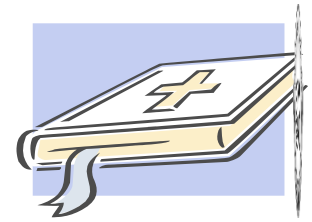




Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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February 26th—27th 2022

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ***Joan Fitzgerald**, Cloghers & formerly Kilmoyley.
- ***Breannán Murphy**, Dublin & formerly Ard na Lí
- ***Rose Joy (nee O' Grady)**, Spa Road.
- ***Denis Reen**, Denny Street.

****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 Bernard Healy, ☎ 087 2069656.

PUBLIC MASSES: We encourage all people to be mindful of people who are just returning to Mass after many months. Please wear a mask in the church.

1. Please use the sanitizers as you enter the church.
2. The collection boxes inside the doors will continue to be used instead of having an Offertory Collection.
3. We encourage people to come forward for Holy Communion row-by-row and to receive on the hand only.
4. The Family Chapel is also open for use.

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

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

ASH WEDNESDAY: This week (March 2nd.) Masses at 8.00am & 9.30am. Blessed Ashes will be distributed during both Masses. This day starts the season of Lent and is a day of Fast and Abstinence.

RECOVERY HAVEN KERRY: Recovery Haven Kerry Cancer Support House will run a 6 week Thriving and Surviving course online via Zoom commencing Wednesday March 2nd from 10.30am to 1pm. The course is to help support people recovering after cancer treatment. If you would like to know more about this course, please contact 066 7192122

ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE: During Covid-19, it was not possible to run any retreat or residential programmes in the Ardfert Retreat Centre. In August 2020 and following a request from Talbot Grove (now The Grove), Castleisland, a lease was entered into with them for the use of Ardfert Retreat Centre for an initial term of one year. The Grove has now approached the Diocese about acquiring Ardfert Retreat Centre. Following negotiations, the Diocese wishes to advise that it is proposed to sell the Ardfert Retreat Centre to the Grove. The Diocese has had a long association with Talbot Grove and their mission is compatible with the spirit of the Gospel.

After many years great service, Sr. Elizabeth has retired as director of Ardfert Retreat Centre, and we wish to thank her and her predecessors for their work in the Centre. We also wish to thank the various members of staff, volunteers and the contact people for their work and dedication down the years. Lastly, we thank the people of the Diocese and especially the people of Ardfert for their support of Ardfert Retreat Centre since it opened its doors in 1981. We would ask you to join with us in wishing all in The Grove every success as a new chapter opens in the life of Ardfert Retreat Centre.

ANAM CARA KERRY: the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding it's monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Tuesday 8th March at 7.20pm in the Meadowlands Hotel, Tralee. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. An online support group is also available and you can get further information on this by contacting info@anamcara.ie

TROCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN; Trocaire Boxes are available at the Church doors and in the Pastoral Centre.

INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

First Reading

Each of us is called to live an upright life. A key self-assessment is the quality and kindness of our speech. A great deal can be judged from how we habitually speak about others.

Second Reading

To be a Christian is to be victorious - even over death. There are many skirmishes along the way, but we press on bravely, sure of God's help in Christ.

Gospel

The twin foundations of hypocrisy, as Jesus presents it in this Gospel reading, are judging others more harshly than we judge ourselves, and presenting a virtuous face to the world while being wicked or indifferent on the inside.

NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS Feb 28th—March 6th

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| Monday | 9.30am Kathleen Kelly, L/O Co. Louth. |
| Tuesday | 9.30am Tim Barrett & decd. family members, L/O Ballynoe, Co. Cork. |
| Wed | 9.30am Con Nolan, L/O Upper Rock Street. |
| Thursday | 9.30am Timmy Sheehan, L/O Oakpark. (2nd Anniv) |
| Friday | 9.30am Jeremiah O' Connor, L/O Ballymacelligott. |
| Saturday | 9.30am John Quirke, L/O Stack's Villas. |
| | 6.30pm John Cournane, L/O Clonlara, Co. Clare & formerly Stack's Villas.
Dermot Ryle, L/O Rock Street. (1st Anniv).
Mary Kennedy, L/O Connolly Pk. (4th Anniv).
Michael & Mary Quinlan, L/O St. Brendan's Pk.
Sandra O' Shea, L/O Riverside, Oakpark.
Frances & Ted Collins, L/O Rock Street.
John Patrick Donovan, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. |
| Sunday | 10.00am Jeremiah Keane, L/O Clounsharrouh, Cloghane.
Frank Sayers, L/O Derryquay. (3rd Anniv)
Geraldine Lynch O' Leary, L/O Meadowlands
Dermot Ryle, L/O Rock St.(1st Anniv)
David Smith, "Brianville", Clogherbrien. (31st Anniv)
Marian O' Mahony, L/O Cahermoneen. (Month's Mind)
Margaret O' Dwyer, L/O St. Brendan's Pk.
Sean Lynch, L/O "St. Enda's ", Oakpark.
Patrick (Paddy) Scanlon, L/O Ballyroe. (1st Anniv)
Ned White, L/O Bedford, Listowel.
Alex Hickey, L/O Rathmore. |
| | 11.15am Claire & Paddy Lynch, L/O Cahermoneen. (2nd & 4th Anniv) |
| | 12.30pm Catherine Sheehy, L/O Ballymacelligott. (1st Anniv) |