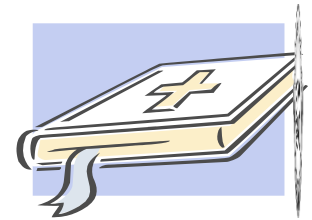




# Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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## July 31st 2022 (18th Sunday Year C)

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

\***Agnes Meehan**, Highfield Grove, Caherslee.  
**\*\*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.

**PUBLIC MASSES:** We encourage all people to be mindful of people who are just returning to Mass after many months.

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 Sundays at 10am, will be broadcast live.

**KILTEGAN FATHERS MISSION APPEAL:** will take place at all Masses this weekend July 30th / 31st. The Kiltegan Fathers have strong links with Kerry Diocese. Some Kiltegan priests have worked with priests from the Kerry Diocese while they served on the Kerry Mission to Kenya. There are a few Kiltegan priests working in the Kerry Diocese at present including Fr Niall Geaney. The Mission Appeal asks for your continued support for the Missionary work of the Society.

**BOOKED MASSES:** If you wish to have an anniversary included in the weekend Masses and cannot call to the office to book the Mass you may use the letterbox in the Parish Centre or phone the Office. If you are using the post box please use an envelope and put the name of the deceased, the date of the Mass and your contact phone number on the envelope. Thursday is the closing day for the current week. We now have bank card facilities in the office for your convenience. Many thanks for your co-operation

**ANNAGH CEMETERY MASS:** Will be celebrated on Friday August 5th at 7.30pm.

**YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL:** Join over 100 young people between the ages of 16 and 35 this August at Youth 2000 Summer Festival which takes place in Clongowes Wood College, Clane, Co. Kildare from August 11th - 14th. For more information [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie)

**PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE:** September 21st –28th 2022 return flights from Cork €765 per person sharing. For details contact Maura O' Keeffe Harcksen 087- 1517696

**LOUGH DERG 2022:** Pilgrimage season is now open, one day retreats and three day pilgrimages available. Further information contact Lough Derg Office [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

**PHYSICAL ACTIVITY PROGRAMME:** that will improve strength and balance, in association with Baile Mhuire and the HSE, in St. Brendan's Pastoral Centre on Thursday mornings 10am-11am and 11.15am—12.15am. For further details contact Sinead 085 2537742.

**HEALTHCARE CHAPLAINCY:** is the healing ministry of the Church. It is a vocation and a career, listening with compassion and loving unconditionally. If you feel drawn to such a career, the information below might be of interest to you.

What do Chaplains do? Chaplains are professionals who provide spiritual, religious and emotional care to people in many different settings. As a chaplain you will listen to people who are in a very vulnerable place. You'll celebrate with families who have received great news. You'll mark the beginning of lives, the end of lives and the many transforming moments in between.

What training do I need? Board certification is required for employment as a chaplain. The Healthcare Chaplaincy Board (HCB) offers certification to Roman Catholics who :1. Holds a degree in Theology (NFQ Level 8). 2.Complete H Dip or Masters in Pastoral Theology Healthcare Chaplaincy) or 3 units of Clinical Pastoral Education. 3. Successfully meet the HCB Standards for Healthcare Chaplaincy.

A Bursary is available through the HCB for candidates accepted on a recognized Theology course, undergraduate or postgraduate that fills the theological requirements for Certification as a Healthcare Chaplain. Details on request from the Healthcare Chaplaincy Board HCB. Email: [InformationHCBboard@gmail.com](mailto:InformationHCBboard@gmail.com)

**CONGRATULATIONS:** to the Kerry Football team on their All Ireland success last Sunday. Best wishes to the Kerry Ladies this weekend. Ciarraí Abú!!

## NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS August 1st—7th

Monday	9.30am Ella Hussey O'Leary, L/O Cork & Killarney, & Caroline Hussey Brady, L/O Dublin.
Tuesday	9.30am Special Intention.
Wed	9.30am Catherine & Ned Morgan Mc Elligott, L/O Graigue, Ardfert.
Thur.	9.30am Bridie Kelly, L/O Ardfert.
Friday	9.30am Breda Hickey, L/O Oakview.
Saturday	9.30am Patrick, Deborah, Brendan & Noreen Trant & Mary Browne & Edward Gargan, L/O Listellick. 6.30pm No Intention
Sunday	10.00am Brian Kelly, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. (11th Anniv) Bill Dillon, L/O Ard Carraig, Caherslee.(1st Anniv) Tom Quirke, (4th Anniv) & James Quirke, (42nd Anniv) L/O Casements Ave.& Rock St. John Mike Mc Carthy, L/O Lismore. (8th Anniv) & his wife Breda (Recently Decd.) Con & Sheila Enright, L/O Lisbeg, Oakpark. Joan Smith, L/O Brianville, Clogherbrien. (5th Anniv) Chris Cummins, L/O Tralee. (Month's Mind) Martha Buckley, L/O Ballybunion. (Rec. Decd.) 11.15am Nora O' Neill, L/O Ballymacelligott, Barrow & Tralee. (1st Anniv) 12.30pm Tom & Mary Meehan, & Decd. Family Members L/O Castleisland

## INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

### **First Reading**

The writer of this biblical book preaches a message of vanity: considered apart from God and his promises, reality is finally vain. Our hope lies in God.

### **Second**

'The life you have is hidden with Christ in God.' This is a marvellously hopeful message: there is a deeper meaning to life than is apparent, a meaning kept safely with God.

### **Gospel**

For Jesus, to view life through the lens of a bank account rather than through the lens of eternity is the mark of a fool.