Sunday 26th and Sunday October 3rd, with Mass outdoors, weather permitting. The full route is a 12km loop, with a shorter 8km option. Advance booking is essential. Please phone 071-9861518 or email info@loughderg.org. Further information on the website: www.loughderg.org

MONTH OF CREATION: On Thursday Sept 16th, the Diocese of Kerry Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation Committee invite you to a Webinar, "Caring for God's Creatures" as part of Season of Creation 2021. To register for this free hour-long webinar please log on to www.dioceseofkerry.ie

RECOVERY HAVEN KERRY: will host a free, six-week online course for those supporting a loved one with cancer, beginning on September 14th. Building Better Caregivers programme will offer valuable support and practical advice to those dealing with a cancer diagnosis of a loved one, family member or friend and will run weekly, via Zoom, from 10.30am to 1pm. Those interested in taking part can now register by phoning Recovery Haven Kerry on 0667192122 or emailing reception@recoveryhavenkerry.com

SACRED HEART MESSENGER: For sale on the Church Bookstand €2 each.

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.

MASS INTENTIONS Sept 13th–19th

Monday	9.30am Pidgie & Con Slattery, L/O Listellick.
Tuesday	9.30am Jerome Donovan, L/O Abbeydorney. (5th Anniv)
Wed	9.30am Tom Harty (Snr) L/O Westcourt.
Thursday	9.30am Special Intention.
Friday	9.30am Joan & Creagh Downing, L/O Killarney.
Saturday	9.30am John Lynch, L/O Lisloose. 6.30pm Liam Heaslip, L/O St. Brendan's Park. Thomas O'Sullivan, L/O Balloonagh Est. (1st Anniv) Noreen Bowler, L/O Lismore, Tralee. (6th Anniv).
Sunday	10.00am Mary Jones, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. (1st Anniv). Sean Galwey, L/O Currow. (20th Anniv). Laurence & Leo Nunan, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. William Collins, L/O Ballyroe & Abbeydorney. (8th Anniv) John Rohan, L/O Castlegregory. (2nd Anniv). Anne Kane, L/O Drumcondra Dublin. (Recently Decd.) James & Margaret Fitzgerald, Tommy Martin & Margaret Ann Fitzgerald, L/O Faha, Killarney. Mary O'Dwyer, Patrick Dennehy & Baby Nee, L/O Currow & Limerick. 11.15am Niamh McCarthy, L/O Ballyroe. 12.30pm Aileen O'Brien, L/O The Bungalow, Listellick.

INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

First Reading

The prophet suffers for his faithfulness to God's word, but God strengthens him. May we experience God's strength!

Second Reading

God expects concrete fruits in the lives of his children. May our lives be consistent with what we hear and say!

Gospel

Mere sincerity is not enough! Peter sincerely wanted to spare Jesus suffering, but his misguided sincerity set him against God's plan.