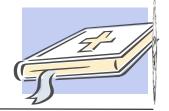


Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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



May 14th (Sixth Sunday of Easter)

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- *John O' Callaghan, Racecourse Road.
- *Elsie Mallon (nee Carmody), Lioscarraig Drive, Caherslee & Ardfert.
- *Jerry Horgan, Old Golf Links & Cork.
- *Patsy Gleeson (nee Lambe), Killarney & Ballymullen.
- *Werner Heinrich, Connolly Park.
- **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 Amos Ruto, **☎**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.

HOLY FAMILY FIRST COMMUNION CEREMONY: will be held in Our Lady & St. Brendan's Church on Saturday, May 20th at 11.00am

ROSMINIAN FATHERS MISSION APPEAL: A special word of thanks to all who contributed so generously to the Rosminian Fathers last weekend. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

FIRST COMMUNION: Congratulations to the boys & girls of St Ita's & St. Joseph's & Listellick Schools who received their First Communion this weekend. Many thanks to their teachers and parents who helped prepare them for their Communion ceremony.

TO BOOK A MASS: Please contact the Parish Office 066-7125932. If you leave an envelope in the Parish Office, please put your name and contact number on it, as the date you require may not be available. Many thanks for your co-operation.

WELCOME: A word of welcome to Mark Quinn, a student for the priesthood who will be living in the presbytery for the next 3 months. Mark is a native of Castlebar, Co Mayo and is doing the Hospital Chaplaincy (CPE) course in Kerry University Hospital. (Presume he won't be flying a Mayo flag next Saturday!!) We wish him well in his studies.

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY: in Knock on Saturday June 3rd at 1.00pm. If you organize a bus please contact Fiona 086-8760058.

ST BRENDANS FEAST DAY: As it wasn't possible to organise a pilgrim walk on the Greenway for our recent Parish Mission, we encourage you to join us for a Prayer Service at the statue of St Brendan on Fenit Pier, on Sunday May 14th at 2pm, to mark the Feast Day of St Brendan.

ST BRENDAN'S DAY: – Mass will be celebrated at Wether's Well, Tubrid, Ardfert on Tuesday May 16th at 7.30pm in honour of St Brendan. All welcome.

FÉILE NAOMH BREANAINN: As we honour St Patrick with the shamrock and St Brigid with her cross, you are encouraged to fly any flag from our homes, our schools, our clubs and our businesses from today until Wednesday as her honour St Brendan.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: will take place in the Prayer Room every Thursday from 10am — 2pm. All welcome.

PENTECOST NOVENA: on 6th century Monastic sites from Ballintubber, Co Mayo on May 19th to Clonmacnoise, Co Offaly on May 27th with Fr John Mockler.

RECOVERY HAVEN KERRY: are the beneficiaries of a Race Night in conjunction with Churchill GAA, taking place at The Greyhound Stadium Tralee on May 20th at 6.30pm. A great family evening. Tickets at €10 each and Children under 14's are free.

ACCORD PRE-MARRIAGE COURSE: If you have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team in supporting couples who are preparing for the sacrament of Marriage, join Accord and train as a Marriage Preparation Programme Facilitator. Please contact Aisling on 01 5053112 or email: marriagepreparation@accord.ie

INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

First Reading

From the Acts of the Apostles, reveals the healing message of the Gospel being brought to rejoicing Samaritans who were empowered by the Holy Spirit.

Second Reading

From St. Peter, advises believers to show willingness to explain their reasons for faith in Christ courteously even in the face of persecution.

Gospel

It contains the promise of the constant companionship of Jesus through the Holy Spirit for those who obey his commandments of love.

NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS May 15th-21st

Monday 9.30am Mary & Patrick O' Connor, L/O Cahirciveen.

Tuesday 9.30am Hannah & Thomas Foley & Decd. Family Members,

L/O St. Brendan's Park.

Wed 9.30am Tom Foley, L/O Kerins Park. (3rd Anniv)

Thur. 9.30am Joe & Marie O' Mara & Decd. Family Members,

L/O Brewery Road.

Friday 9.30am Martin Kearney, L/O St. Brendan's Park.

Saturday 9.30am George Mc Neice, L/O St. Brendan's Park.

(Birthday Remembrance)

6.30pm Sean Geary, Knockaclogher, Ballyroe. (1st Anniv)

Jim & Elizabeth Kelly, L/O Balloonagh.

Timothy & Ellen Coakley, L/O Scartaglin, & Frank & Elizabeth Hartnett, L/O Ballinorig.

Noreen O' Connor, L/O Racecourse Lawn.

(1st Anniv)

Margaret O' Connell, L/O Deerpark, Lixnaw.

Bridget Gaynor, L/O Casement's Ave. (1st Anniv)

David Spring, L/O St. Brendan's Pk. & Wexford

Sunday 10.00am John Mc Carthy, L/O St. Brendan's Park.

Eileen Daly, L/O Clogherbrien.

Mary Sullivan, L/O London & Bears.

John Counihan, L/O Castlemaine

James Cahill, L/O Ennis. (Recently Decd.)

Special Intentions.

Margaret O' Donnell, L/O Ballygarron, The Spa.

11.15am Bob & Maggie O' Sullivan, L/O Leith East.

12.30pm Ina Gleasure, L/O Caherslee.(1st Anniv)

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