ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER, TARBERT

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**17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 24th JULY 2016.**

**R.I.P. Sr. Gabriel O’ Brien – North Presentation Convent Cork and Tarbert.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| **Saturday 23rd** | ***10am***  ***6pm*** | ***Sean Hickman, U.S.A.***  ***Joe O’ Connell, Dooncaha.*** |
| ***Sunday 24th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Esther Mulvihill, Dooncaha.*** |
| ***Monday 25th*** | ***10am*** | ***James O’ Brien, Glin.*** |
| ***Tuesday 26th*** | ***10am*** | ***Nora and Michael Coolahan, Main St.*** |
| ***Wednesday 27th*** | ***10am*** | ***Maureen Moore, Tarmons.*** |
| ***Thursday 28th*** | ***10am*** | ***Pat Sheehy, Woodview Place.*** |
| ***Friday 29th*** | ***10am***  ***7.30pm*** | ***John Leslie, Tarbert House.***  ***Graveyard Mass, Church Grounds.*** |
| ***Saturday 30th*** | ***10am***  ***6pm*** | ***Brendan O’ Neill, Pulleen.***  ***Josephine, Bridie, Mary and Tom Holly, Tarmons.*** |
| ***Sunday 31st*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Dermot O’ Connor, Main St.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*: Fr. Padraig Kennelly 087-2931064.***

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION-  *€967 Mile Buíochas.***

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Vigil 6pm- Patricia Griffin, Nora O Connell, Niamh Wall.**

**WK Starting 18/7 11.30am – Patricia Mc Namara, Gabriel Mc Namara, Maureen Considene.**

***Eucharistic Adoration every Tuesday evening from 5.30pm to 7.30pm***

**Readers for July.**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6 pm** | **Sunday 11.30 am** |
| ***July 30th/31st*** | Laura Lavery | Joe Coolahan |

**First Friday Calls – Fr. Kennelly will do his house calls on Wednesday 27th July.**

**St. Marys Church Graveyard Mass will be held on Friday 29th of July at 7.30pm.**

**Lislaughtin Graveyard Mass will be held on Friday 5th of August at 7pm.**

**Kilnaughtin Graveyard Mass will be held on Friday 12th of August at 7.30pm.**

**Bishop Ray Browne will visit Tarbert and celebrate mass next weekend on Sat. July 30th at 6pm and on Sunday July 31st at 11.30am.**

**BLESSING**

May the Lord be your strength in times of weakness and your refuge in times of adversity.

May the Lord bless you with his protection, so that whatever happens in your lives will work for your good.

May the Lord help you to walk in uprightness of heart, and bring you to the joys of his kingdom.

**REFLECTION**

Jesus urges us to ask, seek and knock.

This means our faith must be an active one.

But sometimes we are too proud to ask, so we don’t receive;

We are too lazy to seek, so we don’t find;

And we are too timid to knock, so the door doesn’t open for us.

Lord, grant that we may not wait for things to happen;

Help us, rather, to be bold and energetic, yet humble and trustful,

So that we may receive the good things

Our heavenly Father wants us to have.

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**BINGO –** Bingo takes place in Tarbert Community Centre every Wednesday night at 8.30pm. Why not come along and bring a friend. Jackpot €1,125 in 53 calls. It could be you!

**TARBERT POST OFFICE** – Take an adventure along The Wild Atlantic Way which will entertain all ages. The Post Office are selling beautifully designed passports which can be stamped at designated Post Offices along the magical Wild Atlantic Way route. The passport cost is € 10 and the stamp is free.

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS** – All Ministers are reminded of the importance of being available for their regular duties as per the rota, or to arrange a replacement should you not be able to attend. This is more important at this time of the year with holidays etc. occurring. Copies of the rota are available from the Sacristy.

**OH TARBERT** - is a new publication that will transpose you back in time to a Tarbert of yesteryear. This book is written by Tom Buckley, Tarbert’s own memory man and edited by his neighbour and good friend Kevin Hurley PhD. This is a most wonderful memory recall of childhood and in addition this book will be of help to trace generations. *Oh Tarbert* is being launched by Paddy Creedon in our Parochial Hall on Friday 29th July at 8.30pm. – Everybody Welcome.

**KILNAUGHTIN CEMETERY** – The Kilnaughtin Cemetery Committee is appealing for public support in keeping our sacred resting place, like all of those in the locality, in the most pristine state possible. Despite the ongoing work of many volunteers there has been a worrying development in recent times, in that domestic rubbish has been left inside the graveyard gates. These thoughtless actions are of course the work of a tiny minority and in addition to this being an offence, we find these rather isolated instances are none the less very disrespectful to all our family and friends buried there. This year’s Cemetery Mass will take place on Friday Aug. 12th at 7.30pm.

**TRALEE DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP** will hold a meeting in the Rose Hotel (Fels Point) on Thursday July 28th.

**THE LISTOWEL FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE** - is preparing to open its doors to the families in the local community, when the centre stages their annual family fun day on Saturday July 23rd from 2-4pm. Everybody is welcome to attend.

**PILGRIMAGE** - August 22nd-24th3 day Pilgrimage to Knock and Lough Derg. All in Package includes visit to Knock, day retreat on Lough Derg, coach for 3 days, breakfasts, evening meals and accommodation in Bundoran. Early booking is advised due to waiting lists from previous pilgrimage in May. Deposit secures booking. - Contact Ken O Day on 087/2048677 for further details.

**SEANFHOCAL NA SEACHTAINE** Ná cuir ar an mhéar fhada rudaí is féidir a dhéanamh inniu.

--Do not postpone until tomorrow what you can do today.