ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER - TARBERT

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**Parish Office Opening Hours:**

**M Mon. 10.30am -2.30pm. Wed. 10.30am-1.30pm Priests :**

### Fri. 10.30am–2.30pm Phone: 068 36111. Fr. Sean Hanafin 087-8341083

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

**21th Sunday in Ordinary Time 27th Aug 2017**

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

**R.I.P. Owen Kelly, Chapel St. Lisa Mc Auliffe, Sydney.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 26th*** | ***6pm*** | ***Sean and Bridie Wren, Ballinoe.*** |
| ***Sunday 27th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Edmund and Margaret Mulvihill, Dooncaha.*** |
| ***Monday 28th*** | ***10am*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Tuesday 29th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Wednesday 30th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Thursday 31st*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Friday 1st*** | ***10am*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Saturday 2nd*** | ***6pm*** | ***Brendan and Fiona O’ Neill, Pulleen.*** |
| ***Sunday 3rd*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Eddie O’ Connor and Family Members, Glencullare.*** |

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

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - **€ 670 Míle Buíochas**.

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Vigil 6pm – Catherine Ferris, Teresa Spaight, Helen O’ Connor.**

**WK Starting 28 / 08 / 17. 11.30am -- Eileen Dineen, Denis Dineen, Anne Normile.**

**Readers for September**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6pm** | **Sunday 11.30am** |
| September 2nd / 3rd | Patrick Lynch | Joan Kiely |
| September 9th / 10th | Patrick Lynch | Joan Kiely |
| September 16th / 17th | Maureen Considine | Denis Dineen |
| September 23rd / 24th | Maureen Considine | Denis Dineen |
| Sept. 30th / Aug.1st | Patricia Griffin | Yvonne O’ Keefe Fox |

**DIOCESAN COLLECTION** – A second collection will be taken up next weekend for Diocesan Needs.

**BLESSING**

Lord, we thank you for having us as guests at the banquet of the Eucharist.

Here we have listened to your word and eaten the food of eternal life.

May we go forth from here nourished, honoured, blessed, humbled yet exalted.

May we be so sure of our worth before you, that the honours of this world will never ensnare us.

And in your goodness, grant us a place at your heavenly banquet.



**BINGO** – Jackpot €925 in 48 calls. Bingo in Tarbert Community Centre Wed. nights at 8.30pm. All welcome.

**SHANNONSIDE WOMEN’S GROUP** – would like to thank all those who supported their recent clothes collection, which amounted to €525. This was shared between Tarbert Development Association and Tarbert Bereavement Support Group. The next collection will be held on Thursday 12th Oct. in aid of St. Mary’s Church Tarbert. Your support is greatly appreciated.

**TARBERT BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP** – gratefully acknowledges the kind donation of €262.50 from The Women’s Group, following their recent clothes collection fundraiser.

**TARBERT DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION - TIDY TOWNS** - wish to say a sincere thanks to the Shannonside Women’s Group for their contribution of €262.50 towards this year’s rose planting. This was some of the proceeds of the recently held clothes collection. Thanks to all involved.

**KILNAUGHTIN GRAVEYARD COMMITTEE** – would like to thank all those who attended the Graveyard Mass and who gave so generously to their collection. The amount raised was €1,291.

**TARBERT DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION** - For information on news, events, business & development projects currently being undertaken by TDA please refer to [www.tarbert.ie](http://www.tarbert.ie), the website also includes a video clip of the Summer Festival held in Tarbert last month. Tarbert Development Association is now recruiting new members please contact Niall Fitzgerald on 0877847181 if you would like to join.

**TARBERT POST OFFICE** - How can I support my local post office you ask....well here is one simple step:  
Collect Child Benefit in the post office instead of your bank account. Write to Dept. of Social Protection (address below), providing your name, your PPS number and the post office you want to receive payment in (Tarbert) and free post to: Child Benefit Section, Free Post, Department of Social Protection, Social Welfare Services Office, St Oliver Plunkett Road, Letterkenny, Donegal. Child Benefit may be saved at the post office in a post office book.

**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)

**KNOW MARY, KNOW JESUS, DARE TO BELIEVE** - This is the title of a Catholic Young Adults Conference which is being held on 2nd-3rd September in All Hallows, Dublin. This is a fantastic weekend packed full of interesting events and open to all 18-40 year old. The Legion of Mary in the Kerry Diocese wish to sponsor two young people to attend. They will cover the travel and the full residential accommodation. Please contact Patricia at 0879048659.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE –** Ballyheigue Pattern Day – Adoration at Ardfert Retreat Centre: Fri. Sept. 8Th, 1pm to 4pm.Gathering for Parish Contact People***:***Bishop Ray Browne, Mon. Sept. 18th, 7pm to 9.30pm. Human and Religious Development as Catholic Christians**:** Fr. Sean Sheehy, (8weeks) each Wed. starting Sept. 20th, 7pm to 8.30pm. The Practice of Lectio Divina**:** Fr. Brendan Clifford, (2 weeks) Thurs. Sept. 20th & Thurs. Oct. 5th, 7pm to 9.30pm.

**BUÍOCHAS** – The Kerry Parents and Friends of the Mentally Handicapped would like to thank everybody who subscribed to their recent church gate collection, which amounted to €285. Thanks also to the collectors.

**WORDS TO THE WISE** – “The most important thing in life is to stop saying I wish and start saying I will.” – Charles Dickens.