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

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

**24th Sunday in Ordinary Time 17th September 2017**

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

**R.I.P. Kay Coolahan, Dublin.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 16th*** | ***11am***  ***6pm*** | ***Kay Coolahan, Dublin Funeral Mass.***  ***Anne Marie McGibney, Tieraclea Park. 1st Anniversary*** |
| ***Sunday 17th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Mary and Patrick Normile, Dooncaha.*** |
| ***Monday 18th*** | ***10am*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Tuesday 19th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Wednesday 20th*** | ***10am*** | ***Paddy Kissane, Tarmons.*** |
| ***Thursday 21st*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Friday 22nd*** | ***10am*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Saturday 23rd*** | ***6pm*** | ***Owen Kelly, Chapel St. Months Mind.***  ***Station Mass.*** |
| ***Sunday 24th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Joe Bunce, Tarmons.***  ***Sean Ferris, Sallowglen.*** |

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

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - **€ 972 Míle Buíochas**.

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

**WK Starting 11 / 09 / 17. 11.30am -- Mary Lavery Carrig, Catherine O’ Sullivan, Pat O’ Leary.**

**Readers for September**

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| **Date** | **Saturday Vigil 6pm** | **Sunday 11.30am** |
| September 23rd / 24th | Maureen Considine | Denis Dineen |
| Sept. 30th / Oct.1st | Patricia Griffin | Yvonne O’ Keeffe Fox |

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS** – There has been a change as to where the Sacred Coeliac Hosts and the Precious Blood are to be made available. A table with a votive candle is now located adjacent to the Sacristry door where both are to be made available to communicants.

**STATION MASS** – The Station Mass for the following areas will be held next Sat.23rd Sept. at 6pm. 1. St. Patricks Tce.& Tarbert Island. 2. Tieraclea. 3. Tieraclea Park. 4. Doonard Upper. 5. Tarmons East. 6. Tarmons West. 7. Ballinoe.

**REFLECTION**

St. Teresa of Calcutta said ;

“The greatest evil in the world today

is the terrible indifference towards one’s neighbour,

which is so widespread.”

Lord, save us from the scourge of indifference.

Open our hearts when they are closed,

soften them when they are hard,

and warm them when they are cold,

so that we may listen to the cries of the needy,

and bear the fruits of love.



**BINGO** – Jackpot €1,000 in 50 calls. Bingo in Tarbert Community Centre Wed. nights at 8.30pm. All welcome.

**TARBERT COMMUNITY CENTRE COMMITTEE** - wish to advise parishioners of the retirement of our caretaker Michael Fitzgerald. Michael with the support of his wife Mary have been exceptional in their care and management of the centre during his six years tenure. Their diligence and attention to detail has been remarked on by the various groups that used the centre. Mike, a job well done! Many Thanks.

**SHANNONSIDE WOMENS GROUP** – Clothes collection will take place on Thursday 12th Oct. from 8 to 10am in the church carpark. All clothing, bags, boots, curtains etc. are all acceptable but no duvets or pillowcases. All proceeds in aid of St. Mary’s Church.

**TARBERT BRIDEWELL** - are hosting a coffee morning in aid of the Kerry Hospice Foundation Friday 22nd of September from 10am until 2pm. Your support would be gratefully appreciated.

**THE MUNSTER PIONEER GATHERING** - takes place on 1st October 2017 in Woodlands House Hotel in Adare, Co Limerick. Registration is at 10.30 a.m. Tickets for the Gathering cost €30 each and the closing date for the purchase of tickets is Mon. 25th Sept. For further details contact Sorcha 086-3642619, [sorchaol@gmail.com](mailto:sorchaol@gmail.com), or Jimmy 087-9773822 or Bridie 087-9039066.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE -** Gathering for Parish Contact People: Bishop Ray Browne, Mon. Sept. 18Th, 7pm-9.30pm.Human and Religious Development as Catholic Christians: Fr. Sean Sheehy, (8weeks) each Wed. starting Sept. 20Th, 7pm-8.30pm.The Practice of Lectio Divina: Fr. Brendan Clifford, (2 weeks) Thurs. Sept. 28Th & Thurs. Oct. 5Th, 7pm-9.30pm.Marian Movement Cenacle: Don Laurent Larroque & other priests, Fri. Sept. 29th, 6.30pm-9.30pm.Meditation in Movement - Sacred Circle Dance: Bernie McCaffrey, Sat. 30th Sept., 10am-1pm.Contact Ardfert Retreat Centre 0667134276.

**NORTH KERRY OLDER PERSONS MAINTENANCE SERVICE** provides a low cost home maintenance and minor repair service to senior members of North Kerry. Our service aims to help people stay in their homes in a healthy, safe and comfortable environment. With the holiday season around the corner now is the time to tackle those indoor jobs put on the long finger. We handle small interior painting jobs and minor repairs (e.g. fitting locks, hanging curtains, rails etc.). We also offer home cleaning and domestic support. For more information please call 068 23429 or 0873776724.

**MOVING ON  - A NEW EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMME FOR WOMEN** - Would you like to reach your full potential? Are you based in or near Tralee, Listowel or Castleisland? If so, we can provide training, support, work placements & links with employers. No previous education or work experience needed.  Find out more at our FREE 2-hour MOVING ON information seminars: Tralee, NEWKD, Aras an Phobail, 10.00-12.00, Tues 19th Sept, Castleisland, NEWKD, Crageens, 10.00-12.00, Wed 20th Sept, Listowel, FRC, Ballygologue, 10.00-12.00, Thurs 21st Sept. To book a place please call Lisa Fingleton 087 710 1198 [lisafingleton@newkd.ie](mailto:lisafingleton@newkd.ie) or Dolores Gallagher 087 764 7446 [doloresgallagher@newkd.ie](mailto:doloresgallagher@newkd.ie)

**TARBERT HISTORICAL AND HERITAGE SOCIETY** – will resume its activities at the Bridewell on Sat. 16th Sept. at 7.30pm. Everybody welcome.

**WORDS TO THE WISE** – “I don’t like to commit myself about heaven and hell, you see I have friends in both places.” – Mark Twain 1835-1910.