



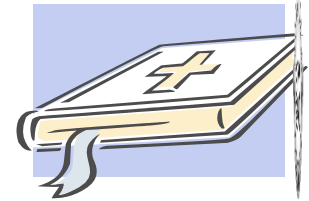
# Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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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



## Aug 27th (21st Sunday in Ordinary Time)

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

\***Michael Rice**, Bawnboy, Tralee & Abbeydorney.

\***Albert Griffin**, O' Rahilly's Villas

\***Michael Falvey**, Jnr. Knockanish West, The Spa

\***Bridie Kelly (nee Brick)**, St Brendan's Park & formerly Farmers Bridge.

**\*\*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 Tadhg Fitzgerald, ☐087 2069656.

**PARISH OFFICE:** is open Monday to Friday from 9.00am–12.30pm.

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

**MASS BOOKINGS 2024:** Our Parish Office will take bookings for 1st Anniversary Masses on Tuesday September 5th. All other bookings will be taken from Wednesday September 6th. We ask you to call to the Parish Office to make Mass booking during these days. Telephone bookings cannot be taken on both of these days.

**TELEVISED MASS:** on SKY channel 517 or on RTE News Channel, will be broadcast from our church on Wednesday September 6th at 10.30am.

**CHILDRENS LITURGY GROUP:** lead the young children (5-7 year olds) during the 10am Sunday Mass, teaching them prayers and bible stories. We are looking to recruit volunteers to help with the Children's Liturgy Group. If you are willing to help please contact the Parish Office.

**HORIZONS SUMMER FEATURES 2023:** on Radio Kerry every Sunday morning at 9.10am featuring the life stories of people across the diocese. Talks are available on playback.

August 27th: "Willie Wixted Looks Back": Conversation with Willie Wixted from Listowel on his work with the church and his retirement. Willie's story is interesting, informative and entertaining.

**LEGION OF MARY KNOCK PILGRIMAGE:** will be held on Sunday September 24th. Bus leaving Killarney from the Church of the Resurrection at 6.30 am. Cost for the bus is €30. More details from Pat 086-8510423.

**MONTH OF CREATION:** September 1st -October 4th. The Irish Bishops Conference have agreed that parishes would return 30% of Church grounds to nature by 2030.(30/30 Vision). We are taking up this challenge in our parish and we are inviting all our parishioners to do likewise in their own gardens. Join us as we start our journey on Tuesday Sept 12th from 7.00 – 8.30pm. Niamh Ní Dhúill will guide us through the church grounds and demonstrate the first steps we can take to fulfil our 30/30 Vision. All welcome to this outdoor event.

**KERRY BLOOD DONATION CLINIC:** are holding a blood donation clinic at the Listowel Arms Hotel on Monday August 28th from 4.50 – 8.10pm. New donors welcome. Contact 1800 222 111 for an appointment.

**BREAKTHROUGH CANCER RESEARCH:** are the largest funder of research into poor prognosis cancers in the island of Ireland. We are looking for help with our Tralee collection on Friday September 22nd. If you have an hour to spare please contact Mary at 021 422 66 55 or email mary@breakcancer.ie Thank you for helping us Make More Survivors.

**NATIONAL LEARNING NETWORK COLLEGE TRALEE:** Continuous enrolment all year round. All courses are FREE and you retain all your Social Welfare Payments. We have put in place, structures and supports to help students to start and complete their education in a safe and inclusive environment. We provide quality training courses, vocational training and employment opportunities for people with additional support needs. Classes are small and students work at their own pace. We offer course sampling if you are not sure what course would suit you best. For more information Contact 066-71222533 or Jane 087-9540886 for a visit to the college.

**SACRED HEART MESSENGER:** September edition, copies for sale on the book stand €2.00.

### INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

#### **First Reading**

From the prophet Isaiah, describes the faithful servant who will be entrusted with authority and right judgement to serve God's people.

#### **Second Reading**

Finds St. Paul expressing to the Romans his wonder and praise at the scope of God's ultimately mysterious design and activity.

#### **Gospel**

The Gospel of St. Matthew reaches that key moment of recognition when Peter declares Jesus to be the Christ and is rewarded with a promise of leadership and spiritual authority.

**LIVE STREAMING:** The webcam is available on the parish website [www.stbrendansparish.org](http://www.stbrendansparish.org) The Masses are recorded and available on the website, soon after the Mass is celebrated.

## NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS August 28th –Sept 3rd

Monday	9.30am Mary Dowd, L/O Caherslee (7th Anniv)
Tuesday	9.30am Johnny, Mick & Hannah Carroll, L/O Doon.
Wed	9.30am No Intention
Thur.	9.30am No Intention
Friday	9.30am No Intention
Saturday	9.30am J.J. Murphy, L/O Connolly Pk. (4th Anniv)
	6.30pm No Intention
Sunday	10.00am Marlene Fernane, L/O Listellick & Caherslee (4th Anniv)
	11.15am Niamh Mc Carthy, L/O Ballyroe.
	12.30pm Michael (Chucky) O' Connell, L/O Casements Ave. (7th Anniv)

## **Official Prayer for World Meeting of Families 2018**

### **(5th Anniversary)**

God, our Father,  
We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,  
One family, in the Spirit of your love.

Bless us with the joy of love.

Make us patient and kind,  
Gentle and generous,

Welcoming to those in need.

Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.

Protect all families with your loving care,  
Especially those for whom we now pray:

*(we pause and remember our family members and others by name).*

Increase our faith,

Strengthen our hope,

Keep us safe in your love,

Make us always grateful for the gift of life  
that we share.

We ask this, through Christ our Lord. Amen.