

Family Mass & Sacramental Preparation – We welcome all families to our Sunday Mass in St. Mary's. Everybody is invited to the clubrooms afterwards for tea, coffee and refreshments

If you are planning to Baptise your baby in the coming weeks or months, please contact the parish office. Both Parents are required to attend a short preparation evening prior to the baptism.

The Parish are hoping to organise a Nativity for Christmas for 4 to 7 year olds. If you are interested please contact 087 7789462 or the parish office 066 7139145. Adult volunteers most welcome.

Tinteán Ceol – in Halla le Chéile every Monday night from 7.30pm to 9.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

Béile le Chéile – delivery available to Maharees & Annascaul. Dinner & Dessert for 10 euro. Contact 0872372241 to place your order.

Thanks to everyone who supported the recent coffee morning for Kerry Hospice. A total of €1200 was raised. Mile buíochas.

Senior citizen lunches in the Clubrooms every Tuesday at 12.45pm. Everyone welcome.

Second Diocesan Collection this weekend 8th and 9th November for Diocesan needs.

Apologises our parish mobile is not working at the moment, we hope to have it sorted out during the coming week.

Castlegregory Active Retired Christmas Dinner, Saturday December 6th. We would like to invite you to our annual Christmas Dinner in the clubrooms for a day of good food, fun and music. Names to Michelle 085-2432251. €15 entry at door. Raffle and Prizes on the day

Tri na Cheile Men's Group meet every Monday morning 11am- to 12 am for a cup of coffee, chat and a singsong. New members always welcome.

Prayer for the Holy Souls

Eternal Father, I offer you the most precious blood of thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today for all The Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the Universal Church, for those in my own home and in my family.

St. Gertrude, 13th Century.

St. Vincent de Paul - 087 1647788

Parish Life Newsletter

9th November 2025

Dedication of The Lateran Basilica in Rome

St Therese of Lisieux

"Do you realise that Jesus is there in the tabernacle expressly for you – for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart... Don't listen to the demon; laugh at him and go without fear to receive the Jesus of peace and love."

Office Hours

Monday 10am to 2pm

Tuesday 11am to 1pm

Wednesday 11am to 4pm

Thursday 10am to 2pm

Friday 11am to 4pm.

Closed Holy days and Bank holidays

Weekend Mass Times

St. Mary's Castlegregory

Sunday 11.30am

St. Brendan's Cloghane

Saturday Vigil 6.15pm

(alternating with St.

Mary's Camp)

(see newsletter)

Castlegregory Parish - Telephone 066 7139145 or 087 1438060

Email – castlegregory@dioceseofkerry.ie - Parish Page (to download weekly newsletter) is available on the diocesan website - www.dioceseofkerry.ie. Facebook – Castlegregory Parish

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Parish Priest

Fr Eamonn Mulvihill

Parish Secretary

Bernie Dowling

Confession

St. Mary's – First Fridays after 7.00pm Mass

**St. Brendan's – Tuesdays closest to First
Fridays after the 7.00pm**



Daily Parish Eucharistic Adoration

St. Mary's

Monday – 10.00am to 11.00am

**Wednesday - 10.00am to 11.00am
and 5pm to 9pm**

Friday – 10.00am to 11.00am

Sunday – 12.20 (after Mass) 1.20pm

St. Brendan's

Tuesday – 11.00am to 12.00pm

Thursday – 3.00pm to 4.00pm

Saturday – 11.00am to 12.00pm

Sunday – 9.15am to 10.15am

**Week beginning 9th November
2025**



The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica is celebrated on 9th November and this year it falls on a Sunday. The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica is an important moment for Catholics. This basilica, located in Rome, is the cathedral church of the Pope and is called the “mother of all churches.” One of Pope Leo’s first visits was across the city to pray at this cathedral church of St. John Lateran. The readings this Sunday reflect its significance. They remind us that we are God’s living temple and called to holiness and worship. In the second reading, St Paul to the Corinthians, we hear ‘Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you..... “for the temple of God, which you are, is holy”. In the First reading from Ezekiel, we see life-giving water flowing from the temple, “wherever the river flows, every sort of living creature

that can multiply shall live”. It is a sign of God’s grace flowing out from Him and giving life to all that it touches. In the Gospel, when Jesus speaks of the temple’s destruction and raising up in three days, He is referring to his own death and resurrection. Pointing to His body as the new temple. It was only after the Resurrection that the disciples came to understand the meaning of Jesus’ words. As temples of God’s Holy Spirit, we are called to purify our hearts, live with integrity, faith and love. God gives us the grace to do this through the Holy Eucharist. In a divided world, let us strive every day to radiate Christ’s presence to all.

PRAYER FOR TODAY

*Lord, today I choose to release
All that holds me back,
Help me to let go of the past, to let
go of bitterness, to let go of failures
and missed opportunities. Help me
today to embrace your grace in my
life, that I may live it to the full and
help me be a blessing to others.
Amen.*

Intentions for this Weekend

Sunday 9th November
11.30am Intention: (1) Michael
Ferriter, Aughacaslá Anniversary

(2) Bridgella Barry, Castlegregory
Birthday Remembrance

(3) John Maunsell, Kellysheight 6th
Anniversary, (4) Kieran Fanning,
Camp 30th Anniversary.

St. Brendans Saturday 8th Vigil

Mass @ 6.15pm Intentions- (1)
John Moriarty and Tadgh and
Abbie Corkery, Slieve Glas (2)
Patrick O'Sullivan, Cloghane (3)
Ann and Paddy Callaghan &
deceased family members,
Derrynamucka (4) Maureen and
Bill Murphy, Ballyguin (5) Cian
Gallagher, Lios

WE PRAY FOR

**Tim Smith, Carrigadav First
Anniversary**

**No parish Masses Monday to
Friday of this week. In the
event of an emergency or
funeral contact Dingle
Presbytery 066-9151208.**

Sunday 16th November
11.30am Intention: Eileen
Fitzgerald, Garrywilliam (died
recently)

St. Brendan's

St. Brendan's - No Vigil mass
Saturday the 15th of November.
Mass will be in camp church @
6.15pm.

**Priest on deanery duty this
Sunday 9th November is Fr.
Eamonn Mulvihill 0667139145.**

Tax Rebate Forms – There is
still time to return your signed
cert to qualify for the Tax
refund scheme for charities. If
you donate €250 or more to
the parish, we can claim back
the tax. The parish depends on
this rebate for the day to day
running of the parish. If you
can't find your form, please
contact the parish office and
we will print one for you.
Many thanks.

**Mass for those who died during
the year will take place in St.**
Brendan's on Tuesday 18th
November at 7pm and in St
Mary's on Friday 21st
November at 7pm. If you want
to include the name of a
person who died outside the
parish and you would like to
bring a framed photograph to
place on the altar on the night
of the Mass, you are welcome
to do so. Please contact the
parish office with the name of
the person for the list. **We**
have the photos of those who
died in the parish.
