ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER, TARBERT

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**21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 21st AUG 2016.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| **Saturday 20th** | ***6pm*** | ***Kathleen and Dermot Kennelly, Shanaway.*** |
| ***Sunday 21st*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Edmund and Margaret Mulvihill, Dooncaha.*** |
| ***Monday 22nd*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Tuesday 23rd*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Wednesday 24th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Thursday 25th*** | ***10am*** | ***Special Intention.*** |
| ***Friday 26th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Saturday 27th*** | ***10am***  ***6pm*** | ***John and Cinny, Remembrance Mass.***  ***The Healy Family, Sallowglen.*** |
| ***Sunday 28th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Joan Moore, Ballinoe.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*: Fr. Kevin Mc Namara 089-4044816.***

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION-  *€522 Mile Buíochas.***

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Vigil 6pm- Bernie Kelliher, Emer O’ Sullivan, Michael Lanigan.**

**WK Starting 15/8 11.30am – Margaret O’ Donovan, Catherine O’ Sullivan.**

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

**Readers for August and September.**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6 pm** | **Sunday 11.30 am** |
| ***August 27th/28th*** | Lynda Doherty | Anna Coolahan |
| ***September 3rd /4th*** | Patricia Griffin | Elaine Sweeney |
| ***September 10th /11th*** | Joan Murphy | Joan Kiely |
| ***September 17th /18th*** | Teresa Spaight | Maureen Considine |
| ***September 24th /25th*** | Mary Lavery Carrig | Laura Lavery |

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST –** a revised rota for the period August 2016 through to July 2017 is now in place (commences 29th August). As the rota contains a number of changes it is important that you collect your copy from the Sacristy without delay. Thank you.

**THE KILNAUGHTIN GRAVEYARD COMMITTEE** gratefully acknowledge the donations  amounting to **€1097** received at the annual Graveyard Mass on Friday 12th August 2016.These funds are used in the maintenance and general upkeep of Kilnaughtin Graveyard.

**ANNUAL STREET COLLECTION** – for Tarbert’s Juvenile G.A.A. Club will now take place on Saturday Aug. 27th. Your support is greatly appreciated. All funds raised will go towards the ongoing development of our young players and supporting our underage teams. This collection which was due to take place and had to be deferred, will now take place on Sat. 27th of Aug.

**BLESSING**

May the Lord, who conquered the evil one, keep you brave and strong.

May the Lord help you to grow in his love, so that you may live a life worthy of the calling he has given you.

And may you be convinced that wounds suffered in the cause of right are badges of honour in the Lord’s kingdom.

**REFLECTION**

Jesus said that there are two roads we can follow.

The first is wide and easy to travel.

It is downhill most of the way.

It is the way of comfort and ease, pleasure and self-seeking.

Many are fooled and travel down this road,

and end up dying in the desert.

The second road is narrow and difficult.

It is uphill a lot of the way.

It is the way of struggle and sacrifice.

Few take this road, but they are the lucky ones.

This road leads to the Promised Land.

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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 €1,230 in 55 calls. It could be you!

**TIERACLEA WATER SUPPLY AND GROUP SCHEME.** Please note that from 23rd of August 2016, all calls regarding supply and maintenance of the water supply should be directed to Liam Enright who can be contacted at 087-3770009. Kind regards Anne Kiely.

**AFTERSCHOOLS CLUB** – now opening for national school children of all ages. Children will be picked up at 2pm and 3pm at school and the service will remain open until 6pm. For further information please contact 0872237361.

**ST. JOHN’S CHURCH BALLYBUNION RESTORATION FUND -** present in concert Michael Nash Tenor, Anna Mai Wall Soprano, Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann,Mark Hennessy Boy Soprano, St. John’s Parish Choir, Danny Houlihan Piper and Noel Nash MC. Musicians: Mary Mulvihill, Chris Kiely and Denise Wren on Wednesday 24th August at 8 pm at St. John’s Church Ballybunion.  Suggested donation 15 Euro.

**KERRY EMIGRANT AND SUPPORT GROUP**: church gate collection for the Kerry Emigrant Support Group takes place this weekend on Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st of Aug. Your support is greatly appreciated. All monies go towards emigrant welfare. We have a very small committee, all whom give their time on a voluntary basis.

**HERITAGE WEEK AT TARBERT BRIDEWELL -** Thomas MacGreevy and the 1916 Rising. A lecture by eminent historian Dr. Declan Downey at Tarbert Bridewell Courthouse and Jail Thursday 25th Aug at 8pm - Adm Free Email:tarbertbridewell@eircom.net Telephone: 06836500.

**TARBERT BRIDEWELL COURTHOUSE AND JAIL GUIDED TOURS** – Saturday Aug 27th and Sunday Aug 28th at 11am and 2pm. Special Rates: Children Free – Adults €1.

**TRALEE DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP** will be held on Thursday August 25th in the Rose Hotel (Fels point) at 7:30pm. All are welcome.

**NATIONAL LEARNING NETWORK TRALEE** are currently recruiting participants for their QQI Level 5 Sport, Recreation and Exercise course. The course is free to individuals who are out of work due to illness, injury, those who have experienced a personal setback or early school leavers. Training and accommodation allowance provided. For further information, please contact NLN at 066 7122533 / 086 0404270 or [kevin.smith@nln.ie](mailto:kevin.smith@nln.ie)

**COIS SIONNA CREDIT UNION** – All branches of Cois Sionna Credit Union including Glin and Tarbert will be closed ono Monday and Tuesday 22nd and 23rd of Aug. due to computer upgrade. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

**SEANFHOCAL NA SEACHTAINE –** Dá fhad é an lá tagann an oíche. No matter how long the day, night comes. i.e nothing lasts forever.