

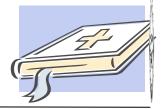
## **Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish**

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## October 27th (30th Sun. in Ordinary Time) PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- \*Neil (Jr.) Crowley, Killerisk.
- \*Cecelia Gleasure (nee Ahern), Castle Demesne & Templeglantine.
- \*John Lambe, Old Gallowsfield.
- \*Con McCarthy, Ballyard & The Mall.
- \*Patrick (Cha) Roche, Killarney & Woodview Park, Tralee.
- \*Denis Foley, Kerins Park.
- \*Ciarán O'Nualláin, Mounthawk.
- \*\*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 Tadhq Fitzgerald **2**087 2069656.

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

**DIOCESAN COLLECTION:** in aid of Irish Church Commissions & Agencies will be taken up at all Masses next weekend Nov 2nd / 3rd Your support is very much appreciated

**ALL SAINTS DAY:** Friday next November 1st is the Feast Day of All Saints and a Holy Day of Obligation. Vigil Mass on Thursday at 6.30pm. Masses on Friday at 9.30am & 11.15am. There will not be a 12.30pm Mass on this day.

**ALL SOULS DAY:** on Saturday next, Nov. 2nd. Mass at 9.30am.

**30/30 VISION:** The parish plan to return 30% of the parish grounds to nature by 2030 was launched recently. The work will be carried out on Saturday mornings from 10am-11am. All interested are invited to help with the planting, pruning and developing the plan. Join us any Saturday in the Church grounds.

**FR MARIO JACHYM:** the Polish Chaplain, has been working in the diocese of Kerry since 2018. He will be returning to Poland permanently at the end of the month. We thank him and the Society of Christ for his ministry to the Polish communities. We wish Fr Mario every blessing in his native land.

**NOVEMBER ENVELOPES & PRAYER CARDS**: as well as Christmas envelopes and calendars have been delivered to households in the parish. Many thanks to the contact people in each area for their co-operation. Envelopes can be returned to the Parish Office or at weekend Masses. Many thanks for your generous support.

**NOVEMBER MASSES:** Our week of Remembrance for the Dead will take place from Monday November 11th to Friday November 15th. The November lists will be included in the special Masses each evening at 7pm during that week. The special Mass on the Friday evening will be offered for all who died since November of last year.

If you want to include anyone in the Friday evening Mass who died outside the parish since last year, please write their name on an envelope and return it to the letterbox at the Parish Office by Tuesday November 12th.

**GOD'S ACRE MASS;** will be celebrated on Wed. November 6th at 3.00pm. All welcome.

**RECOVERY HAVEN KERRY:** are hosting a Building Better Caregivers 6-week online course, for people supporting a loved one through cancer beginning on Tuesday, November 5th, and will cover topics like staying healthy and well; tools for managing fatigue; communication skills; dealing with stressful situations and much, much more. For more details contact o 0667192122

MUSIC WORKSHOP: in the Pastoral Centre, on Monday November 11th at 7.30pm. This is a opportunity to learn new music and revitalize old hymns, while also learning the hymn chosen for the diocesan Mission 2025, "Sail the Soul "by Liam Lawton. To register for this workshop or more information, contact Frances Rowland on 064 6632644 or email francesrowland@dioceseofkerry.org

**IN THE SHADOW OF THE CATHEDRAL:** a play about Ardfert. The play will take place in Ardfert National School Hall, from November 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8.00pm. Tickets on sale at the door or from Ardfert Printing & The Village Pantry.

**UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL KERRY:** invite you and your family to the annual November Mass for all those who have died within the Hospital over the past year, including those who have died in Palliative Care Services, Maternity Services, relatives of hospital staff and former staff members of University Hospital Kerry. The Mass will be celebrated in St. Johns Church, Castle Street on Monday November 4th at 7pm.

**CATHOLIC MARRAGE ENCOUNTER:** Re-ignite the Spark in Your Marriage! Looking to deepen your connection and bring more joy, romance, and intimacy to your relationship? Join the Catholic Marriage Encounter Weekend. Dates: Friday Nov 8th—Sunday Nov 10th. Venue: Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Booking: Online only at www.marriageencounter.ie

## NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS Oct 28th-Nov. 3rd.

Monday 9.30am Parish Mass.

Tuesday 9.30am Mary McGrath, L/O Listellick North. (5th Anniv) Wed 9.30am Anna Fitzpatrick, L/O Bundoran, Co. Donegal.

Thur. 9.30am Sr. Ursula Quirke, L/O Balloonagh.

6.30pm Special Intention x 2.

Friday 9.30am Patrick, May & John O'Driscoll, L/O West Cork.

11.15am Pat Mulcare, L/O Ballyroe.

Saturday 9.30am John Denihan, L/O Alderwood Road. (9th Anniv)

6.30pm Eilly O'Connor, L/O Connolly Park.

Tim & Nora Moriarty, L/O Mitchel's Avenue.

Alice O'Sullivan, L/O St. Brendan's Park.

Sunday 10.00am Dan Commane, L/O Haigs Terrace & Maynooth.

The Loughran Family, L/O Belfast.

Jacqueline O'Neill Hussey, L/O Doon, (2nd Anniv)

Maurice Egan, L/O Barrakilla. (4th Anniv)

Jerry Murray, L/O Rugby, U.K. & Cork.

Eoin Walsh, L/O Balloonagh Close. (2nd Anniv)

Joe, Shelia & Brian Looby, L/O Caherciveen

& Tralee.

John & Josie Switzer, L/O O Rahilly's Villas.

Christy Foley, L/O London & Killorglin.

Ellen (Nell) & Charles Turner, L/O St. Brendan's Pk

11.15am Henry Aherne, L/O Farranfore. (Recently Decd.)

12.30pm Jeremiah O'Sullivan, L/O Kevin Barry Villas. (2nd Anniv) & Margaret Lynch, L/O Connolly Pk. (5th Anniv)

## **INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND**

First Reading

The Lord does not intend to allow his people to suffer indefinitely. Those who have been in tears are called to shout for joy!

Second Reading

Christ is our High Priest. He leads us to the Father and he makes the Father's goodness present to us.

Gospel

Jesus is on the most important journey ever undertaken by a human being: his journey to the cross. Yet he stops when he hears the cry of a poor blind man.