ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER, TARBERT

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**Parish Office Opening Hours: Priests:**

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

### Fri. 10.30am–2.30pm Phone: 068 36111. Fr Noel Spring 087- 2935969

### Email: [tarbert@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:tarbert@dioceseofkerry.ie) Fr Padraig Kennelly 087- 2931064

**Notices for Parish Newsletter have to be in Safeguarding Children: 087-6362780 Wednesday by 12 Noon. Defib. Emergency No. 087-3315999**

**Webpage:** [**www.dioceseofkerry.ie**](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie) **(Outside Surgery Hours)**

**15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 16th July 2017**

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

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **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.*** |
| ***Monday 17th*** | ***10am*** | ***Rose Mc Donnell, Dooncaha.*** |
| ***Tuesday 18th*** | ***10am*** | ***Private Intention.*** |
| ***Wednesday 19th*** | ***10am*** | ***Michael, Eileen and Breda Mc Elligott, Pulleen.*** |
| ***Thursday 20th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Friday 21st*** | ***10am*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Saturday 22nd*** | ***10am***  ***6pm*** | ***Mary Stack, Dooncaha, Months Mind.***  ***Brendan Finucane, Piermount. – 1st Anniversary.*** |
| ***Sunday 23rd*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Esther Mulvihill, Dooncaha.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*: Fr. Maurice Brick 087-9473317***

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - **€752 Míle Buíochas**.

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Vigil 6pm – Sheila Langan, Elaine Sweeney, Kitty Kelly.**

**WK Starting 17 / 07 11.30am -- Mary Holland, Teresa Egan, Sean Egan.**

**Readers for July**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6pm** | **Sunday 11.30am** |
| **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.

**FR. NOEL** – Fr. Noel Spring wishes to thank the people of Tarbert for their co-operation and understanding during the last three years. He prays that the Lord will bless and support you on your journey of faith.

**BLESSING**

May you know how to take care of your material needs,

without neglecting your spiritual needs.

May you know to take care of others,

without neglecting yourselves.

And may you know how to live joyfully in this world,

without losing sight of the world to come.

**REFLECTION**

The sky may be full of stars,

but switch on a light and they disappear.

It makes one realise how easily the earthly lights

can extinguish the heavenly ones.

Lord, help us to seek the things that make us rich in your sight,

and grant that the glitter of this world,

may not dim our hopes of heavenly glory.



**BINGO** – Jackpot €775 in 45 calls. Bingo in Tarbert Community Centre Wed. nights at 8.30pm. All welcome.

**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.

**SUMMER CAMP** – A Dyslexia and Dyspraxia Summer Camp will run in the Shannow Family Resource Centre Abbeydorney from July 17th to 20th. Time 9.30am to 12noon. Age: 4 to 10 yrs. Cost €65.00. The camp will promote the development of Fine and Gross Motor Skills, Emotional Regulation, Social skills and Sensory Integration.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE –** Growing Old Gracefully**:** Welcome to a Guided Participative Experience facilitated by: John Dunne & Kathy Cunningham. Friday 28th-Sunday 30th July.Contact 0667134276.Enrich your Faith**:** Foyer of Light, Charity and Love. Preached by Fr. Kilian Byrne, Aug 7th-13th. Contact Helen 0861678027.

**LOUGH DERG 2017 -** You may begin the Three Day Pilgrimage on any day up to and including Sunday 13th August. Advance booking is not necessary.  There are various travel options available countrywide. The Lough Derg team can help you to co-ordinate public transport or link up with Pilgrimage Organisers in your locality. Telephone Maureen or Lorraine on 071 9851518.

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

**TIDY TARBERT TOGETHER** – It was encouraging to see some of the young children clearing discarded bottles and cans from the Green River – Mol an óige is tiocfaidh sí.

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY** – Bus Tour to Clare will depart from National School Car Park at 9am for ferry and will return on 9pm ferry from Killimer on this Sunday.

**WORDS TO THE WISE** – ‘Let us endeavour so to live that when we come to die, even the undertaker will be sorry’ – Mark Twain.