ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER, TARBERT

**Parish Office Opening Hours: Priests:**

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**29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 16th OCT. 2016.**

**R.I.P. Patrick ( Patsy ) Healy, St. Alban’s and late of Leitrim East, Moyvane.**

**Tommy Stack, Comprehensive School and late of Moyvane.**

**Margaret Enright, Main Street.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 15th*** | ***6pm*** | ***Station Mass.*** |
| ***Sunday 16th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Bridie Horan, St. Patrick’s Tce.*** |
| ***Monday 17th*** | ***10am***  ***7.30pm*** | ***Mary and William Mc Sweeney.***  ***Ann Mc Gibney, Tieraclea Park, Months Mind.*** |
| ***Tuesday 18th*** | ***10am*** | ***Anne Sheehan, New York.*** |
| ***Wednesday 19th*** | ***10am*** | ***Willie and Mai Enright.*** |
| ***Thursday 20th*** | ***10am***  ***7.30pm*** | ***Special Intention.***  ***First Year Mass, Comprehensive School.*** |
| ***Friday 21st*** | ***10am*** | ***Private Intention.*** |
| ***Saturday 22nd*** | ***10am***  ***6pm*** | ***Jack O’Connell, Margaret and Frank Carew.***  ***Richard and Mary Ellen O’Connell, Kilpadogue.*** |
| ***Sunday 23rd*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Jack and Bernadette Dowling.*** |

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

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION-  *€ 722 Míle Buíochas.***

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Vigil 6pm- Caroline Martin, Eileen Haugh, Michael Lanigan.**

**WK Starting 10/10 11.30am – Mary Lavery Carrig, Catherine O’Sullivan, Pat O’Leary.**

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

**Readers for October.**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6 pm** | **Sunday 11.30 am** |
| ***October 22nd / 23rd*** | Patrick Lynch | Mary Coolahan |
| ***October 29th / 30th*** | Patrick Lynch | Mary Coolahan |

**HOLY ROSARY** – October is the month of the Holy Rosary. We pray the Rosary in Church every Wednesday evening at 7.30pm for the month of October – Please join us.

**MISSION MONTH** - October is Mission Month. At this time of year, we highlight the sharing of the Good News with people as a fundamental element of our Christian call. To support the younger churches throughout the world, a collection will be taken up at all masses this weekend, October 15th and 16th.

**DIOCESAN COLLECTION FOR THE PROGRATION OF THE FAITH** – will take place this weekend Oct 15th and 16th. Throughout the Church there are many different countries where the work of the Church needs to be supported and where the local community cannot yet provide for the needs of the local Church. Ireland has always had a very significant role to play in promoting and supporting the spread of the Good News.

**Pope Francis’ Five- Finger Prayer**

Using the fingers on your right hand, start with the thumb and pray these intentions in this order.

## ( 1) The thumb is the closest finger to you. So start praying for those who are closest to you. They are the people easiest to remember. To pray for our dear ones is a “ Sweet Obligation.”

( 2 ) The next finger is the index. Pray for those who teach you, instruct you and heal you. They need the support and wisdom to show direction to others.

( 3 ) The following finger is the tallest. It reminds us of our leaders, the governors and those who have authority. They need God’s guidance.

( 4 ) The fourth finger is the ring finger. Even though it may surprise you, it is our weakest finger. It should remind us to pray for the weakest, the sick or those plagued by problems.

( 5 ) And finally we have our little finger, the smallest of all. This finger should remind you to pray for yourself. When you have finished praying for others, you will be able to see your own needs but in the proper perspective, and you will be able to pray for your own needs in a better way.

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**BINGO** – Jackpot €575 in 41 calls. Bingo takes place in Tarbert Community Centre every Wednesday night at 8.30pm. All welcome.

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY** – “ A Garrison town but one in name only – Tarbert’s role in the War of Independence 1916 – 1922. “ Talk by Patrick Lynch in the Bridewell this Sat. at 7.30pm. - Cupán tae afterwards and everybody welcome.

**FUNDRAISER** - Monster fundraising Bingo will take place in the Parish Hall, Ballylongford on Sat 22nd October at 8pm. This is to help fund this lift in the Parish Hall. Lines €40 House €70 + Jackpot game and raffles on the night.

**THANKS** - The HSE and community partners would like to express sincere thanks to all those that attended the recent public meetings held in Dingle, Killarney, Caherciveen, Tralee and Listowel as part of the public engagement to develop the Suicide Prevention Action Plan for Kerry. All meetings were well attended with the public contributions welcomed. The Action Plan will be written up by the end of 2016, ready to launch in January 2017.

**SAVE ST. MARY OF ANGELS -**  A public meeting will be held on Wed. Oct. 19th at 8pm @ Killorglin CYMS Hall, Mill Rd.

**TIDY TOWNS 2016 -** The Tidy Towns committee would like to thank the Tarbert community for the part you played in securing 5 extra points in this year’s competition. The adjudicators concluding remarks were “It was a delight to explore Tarbert and to read of the history and to how you want to continue to enhance and develop your community in future years, you should be proud of your work and proud of your community, well done.” – Thank you.

**YOUTH MUSIC MINISTRY WORKSHOP-** There will be a workshop for all involved in Youth Music Ministry on Saturday, October 22nd 2016 in St. Brendan’s College (The Sem) Killarney.  Registration will begin at 10:30am.  Lunch will be served on the day.  The workshop is geared at people involved with youth choirs or youth folk groups, people who may want to set up such groups in your parish and people who would like to use more youth-friendly music in their parish.  Please contact Tomás Kenny (Diocesan Pastoral Team) on 086-3683778 or email [tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie) for more information.  Application forms will be sent to the parishes.  You can also download the form on the Diocese of Kerry website – [www.dioceseofkerry.ie](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE** - Faith and Spirituality for Parents: Paul Montgomery, B.A.Theol., M.A.Chap., Grad Holocaust Ed. Mondays - 17th & 24th October, 2016 7.00pm to 8.00pm. Evenings of Reflection, Meditation, Mindfulness to promote Positive Mental Health and Stress Management. Celebrating Catholic Faith Beliefs: Fr. Sean Sheehy, Wednesdays 28th Sept. to 16th Nov. 7.00pm - 8.30pm. We celebrate our faith in the Sacraments.

**SEANFHOCAL NA SEACHTAINE** – Fear óg falsa – sean fhear bocht – A lazy young man becomes an old poor man.