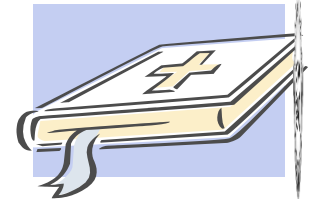




# Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish



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

## March 31st (Easter Sunday)

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

\***Noel Brosnan**, Casements Avenue.

\***Patricia McMahon**, Gortatlea & San Francisco.

\***Lorraine Leahy**, Gallowsfield.

**\*\*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.

**PARISH OFFICE;** will be closed on Easter Monday and re-open on Tuesday at 9am.

**EASTER DUES ENVELOPES;** can be returned at the second collection at all Masses this weekend. They can also be returned to the Sacristy or Parish Office. Envelopes are also available at the Church doors. Many thanks for your generosity.

**EASTER NEWSLETTER:** There is a word puzzle in the Easter Newsletter booklet. We encourage children to complete the puzzle and to return their entry to the Pastoral Centre by Wed April 12th. There will be a draw for successful entries and 5 prizes for the winners..... If you're not in, you can't win!!!

**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS:** will be held in St. John's Church on Sunday next, April 7th at 2.40pm. All welcome.

**TROCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN;** Trocaire Boxes can be placed in the letter box of the Parish Centre. We are very grateful for the generous support for Trocaire each year. It would be very helpful to convert the coin into notes. If you wish to donate online please use the Trocaire website. No person has been authorised to collect the Trocaire boxes.

*Fr Padraig & Fr Amos wish  
you all  
a Happy and Peaceful Easter.*

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC) UPDATES:

\*The Parish Pastoral Council is currently preparing a leaflet of explanation about the voyage of St Brendan on the bronze plaques in front of the church.

\*On May 19th, the 10am Mass will celebrate the feastday of St Brendan (May 16th)

\*Youth Week in the diocese will take place on April 20th—26th.

\*There will be a follow-up to the recent consultation meeting when the draft report is circulated.

**TRALEE MUSICAL SOCIETY:** is back with the musical comedy "Sister Act" in Siamsa Tire from April 9th –13th. Based on the hit 1992 film, the stage production is filled with powerful gospel music, outrageous dancing and a truly moving story that will give audiences a reason to rejoice. Tickets €21. Bookings 066-7123055

**IMOGEN STUART:** who was the artist who created the bronze statue of Our Lady in the church shrine, died on Monday last. May she rest in peace.

**CHURCH CARPARK LIGHTING:** has recently been replaced as some of the fittings were obsolete and couldn't be repaired. The new lighting is "down-lighting" in style to reduce light pollution and is 70% more energy efficient. Phase II of the work will be complete in a few weeks time.

**NATIONAL APOSTOLATE OF EUCHARISTIC ADPRATION:** Annual Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine takes place this year on Saturday and Sunday 13th /14th April. Coach leaving Killarney on Sunday Morning at 7am. Contact Breda: 087 674 2306 or Catherine: 087 928 2421 for more details.

**RECOVERY HAVEN KERRY:** are currently enrolling for an upcoming bereavement programme aimed at children aged 8-12 years of age, who are dealing with the loss of a parent through cancer. Through play & art, children will learn about responses to grief and learn how to cope with their feelings. The free 8-week programme begins on Tues, April 9th (4.30pm-6pm) Contact 0667192122 for details.

## INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

### First Reading

The Acts of the Apostles is the Church's Easter Book': it follows the joyful path of the first disciples after the first Easter.

### Second Reading

We celebrate our Easter faith not just by an emotionally-based rejoicing, but by pursuing sincerity and truth.

### Gospel

The stone has been rolled away! The obstacles we face are no obstacles to God.

## NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS APRIL 1st –7th

Monday	9.30am	Decd. Members of the Culloty & Sugrue Families, L/O Gurrane, Listellick.
Tuesday	9.30am	David O' Sullivan, L/O Derryquay.
Wed	9.30am	Easter Mass Bouquets.
Thur.	9.30am	Teddy, Humphrey & Ellen Brick, L/O St. Brendan's Park.
Friday	9.30am	Parish Mass.
Saturday	9.30am	Con & Pidgie Slattery, L/O Listellick.
	6.30pm	Thomas, Elizabeth & Sean Culloty, L/O Curravough Con & Nora Murphy, L/O Casements Avenue. Bernard & Ciss Mullins & their son Tommy, L/O Stacks Villas. Dan O' Keeffe, L/O Blackrock & Carrigeendaniel. Dermot O' Rourke, L/O Rockwell Close & Firies. (Months Mind) Morgan & Kitty Dillane, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. Roger & Margaret Kissane & their daughter in law Nora, L/O Lisselton. Maud Carmody, L/O Lisselton. Molly & Denis Curry, L/O St. Brendan's Park. Marian Walsh, L/O Listellick.
Sunday	10.00am	John P Stack, L/O Gurrane. Alice Naughton, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. (2nd Anniv) Edward & Margaret Falvey, L/O Rock Street. Eileen & Ann Leen, L/O Park Lane & St. Brendan's Park. Charlie & Joan Dowling, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. Dave, Dede & Rachel Horan, L/O Ballyard. Eileen & Daniel Griffin, L/O O'Rahillys Villas. Decd. Members of the Lane Family, L/O Knocknagoshel. Kitty & Dan Lane, L/O Knocknagoshel Madeline Byrne & her sister Noreen Downey, L/O Knocknagoshel. John Jack Reihan, L/O O'Connells Ave, Listowel Mary Greaney, L/O Clahane, Ballyard.
	11.15am	Maurice Mc Crohan, L/O Doon. (4th Anniv)
	12.30pm	Maisie Brennan, L/O Connolly Park.