



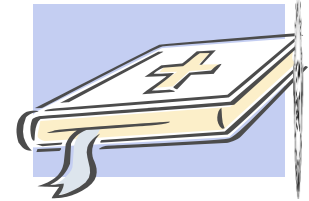
Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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



Feb. 16th (6th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ***Maurice Dowling**, Mounthawk.
 - ***Liam Moriarty**, The Kerries.
 - ***Witold Pasierbski**, Mitchels Road.
 - ***Joan Barry Doyle**, Balloonagh Close.
- **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 Padraig Walsh, ☐087 2069656.

PARISH OFFICE; The Parish Office is open Monday to Friday from 9.00am - 12.30pm

DEVELOPMENT FUND BOXES: The new boxes of will be delivered to households in the coming week. We are grateful for the support through the weekly envelope and for the support of parishioners who pay by yearly cheque or standing order. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS; will be celebrated on Sunday, March 2nd at 12 noon in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Rathass. Celebrant: Fr. Bernard Healy. Please note change of date to the 1st Sunday of the month.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: At present we are recruiting Eucharistic Ministers for each of the weekend Masses. It is a very important and practical ministry with the distribution of holy communion. If you are willing to attend a training session and to be part of a rota, please give your name to the sacristan after Mass.

POOR CLARE MONASTERY: vocations afternoon Saturday February 22nd from 2pm-4pm for young women considering a vocation. email: vocationspoorclarecork@gmail.com or Poor Clare Monastery, College Rd., Cork

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.

30/30 VISION: The parish plan to return 30% of the parish grounds to nature by 2030 was launched last year. 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. All welcome.

ANAM CARA; Online Bereavement Information Evening on Tuesday February 18th from 7pm - 8:30pm. Guest Speaker: Brid Carroll. Registration on line.

TRALEE GIRL GUIDES: are running a cake sale in St. Brendan's Parish Centre on Sunday February 23rd from 10.30am to 2.00pm. They would very much welcome the support of the parishioners for this fundraising event.

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME; for the Jubilee year, led by Bishop Ray Browne, will take place from May 19th—23rd. For further details, contact Nora 087 9318976

INVITATION TO ATTEND: "Ireland, Abortion and Advocating for Life in 2025" hosted by the Pro Life Campaign on March 3rd from 7.30pm-8.30pm. Online free information event, register at prolifecampaign.ie/events

CYSTIC FIBROSIS: Ireland are looking for volunteers to help them with their collections in Tralee on Friday April 11th. If you or a member of the community are available from 10am to 2pm or 2pm to 7pm and would like to help with our collections call 01 4962433. Thank you for your support.

CALL FROM THE DÁIL: Anniversary Mass for Kerryman Michael O'Regan of "Call from the Dáil" will take place in Knocknagoshel Community Centre on Saturday next Feb 22nd at 10.00am. A fundraising draw for the Kerry/Cork/ Limerick cancer bus will also take place as well as prominent speakers. All welcome.

MEDJUGORIE PILGRIMAGE: September 10th (7 nights) €899pps. Contact Maura Harcksen 087-1517696 or 7127143

INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND

First Reading

The prophets always had their work cut out for them, when it came to leading people to trust in God. In this respect, human nature has not changed.

Second Reading

Some of Paul's community are denying the very heart of the faith, saying that there is no such thing as resurrection from the dead. Sadly, there will always be people who stray from the truth and who proclaim cheap alternatives. We must hold tenaciously to the truth of the Gospel.

Gospel

Before teaching the people, Jesus 'fixes his eyes on them.' The Lord sees us in depth, not only with sight, but with insight.

NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS Feb 17th—23rd

Monday	9.30am Dan O'Carroll, L/O Cork.
Tuesday	9.30am Dora & Liam Counihan, L/O Tralee.
Wed	9.30am Dan & Kitty O'Sullivan, L/O St Brendan's Park.
Thur.	9.30am Mary Martin, L/O Blackrock. (Rec. Decd.)
Friday	9.30am Parish Mass.
Saturday	9.30am Tim & Nina Moynihan, L/O The Villa, Mounthawk. 6.30pm Billy O'Connell, L/O Gas Terrace. Dan Kellegher, L/O Racecourse Road. Donal Kelliher, L/O Rochfordbridge, Mullingar & Racecourse Rd. (2nd Anniv) Bradley Duffy, L/O Racecourse Heights. (2nd Anniv) Bernie Roche, L/O Connolly Pk. (1st Anniv) Breda Walsh, L/O Currow. Maura Moriarty, L/O Hillview Drive. (8th Anniv) Mary Hennebery, L/O Caherslee. Peggy Carroll, L/O Balloonagh Est. (7th Anniv) John O'Sullivan, L/O Clogherbrien. (Months Mind)
Sunday	10.00am Delfina Taddei, L/O Italy. Batt & Kitty O'Neill, L/O Eyeries & Beara, Co Cork Noreen O' Neill, L/O Caherslee. (5th Anniv) John & Ann Harrington, L/O Balloonagh Close. 11.15am John Kavanagh, L/O Woodlee. 12.30pm Marjorie McMahon, "Glenamona" Monavalley.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

- ***Ash Wednesday:** March 5th
- ***St Patrick's Day:** Monday March 17th.
- ***Easter Sunday:** April 20th
- ***Confirmation ceremonies**
 - *Friday April 4th -Listellick & Holy Family
 - *Thursday April 10th - Balloonagh