



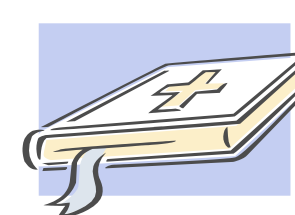
# Our Lady & St Brendan's Parish

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**Parish Office Opening Hours: 9.00am – 12.30pm.**

**Safeguarding Children in the Diocese of Kerry:** If you have any concern, please contact ☐087 6362780



## October 4th (27th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

### **PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

**\*John Scannell**, St Brendan's Park & Annascaul.

**\*Denis Breen**, Stack's Villas.

**\*John Boyd**, Mayfield, Cork & Chapel Street.

**\*George Kelly**, Surrey, U.K & Lohercannon.

**\*\*And all who have died this week and also those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.**

**PRIEST ON DUTY** for the Tralee Area this weekend is Fr Tadhg Fitzgerald ☐087 2069656.

**PARISH OFFICE:** The Parish Office is open Monday to Friday 9.00am—12.30pm.

**MISSION APPEAL:** at all Masses this weekend by the Spiritan Fathers, sharing their Mission experiences and the challenges faced by our Missionaries in our changing world today. There will be a special Mission Collection held after Holy Communion. Your generous support will be very much appreciated.

### **YOUTH MINISTRY IN THE DIOCESE OF KERRY:**

The diocesan Springs of Hope Newsletter is now available to view, the newsletter provides a colourful and interesting look at some of the exciting things happening within the Diocese of Kerry in the area of Youth Ministry and people involved. You can view the letter on [www.dioceseofkerry.ie](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

**NATIONAL SYNOD:** the Synodal Pathway Document for Ireland is due to be finalized in Gormanstown, Co Meath on October 17th. Delegations from every diocese will attend. The delegation from Kerry clergy and laity have asked for prayer and for any feedback on the document to be sent to them to help guide their input. The full document is available on the Kerry Diocesan website, along with feedback forms. Feedback to be sent before October 13th

**KERRY NEEDS PRIESTS:** This month is dedicated to praying for vocations to the priesthood. If you are considering a vocation contact [vocations@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:vocations@dioceseofkerry.ie) or visit the website [www.dioceseofkerry.ie](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

**THE IRISH CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER:** has increased in price from €3.50 to 3.80 from Oct 1st.

**REMEMBRANCE SERVICE:** for parents and their families who have lost a baby. The annual UHK will hold its remembrance service on Sunday October 11th at 2.30pm in the Hospital Chapel. All are welcome, especially those families who have lost a baby through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, fetal anomaly, stillbirth, or neonatal death.

**VOLUNTEER DRIVERS IN KERRY:** The Irish Cancer Society is seeking compassionate volunteer drivers to join our Transport Team. We are currently looking for drivers in Kerry, particularly those who can drive to hospitals in Limerick. The Irish Cancer Society provides training and support before you begin volunteering. For more information on how to become a volunteer driver, please contact Monica or Emily at [volunteer@irishcancer.ie](mailto:volunteer@irishcancer.ie)

**CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST ASHE ST:** presents Dana in concert on Saturday October 10th. Doors open at 6.45pm €33 per ticket. Book your ticket on [Eventbrite.com](http://Eventbrite.com) or contact St John's Ashe Street.

**BLOOD DONATION CLINIC:** at Castleisland Community Centre on Wednesday & Thursday October 7th & 8th from 5pm – 8pm. New and returning donors welcome at all clinics. Please phone 1800 222 111 for an appointment

**MELLON EDUCATE CHARITY:** will hold their Church gate collection this weekend to help build schools in South African Townships. Your support is very much appreciated.

### **CONFIRMATION CEREMONIES 2027:**

#### **Tuesday March 16th**

Listellick at 11am

Balloonagh at 2pm

### **INTRODUCTION TO THE READINGS THIS WEEKEND**

#### **First Reading**

Through his prophet, God reminds his people that they have been yielding sour grapes, rather than the wholesome fruit of love and justice.

#### **Second Reading**

Paul knows the reality of worry and anxiety. He also knows the antidote: 'Fill your minds with everything that is true, everything that is noble, everything that is good....'

#### **Gospel**

Just as in the first reading, a vineyard features prominently in the Gospel. God expects to find fruit in the lives of his people. We should not lean too heavily on the label 'Christian'. Instead, we should ask where we are bearing fruit.

## **NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS October 4th –11th**

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| Monday   | 9.30am Parish Mass.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Tuesday  | 9.30am Finola Boyce, L/O Donegal.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Wed      | 9.30am Rita Dennehy, L/O Birmingham.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Thur.    | 9.30am Garrett & Hannah Fitzgerald, L/O Curravough.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Friday   | 9.30am Ernette Taddei, L/O Italy.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Saturday | 9.30am Michael O'Loughlin, L/O St Brendan's Park. (11th Anniv)<br>6.30pm Donie Quirke, L/O St Brendan's Park.<br><br>Hannah O'Connor, L/O Greyhound Bar, Pembroke Street.<br>Dolores Curtin,, L/O Lisdara, Oakpark.<br>Garry King, L/O St Brendan's Park.<br>Mary O'Mahony, L/O Stacks Villas. (45th Anniv)<br>Ursula Griffin, L/O St Brendan's Park. (Birthday Remembrance)<br>Lorna Brosnan, L/O Gallowsfield.<br><br>Special Intention.<br><br>Karl Quirke, L/O Spa Road. (3rd Anniv)<br>Susan O'Mahony, L/O Carrigeendaniel. (13th Anniv)                                                                                                                       |
| Sunday   | 10.00am Kathleen O'Shea, L/O St John's Park. (Birthday Remembrance)<br>Mary & John Casey, L/O Pembroke St & Caherslee.<br>Adrian Marshan, L/O Leicester & Lyrecompane.<br><br>Jo Hickey, L/O Oakview.<br><br>Eugene & Joan O'Connell & their son Tom, & daughter Mary McCarthy, L/O Gurrane, Oakpark.<br>Mary Collins, L/O Caherslee & Upper Rock Street.<br><br>Eddie O'Brien, L/O Casements Ave. (3rd Anniv)<br>Breda Carroll, L/O Tralee & Cork.<br><br>Dick Mason, L/O Caherleaheen. (7th Anniv)<br><br>Nancy Walsh, L/O St Brendan's Park.<br><br>11.15am Tom Talbot, L/O Woodlands, Oakpark.<br><br>12.30pm Mary & Mick Walsh, L/O Hillview Drive, Caherslee. |