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)**

**25th Sunday in Ordinary Time 24th September 2017**

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

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 23rd*** | ***6pm*** | ***Owen Kelly, Chapel St. Months Mind.***  ***Station Mass.*** |
| ***Sunday 24th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Joe Bunce, Tarmons.***  ***Sean Ferris, Sallowglen.*** |
| ***Monday 25th*** | ***10am*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Tuesday 26th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Wednesday 27th*** | ***10am*** | ***Gene Donovan, Mary White and Tommy David.*** |
| ***Thursday 28th*** | ***10am*** | ***Eucharistic Celebration.*** |
| ***Friday 29th*** | ***10am*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Saturday 30th*** | ***6pm*** | ***Brennan and O’Gorman Families***  ***St. Patricks Tce. and Tarbert Island.*** |
| ***Sunday 1st*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Jack Enright, Tarmons.***  ***Peggy Flavin, New Jersey.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*: Fr. John Lawlor 087-6794112.***

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - **€ 998 Míle Buíochas**.

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

**WK Starting 25 / 09 / 17. 11.30am -- Patricia McNamara, Gabriel McNamara, Maureen Considine.**

**Readers for September**

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

**BLESSING**

May you treat others in the same friendly way Christ has treated you.

May the Lord bless you with a caring spirit so that you may be instruments of his compassion to others.

May the Lord watch over you, keep you in his care and bless you with his peace.

**SOMEONE WHO CARES**

Lord, make my heart a haven

where the lonely may find friendship,

where the weary may find shelter,

where the helpless may find refuge,

where the hopeless may find hope,

where all those

who seek someone who cares,

may enter and find you.



**BINGO** – Jackpot €1,025 in 50 calls. Bingo in Tarbert Community Centre Wed. nights at 8.30pm. All welcome.

**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.

**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.

**THE DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY** - “How can parish support family life?” will take place on Sunday 15th October in the Brandon Hotel, Tralee from 2.00-6.00pm. This is for Clergy and all members of the Parish Pastoral Council, Liturgy group, Youth Ministers, Parish Secretaries and Sacristans. Please register with [PatriciaODonoghue@Dioceseofkerry.org](mailto:PatriciaODonoghue@Dioceseofkerry.org)

**NEW BOOK** – Congratulations to Professor John Coolahan on the recent launch of his book “Towards the Era of Lifelong Learning – A History of Irish Education 1800 – 2016.”

**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.

**WORDS TO THE WISE** – “Coming together is a beginning, keeping together is progress and working together is success” – Henry Ford.