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SPA PARISH CHURCHILL/FENIT

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CHURCHILL - FENIT

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time 25th June 2023

EMERGENCY CALLS: Saturday & Sunday will be covered by the priests of the Tralee Pastoral Area (St. John's, Our Lady & St. Brendan's & Spa).

The priest on duty this weekend (24th/25th June) is Fr. Amos Ruto. Phone: 087 2069656.

The priest on duty next weekend (1st/2nd July) is Fr. Padraig Walsh. Phone: 087 2069656.

Masses streamed live on spaparish@dioceseofkerrv.ie Click on Churchill or Fenit Church



Please pray for all who died recently:

Eileen Fitzgerald, Boherbue, Co. Cork, (Mother of Fr. Tadha Fitzgerald, PP, St. John's, Tralee & Fr. John Fitzgerald, PP, Millstreet).

Martha O'Sullivan, (nee Barrett) Liosdara, Oakpark, Tralee. Requiem Mass in St. John's Church, Tralee on Monday at 10am followed by burial in New Rath Cemetery.

And also for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, including:

Teresa Carty, Main Road, Fenit.

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday in Fenit Church from 10.30am until 12 Noon. Rosary at 9.45am.

Thursday in Churchill Church from 3.00pm until 7.15pm with Benediction before evening Mass.



RECENT BAPTISMS:

With great joy we welcome into the **Christian Community:**

Lucas Richard Hannafin, Limerick. Toby Kieran Finn, Melbourne, Australia. Lucas Zac Finn, Melbourne, Australia. Seán Thomas Barraket, Australia.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES THIS WEEKEND & COMING WEEK			
Saturday 24th June	7.30pm	Churchill	Jerry Kelliher, Castleisland, (11th anniversary) and remembrance of his wife, Eily. Remembrance also of Hannah & Liam O'Sullivan, Barrow, (anniversaries).
Sunday 25th June	9.30am	Fenit	People of the Parish & intentions and thanksgivings recorded in Church intention books and all who have asked for remembrance in prayer.
	11.30am	Churchill	Dorothy (Doris) King, Ard na Lí, Oakpark, Tralee, (2nd anniversary).
Monday 26th June	10.00am	Fenit	Special Intention.
Tuesday 27th June	10.00am	Fenit	Anna & Mary Finnerty and Dr. Donal Geaney (anniversaries) and deceased members of the Finnerty & Geaney families.
Thurs. 29th June	7.30pm	Churchill	Special Intention.
Friday 30th June	7.30pm	Churchill	Special Intention.
Saturday 1st July	7.30pm	Churchill	Jerome & Voureen Daly and their son, Jerome, The Kerries, Tralee, (anniversaries).
Sunday 2nd July	9.30am	Fenit	Bridget & James Murphy, Island Road, Fenit, (anniversaries).
	11.30am	Churchill	Ted Sheehan, Mounthawk, Tralee, (3rd anniversary).

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE: Saturday August 26th. 2.00pm: Outdoor Stations of the Cross and Rosary Procession.

3.00pm: Concelebrated Mass at Knock Basilica with Anointing of the Sick. Coach from Spa Parish - cost €30 per person. To book, please contact Spa

Parish Office, Tel: 7136145. We encourage you to take up the offer to join us for the Pilgrimage.

Early booking advised and we need to have all bookings completed by mid July.

MESSAGE FROM FR. FRANCIS

Wishing you well.

Sincere thanks to everyone who turned out for our Corpus Christi Procession last Sunday. It was a very spiritual experience for us all. Thanks to everyone involved in one way or another.

I hope to be away from 27th June to the 12th July - all going well. Please be aware of the emergency phone number 087 2069656 where a priest from the Tralee Pastoral Area is always available to you 24 hours a day.

CEMETERY MASSES:

Realt na Mara - Friday 28th July at 7.30pm.

Old Cemetery Churchill - Thursday 17th August at 7.30pm.

No Mass in the Church on these evenings.

GOLDEN JUBILEE OF FENIT CHURCH: Fenit Church celebrates 50 years this year. It was consecrated on the 24th October 1973. A weekend of celebration will take place on the 20th - 22nd October in Fenit. Bishop Ray Browne will by the main celebrant at the Mass on Sunday 22nd October. More details later.

God Bless, Fr. Francis.



RELIGIOUS GOODS: Baptism and Wedding candles, Rosary beads, statues, medals, Bibles,

booklets, etc available to purchase at St. John's Parish Centre, Tralee. Monday to Saturday, 9.15am-1pm & 2.00pm-4.45pm.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION FOR SICK AND RETIRED PRIESTS: Will be taken up at all Masses next weekend, 1st/2nd July. It is the occasion of our Annual Collection throughout the Diocese for sick and retired priests. A sincere word of thanks to all the people of the Diocese for their continuing support over many years for the sick and retired priests of the Diocese. Your support is both invaluable and greatly appreciated.

MESSAGE FROM THE DIOCESAN SAFEGUARDING COMMITTEE

The committee would like to thank all those who attended safeguarding training programmes. So far this year, 83 people attended two diocesan training programmes, safeguarding children training and adults at-risk of abuse training.

It was great to see the engagement and continued support from Parishes with 65 Parish Safeguarding Reps attending meetings in Killarney and Tralee. An important topic discussed was bringing back altar servers and other youth groups. The committee would like to acknowledge the dedicated work undertaken in Parishes were these groups have returned. Finally, the committee would like to encourage Parish Safeguarding Reps, Schools and Parents to work towards reinstating altar servers in parishes that have yet to do so.

PARISH COLLECTION: 18th June 2023 Total: €1,326.20. (Weekly Envelopes, Offertory & Pastoral Initiatives €846.20., Teach na Sagart, €480.) Thank you for your generosity and making such a huge effort to support the Parish. Míle Buióchas.

KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: will take place from Sept 1st to the 6st led by Bishop Ray Browne. Flights from Kerry Airport. Note the covid regulations on the poster. Booking through Marian Pilgrimages Dublin. See posters on notice boards for details.

SPA/FENIT HOSPICE COMMITTEE: Are holding a Midsummer Arts & Crafts Fair this Sunday, 25th June, at Tralee Bay Sailing Club, Fenit, 11am to 4pm. All welcome.

MASS CARDS: Sympathy, Get well & general Mass Bouquet Cards signed by Fr. Francis are available in the Gala Shop, Fenit and also from Anne Daughton, Sacristan Churchill. Anne's contact number is 087 9951601.

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