



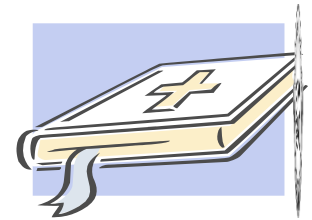
Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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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



October 2nd–3rd 2021

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ***Paddy Prendergast**, Ballinorig & formerly Ballintubber, Co. Mayo.
- ***Maurice Wrenn**, Basin View.
- ***Danny Carroll**, Balloonagh Estate.
- ***Joan Phelan (nee O'Leary)**, Athea & formerly Manor West.
- ***Catherine Brennan (nee Galvin)**, Woodlee & formerly Lispole.
- ***Joan Collins (nee Culloty)**, Listellick North & formerly Ballymacelligott.
- ***Mary McCarthy (nee O'Leary)**, Strand St. & formerly Ballydunlea.
- ***Noreen Keane (nee McKennedy)**, Lioscarragh Drive & formerly Skibbereen.

****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 Tadgh Fitzgerald ☐ 087 2069656.

PUBLIC MASSES: We welcome the recent announcement that we can have 50% capacity at all Masses. 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.

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

AUTUMN COURSES ONLINE: at Mount St. Anne's Retreat & Conference Centre, Portarlinton.
*Celtic Spirituality, What is it?. Has it any significance for life today? November 2nd, 13th, 17th & 24th (Michael Drumm)
*Exploring the Synodal Pathway, The Ongoing Reception of Vatican II, November 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th (Janet Forbes & Oonagh O'Brien)
Courses online are at 7pm –9pm on Zoom. €100 for full courses. To book a place email: ceo@mountstannes.com

CARE FOR CREATION—AN INVITATION: Pope Francis is calling all faith communities (and others), to care for 'Our Common Home', that home which we share with all creation. Our Parish Pastoral Council want to form a group to explore how we might respond, in practical ways, to this call in our Parish. If you are interested in finding out more or joining this group, please give your name and number to the Parish office.

ALONE: are seeking volunteers for their Befriending Service in Tralee and surrounding areas. Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person for 1 hour a week? Full training and support provided. If interested please contact Mairead on Mairead.egan@alone.ie or on 087 2531380. Alternatively you can apply on the alone website <https://alone.ie/get-involved/volunteer/>

MOVING ON: is an innovative employment programme for women in Kerry. We are now recruiting for our next programme starting at the end of September. Limited places remaining. If you know any women who would like to join the Moving On programme please pass on our contact details. We would love to hear from them: lisaoflaherty@newkd.ie 0877647446. To be eligible participants need to be 1. looking for work 2. Not currently working and 3. not on job seeker payments. Other payments are eligible.

SCOIL LIOS TEILIC: are now open for enrolments for Junior Infants for September 2022. Please contact the school office 066 7124144 or email info@listellickprimary.com

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND: on-line on Nov 5th – 7th. Restore Communication, Renew Commitment and Rekindle Romance. This is an online experience (using Zoom), starting on Friday evening at 8pm and ending on Sunday at 2:30pm. Details www.marriageencounter.ie

PARISH OFFICE: is open Mon–Fri from 9.00am–12.30pm.

TELEVISED MASS: on SKY channel 521 or on RTE News Channel, will be broadcast from our church this Tuesday Oct 5th at 10.30am.

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 Oct 4th –10th

Monday	9.30am James & Margaret Lynch, L/O Old Gallowsfield.
Tuesday	9.30am Decd Members of the O'Connor & Foley Families, L/O Tralee & Ballyheigue.
Wed	9.30am Rita Dennehy, L/O Birmingham.
Thursday	9.30am Garrett & Hannah Fitzgerald, L/O Curravough.
Friday	9.30am Breda Carroll, L/O Tralee & Cork. (10th Anniv).
Saturday	9.30am Jo Hickey, L/O Oakview. 6.30pm Garry King, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. Angela Brolly, L/O Knockmoyle. (3rd Anniv) Frank & Nancy Ferguson, L/O Highfield Grove. William Dillane, L/O Old Golf Links. (1st Anniv). Nancy Walsh, L/O St. Brendan's Park. Diarmuid O'Connor, L/O Cahir Co. Tipperary. (1st Anniv) Maureen O'Brien, L/O St. Brendan's Park. (Month's Mind) Lorna Brosnan, L/O Gallowsfield. (9th Anniv)
Sunday	10.00am Joan O'Grady, L/O Kevin Barry Villas. 11.15am Donie Quirke, L/O St Brendan's Park. 12.30pm Mary & Mick Walsh, L/O Hillview Drive.

INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

First Reading

The woman is described as the man's 'helpmate'. Far from being a put-down, the same word is used of God himself elsewhere in the Bible.

Second Reading

Jesus was made low, then raised high. We are called to follow him in his lowliness, so that God may raise us up.

Gospel

Jesus is very concrete: when a man and woman come together, they are no longer two, but a single body. This aptly describes the procreative function of a man and woman, a function in which they act as a single unit, rather than as two.