

Fr. Francis Nolan, P.P., The Presbytery, Churchill
Telephone: 066 - 7136145 Mobile: 087 2100273
Email: francis.nolan@ymail.com
Emergency Telephone: 087 2069656
St. John's Parish Centre, Tralee, 066 - 7122522

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS IN THE
DIOCESE OF KERRY: DESIGNATED LIASON PERSON: 087 6362780



SPA PARISH CHURCHILL/FENIT

Spa Parish

CHURCHILL - FENIT

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

3rd/4th October 2026

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 (3rd/4th October) is Fr. Tadhg Fitzgerald. Phone: 087 2069656.

The priest on duty next weekend (10th/11th October) is Fr. Bernard Healy. Phone: 087 2069656.

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



Please pray for all who died recently:

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

Paudie Lynch, The Spa.

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

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



MESSAGE FROM FR. FRANCIS.

A Cháirde, wishing you well.

HARVEST MASS: We celebrate our Harvest Mass this Saturday evening, 3rd October, at the 7.30pm Vigil Mass in Churchill Church. We give thanks for the gifts of the earth and the beauty of all creation.

BLESSING OF PETS: Takes place this Sunday afternoon, 4th October after the 11.30am Mass in Churchill Church grounds from 12.30pm to 2.30pm. All welcome to bring your pets along. This Sunday is also the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi whose 800th anniversary of his death is also honoured this year.

CONFIRMATION 2027: Bishop Ray Browne will celebrate the Parish Confirmation Ceremony on Tuesday 9th March 2027 in Churchill Church at 3.00pm.

DO THIS IN MEMORY PROGRAMME: The 'Do this in Memory' programme for First Holy Communion children will commence next weekend with the Enrolment Ceremony for Gaeilscoil Mhic Easmainn at the 9.00am Mass in St. John's Church, Tralee next Sunday (11th October) and the Enrolment Ceremony for Spa NS and Fenit NS will take place also on Sunday next at the 11.30am Mass in Churchill Church. We ask God's blessing on the journey ahead for our children and their parents preparing for First Holy Communion.

God Bless, Fr. Francis.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES THIS WEEKEND & COMING WEEK

Saturday 3rd Oct.	7.30pm	Churchill	Siobhan Cotter, Baltygarron, (anniversary).
Sunday 4th Oct.	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	Tim & Maria Hickey, Island Road, Fenit, (anniversaries).
Monday 5th Oct.	10.00am	Fenit	Maureen & Tom Kennedy, Talaught and remembrance of deceased family members.
Tuesday 6th Oct.	10.00am	Fenit	Special Intention.
Thursday 8th Oct.	7.30pm	Churchill	Deceased members of The Spa ICA.
Friday 9th Oct.			NOTE: No 7.30pm Mass in Churchill Church this evening.
Saturday 10th Oct.	7.30pm	Churchill	Brendan & Betty O'Brien, The Spa, (anniversaries).
Sunday 11th Oct.	9.30am	Fenit	Mary Ryan, Fenit, (1st anniversary).
	11.30am	Churchill	Margaret Reale, Baltygarron, (30th anniversary) and remembrance of deceased family members.

PARISH COLLECTION: 26th/27th September 2026: €2,044.48 (Offertory & Envelopes €1,089.48 and Priests Income €955.00). Sincere thanks for your support of the Parish. Mile Buióchas.

MASS CARDS: Mass Bouquet Cards, Sympathy, Get well and general Mass Bouquet Cards signed by Fr. Francis are available in the Gala Shop, Fenit and also from Anne Daughton, Sacristan, Churchill.

Synodal Pathway Working Document



Irish Synodal Pathway

The Irish Synodal Pathway in preparation of the Irish Synod on 17th October next, has published its working document 'Is this not what God asks of you?' To read it visit dioceseofkerry.ie/natsyn/

If you have any thoughts or submissions for the Kerry diocesan delegation to help guide their participation in the Assembly, please make any submissions before 5pm on Tuesday 13th October.



October - Month of the Holy Rosary

October is the traditional month of the Holy Rosary and we are reminded once again to entrust ourselves to Mary, our Mother by reciting the Rosary. The Feast of the Holy Rosary takes place Wednesday next, 7th October.

Pope Leo XIV consistently teaches that the Rosary is a prayer of peace and a powerful instrument for conversion of heart, and unity among peoples. His teachings highlight Mary as the model listener to God's word and the Rosary as a means of contemplating Christ with her.

Prayer to Our Lady of the Rosary

Queen of the Holy Rosary, you came to Fatima to reveal to the three shepherd children the treasures of grace hidden in the Rosary.

Inspire my heart with a sincere love of this devotion, that by meditating on the Mysteries of our Redemption which are recalled in it, I may be enriched with its fruits and obtain peace for the world,
the conversion of sinners and the graces which I ask of you dear Mother in the Holy Rosary.
Amen.

CHURCH OF ST JOHN
THE EVANGELIST
ASHE STREET, TRALEE
PRESENTS

Dana

in Concert

An intimate evening that brings together music from across Dana's remarkable career.

**SATURDAY
10TH OCTOBER 2026**

DOORS OPEN @ 18.45
TIME 19.30

SCAN TO BOOK YOUR TICKETS

Book Now
via Eventbrite
danaofficial.eventbrite.com

TICKETS €33

BOOK YOUR TICKETS HERE:
danaofficial.eventbrite.com
CHURCH OF ST JOHN
THE EVANGELIST,
ASHE STREET, TRALEE. V92RP20

ALL WELCOME - LIMITED SEATS - BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT