ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER, TARBERT

**Parish Office Opening Hours: Priests:**

**M Mon. 10.30am -2.30pm. Wed. 10.30am-1.30pm Fr John Lawlor PP 087-6794112**

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**THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING 20th  NOV. 2016.**

**R.I.P. Kitty Lavery, Upperchurch. Christina Histon, Tarbert Island.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 19th*** | ***11am***  ***6pm*** | ***Funeral Mass, Christina Histon, Tarbert Island.***  ***Holy Souls.*** |
| ***Sunday 20th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Patrick and Mary O’ Connor, Saleen.*** |
| ***Monday 21st*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Tuesday 22nd*** | ***10am*** | ***Jim and Eileen Lavelle, Doonard Lower.*** |
| ***Wednesday 23rd*** | ***10am*** | ***Cyril Hayes, Doonard Upper.*** |
| ***Thursday 24th*** | ***10am*** | ***Special Intention.*** |
| ***Friday 25th*** | ***10am*** | ***Private Intention.*** |
| ***Saturday 26th*** | ***10am***  ***6pm*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.***  ***Yvonne Costello, Tieraclea.*** |
| ***Sunday 27th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Catherine O’ Connor.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*: Fr. Noel Spring 087-2935969.***

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - **€ 878 Special Collection € 268 Míle Buíochas**.

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Vigil 6pm- Joan Murphy, Laura Lavery, Margaret o’ Donovan.**

**WK Starting 21/11 11.30am – Amanda O’ Sullivan, Teresa Hayes, John Mc Ginley.**

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

**Readers for November.**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6 pm** | **Sunday 11.30 am** |
| ***November 26th / 27th*** | Patricia Griffin | Denis Dineen |

**HOLY ROSARY** – November is the month of the Holy Souls. We pray the Rosary for the Holy Souls in church every Wed. evening at 7.30pm for the month of November – Please join us.

**8 MASSES** – Anthony Foley’s son Tony has asked that we attend 8 Sunday Masses and light a candle to remember all our dead and also his Dad. This is a wonderful initiative by a young boy and we will join him in Tarbert by lighting a special candle on the altar for our masses between now and Christmas. - Mol an óige agus tiocfaidh siad.

**FIRST FRIDAY CALLS** – Fr. Kennelly will do his house calls on Wed. 30th November.

**POPE FRANCIS’S PRAYER FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY**

**L**ord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful

like the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.

Show us your face and we will be saved.

Your loving gaze freed Zacchaeus and Matthew from being enslaved by money;

the adulteress and Magdalene from seeking happiness

only in created things; made Peter weep after his betrayal,

and assured Paradise to the repentant thief.

Let us hear, as if addressed to each one of us,

the words that you spoke to the Samaritan woman;

“ If you knew the gift of God !”

**Y**ou are the visible face of the invisible Father,

of the God who manifests his power above all by forgiveness, and mercy;

let the Church be your visible face in the world,

its Lord risen and glorified, You willed that your ministers

would also be clothed in weakness in order that they may feel

compassion for those in ignorance and error;

let everyone who approaches them feel sought after,

loved, and forgiven by God.

**S**end your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing,

so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord,

and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor,

proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind.

**W**e ask this of you, Lord Jesus, through the intercession of Mary,

Mother of Mercy; you who live and reign with the Father

and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. **Amen**.

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**BINGO** – Jackpot €700 in 44 calls. Bingo in Tarbert Community Centre every Wednesday night at 8.30pm. All welcome.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY** – The Christmas Senior Citizens Party will take place in The Community Centre on Sunday 11th December. A hot meal, and dancing to Stevie Donegan, plus a free raffle. Cost is €10 per person. All welcome. Names to be given to Breda Lavery please.

**SHANNONSIDE WOMEN’S GROUP** – meeting on Tuesday night Nov. 22nd at 7.30pm in the Community Centre.

**TARBERT POST OFFICE** - Last dates for posting this Christmas are as follows: Ireland letters 21st Dec. & Parcels 21st Dec. Great Britain letters 19th Dec. & Parcels 19th Dec. Europe letters 19th Dec. & parcels 13th Dec. USA letters 12th Dec. & parcels 9th Dec. Postal boxes, padded envelopes, bubble wrap are available in the post office.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE - An Hour of Prayer Using Scripture (Lectio Divina):** Sr. Elizabeth Gilmartin, Tue. 22nd Nov. 7pm-8pm. **Christian Morality: The Faith Lived** by Fr. Sean Sheehy, Wed. 23rd Nov. 7pm-8.30pm. **Bereavement Support Day “Be Gentle As You Walk With Grief”:** Tess Daughton & Maire G. Stewart**,** Sat. 26th Nov. 10am-4pm. **Contact:** 066 7134276.

**CRAFT FAIR** - The Annual Craft and Food fair will take place in the Parish Hall in Ballylongford this Sunday 20th Nov. from 10.30 to 5pm. Admission free and all are welcome.

**BUIOCHAS** – Árd Cúran, Listowel would like to thank everybody who subscribed to the collection for their New Day Care Centre, which amounted to € 366.83.

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY** – “ Tarbert’s first Census in 1659 and unusual place names “ – a talk by Patrick Lynch will take place in the Bridewell on Saturday 19th Nov. at 7.30pm. – Cupán tae afterwards and everybody welcome.

**SEANFHOCAL NA SEACHTAINE** – Ní hualach do dhuine a bhrat nó a bróga – A person’s coat or shoes are no load to carry.