ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER, TARBERT

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**Parish Office Opening Hours: Priests:**

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**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9th July 2017**

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

**R.I.P. Callum Holly, Athenry. Christina Donnelly, Carrick-on-Shannon.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 8th*** | ***6pm*** | ***Michael Healy, Tieraclea.*** |
| ***Sunday 9th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Margaret O’ Dowd, Carhoona.*** |
| ***Monday 10th*** | ***10am*** | ***Private Intention.*** |
| ***Tuesday 11th*** | ***10am*** | ***Patrick Kazmerski, U.S.A.*** |
| ***Wednesday 12th*** | ***10am*** | ***John Finucane, Piermount.*** |
| ***Thursday 13th*** | ***10am*** | ***Michael Zambardino U.S.A.*** |
| ***Friday 14th*** | ***10am*** | ***Special Intention.*** |
| ***Saturday 15th*** | ***10am***  ***6pm*** | ***Peggy and Eileen Flavin (Nee Heffernan) Months Mind***  ***John Mc Elligott, St. Patricks Tce*** |
| ***Sunday 16th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Aidan Holly, Chapel St.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*: Fr. Declan O’ Connor 087-0908949.***

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - **€ 880 Special Collection € 574 Míle Buíochas**.

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Vigil 6pm – Patricia Griffin, Nora O’ Connell, Emer O’ Sullivan.**

**WK Starting 03 / 07 11.30am -- Patricia Mc Namara, Gabriel Mc Namara, Maureen Considine.**

**Readers for July**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6pm** | **Sunday 11.30am** |
| **July 15th / 16th** | **Denis Dineen** | **Maeve Holly** |
| **July 22nd / 23rd** | **Patrick Lynch** | **Yvonne 0’ Keeffe Fox** |
| **July 29th / 30th** | **Joe Coolahan** | **Mary Lavery Carrig** |

**GRAVEYARD MASSES** – St. Marys Graveyard Mass Friday 28th July at 7.30pm, Lislaughtin Graveyard Mass Friday 4th August at 7pm and Kilnaughtin Graveyard Mass Friday 11th August at 7.30pm.

**WEDDING BELLS** – Congratulatios to Aidan Hegarty and Máire Stack who were married here in Tarbert recently and also to Gerard Buckley and Gillian O’Boyle who got married in Galway recently.

**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 won’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.



**BINGO** – Jackpot €750 in 45 calls. Bingo in Tarbert Community Centre Wed. nights at 8.30pm. All welcome.

**ÁRAS MHUIRE NURSING HOME** – Annual Church Gate Collection takes place next weekend, July 15th / 16th. Please support.

**TARBERT BRIDEWELL** - Indoor car boot sale (outdoor weather permitting) Sunday 9nd July 10am to 3pm (set-up from 9am) - €10 per table (Bring your own table) - Deposit required to secure a place. For bookings phone Tarbert Bridewell on 068 36500.

**THE RELICS OF ST TERESA (MOTHER TERESA) OF CALCUTTA** - Veneration in the Cathedral in Killarney on Sat July 8thafter the 6.15pm Vigil Mass to 10pm, (ending with Night Prayer) and Sun July 9th after the 12 noon Mass to 8pm.

**DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY** - In preparation for the World Meeting of Families, members of Parish Pastoral Councils will gather for a Diocesan Assembly to explore how parish can support family life. The Diocesan assembly will take place on Sunday October 15th in the Brandon Hotel, Tralee. More details to follow.

**CARDINAL CHRISTOPH SCHÖNBORN** - will be the keynote speaker at the *‘Let’s Talk Family: Let’s Be Family’*conference at Mary Immaculate College on July 13th 2017 at 7pm. The Cardinal will give two separate addresses, one specifically on Amoris Laetitia at 2pm and the other, a public lecture in the evening on ‘The Parish: Family of Families’.

**A WALK TO REMEMBER** – On Sunday July 9th at 1pm sharp, there is a walk to remember all lost love ones on Ballybunion beach. All proceeds received on the day will be donated to children’s charity Aoibheann’s Pink Tie. Registration from 12 noon, with balloon release at 12.45pm. Please join us for A WALK TO REMEMBER. Everyone welcome.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE –** Self Care Day: Practical skills for stress management and emotional wellness, Sat. 8th July 9.45am-4pm. Contact: Anna O'Donoghue 0879447105 Ref. capacitar-Ireland.org - Growing Old Gracefully: Welcome to a Guided Participative Experience facilitated by: John Dunne & Kathy Cunningham. Fri. 28th-Sun. 30th July. Contact 0667134276. Enrich your Faith: Foyer of Light, Charity and Love. Preached by Fr. Kilian Byrne, Aug 7th-13th. Contact Helen 0861678027.

**ST. MARY’S GRAVEYARD** – There is a water butt for watering flowers adjacent to the Sacristy on lower level pathway.

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY** – Bus Tour of West Clare and the Burren will take place on Sun. 16th July with the bus leaving the National School Car Park at 9am for Ferry. Lunch stop at Kilfenora and evening meal at Kilrush to link up with last ferry return. Members €30 to cover bus, Kilfenora Visitor Centre and ferry – Non Members €35. Names and payment to be with Bridewell Visitor Centre by Fri. 7th July 2017. The Tour will be guided by Dr. Declan Downey and Mary O’ Connor.

**WORDS TO THE WISE** – “Escapism is not happiness. Happiness is fulfilment” – the late Sr. Columba Finucane, F.C.J. teacher and author.