



# St. John's Parish, Tralee

## 4<sup>th</sup> June 2017

### Pentecost Sunday

Parish Centre Opening Hours: Monday - Saturday 9.15am - 1pm & 2pm - 4.45pm.  
Tel: 066 7122522. Website: [www.stjohns.ie](http://www.stjohns.ie) E-mail: [stjohnscastlestreet@eircom.net](mailto:stjohnscastlestreet@eircom.net)

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

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ✠ **Gerald O'Mahony**, Mitchel's Court.
- ✠ **Margaret Breen** née Moriarty, St. John's Park.
- ✠ **Francis Galvin**, Beenoskee, Ballyard and formerly of Ballyseedy.
- ✠ **Philomena O'Brien**, Kevin Barry Villas.
- ✠ **Ann Brosnan**, Balloonagh Estate, and formerly of Mitchell's Crescent.
- ✠ **Timothy (Timmy) McCarthy**, Kevin Barry Villas
- ✠ **Kevin Benner**, Knockmoyle and Bridge Street.
- ✠ **Eilish O'Daly**, née Byrne, Derrylea, Oakpark. Reposing at Gleasures Funeral Home on Sunday from 6 to 8pm followed by removal to St. John's Church. Funeral Mass on Monday at 12 noon followed by burial in New Rath Cemetery.



*Who died recently and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.*

#### RECENT BAPTISMS

*With great joy we welcome:*

- Roisín Flaherty**
- Chloe Jane Griffin**
- Evelyn Rose Doyle**
- Tyler Purcell**
- Maya Redlewska Leahy**

*into our Christian community.*

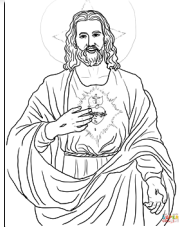


#### THE CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION:

will take place after the 6.10 vigil Mass on Saturday June 17<sup>th</sup> and will process from St. John's Church via Castle Street, Boherbee and Dean's Lane to Tobar Naofa. Volunteers are needed for the guard of honour for the Blessed Sacrament. Please give your name and contact details to the Parish Centre.

Businesses on the route are encouraged to decorate their premises with religious icons and Eucharistic banners.

**MONDAY** June 5<sup>th</sup> is a Bank Holiday. Masses in St. John's Church will be at 10am and 6.10pm. The Parish Centre will be closed.



### NINE DAYS OF PRAYER, NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART.

**Thursday June 15<sup>th</sup> to Friday June 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**at 6.10pm each evening in St. John's Church.**

Novena Prayers and reflection at Mass each evening.  
Service of Reconciliation with Confessions (no Mass) on the Sunday evening.  
Blessing of Sacred Heart images and consecration of homes on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June.  
All welcome.

**PERU MISSION APPEAL:** Fr. David O'Connor will make an appeal on behalf of his mission in Peru at the Masses in St. John's Church this weekend June 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> and at Masses in the Church of the Immaculate Conception and St. Brendan's Church, Curraheen on the Weekend of June 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>.

**THE DIOCESAN COLLECTION:** for the Tralee and Killarney Accord Centres, which serve the entire Diocese, will take place on the weekend, of June 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> as a joint Offertory collection. Funds are needed for initial training of Counsellors and Pre-Marriage Facilitators, for on-going Professional Development and for the staffing and running of the Centres. Accord offers:- Couples and Individual Counselling, Pre-Marriage Facilitation. Support/Relationship Counselling, Contact ACCORD Tralee at 066- 7122280.

#### NEIGHBOURHOOD MASS:

Communities interested in organising an Area Mass for their neighbourhood are asked to contact their local priest through the Parish Centre ( 066 7122522) to make the necessary arrangements.

The following area Masses have already been scheduled:

- Kerins Park:** Wednesday June 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.
- Ashgrove:** Thursday June 8<sup>th</sup> at 7pm
- Manor Village:** Monday June 19<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm
- St John's Park:** Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2017 at 8pm
- Knockmoyle:** Monday June 26<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm.
- Ballinorig Estate & Close:** Mon. July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7.30pm
- O'Rahilly's Villas:** Friday July 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

**GROUPS WISHING TO USE THE PARISH CENTRE** please contact the Parish Office on 066 7122522. You must have your own public liability insurance and, if appropriate, safeguarding children and vulnerable adults policies.

**TRÓCAIRE Boxes:** The amount collected to date is €12,884. Your support is appreciated.

**INFORMATION EVENING ON PASTORAL MINISTRY AND YOUTH MINISTRY COURSES** will be held in St. John's Parish Centre on Tuesday June 6<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm. These courses are a great opportunity to explore and deepen your faith.

**PARISH FUNDS:** If you wish to contribute via Standing Order you can download a form from the parish website [www.stjohns.ie](http://www.stjohns.ie) or contact the Parish Office.

**WORKSHOP FOR PARISH CANTORS:** on Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> June 2017 from 7:30 – 10.00 pm in John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Rock Road, Killarney. Facilitated by Tomás Kenny, Ailish O' Connor and Declan Walsh. Cost of Workshop: €10.00 per participant. Please book your place by Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>.

**ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY:** (St. John's Branch) monthly meeting will be held in St. John's Parish Centre, Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 8.00pm. All welcome.

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE Bookings and information call 066 713 4276.**

**A Doorway into Stillness:** Spiritual Nourishment for mind and body led by Antoinette Dilsworth RSJ, Sat. 10<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am-4.30pm.

**A Day with Mary:** Celebrate the Centenary of Our Lady of Fatima. Preacher Rt. Rev. Msgr. Dan O'Riordan P.P. Castleisland, Sat. 17<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am-4.30pm.

**ST. PAT'S GAA CLUB, ANNUAL MASS:** at 7.30pm on Thursday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at St. Pat's Club Grounds, Blennerville. All welcome.

**The LATIN MASS** (1962 Missal) will be offered in Holy Cross Dominican Church, Tralee this Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> June, at 1.30pm. More info from: [LatinMassTralee@gmail.com](mailto:LatinMassTralee@gmail.com)

**SOLEMN NOVENA IN HONOUR OF ST. ANTHONY:** 4<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> June in the Franciscan Friary, Killarney.

**HOME HELP:** Expressions of interest for the position of Home Help in the Tralee Area. Please apply with an updated CV to Monica Sheehan, Director of Public Health Nursing at: HSE—Kerry, Kerry Community Services, Rathass, Tralee. Closing date for applications is Tuesday June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Shortlisting will apply. Enquiries to: 066 7184555.

**DEAFHEAR.IE** outreach clinic on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> of June from 10.30am – 12.30pm at Clogher Esta, Hawley Park. Clinics offer support and advice, cleaning and basic maintenance of hearing aids and information on entitlements. For information please call Jo Lambe on 087-2723862.

**ANAM CARA** the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its next monthly Parent Evening on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> of June from 7:30pm to 9:00pm in Recovery Haven, 5 Haigs Terrace, Killerisk. This event is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether the death was recent or not.

**THE HOSPICE SUNFLOWER DAYS:** will be held on Friday and Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. All money collected in Kerry stays in Kerry.

**PHIL COULTER CONCERT IN THE CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION, MOYVANE** - 13<sup>th</sup> June at 8pm in aid of Moyvane Church painting fund. Tickets €30 available from Moyvane Parish Office, Telephone 068 49309

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:** Please don't hesitate to contact us. 24 Hour Emergency Mobile 087 7848825 or Office 066 7128021.

#### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

*Sometimes we might forget that The Spirit of the Lord has been given to each of us. We have been given the gifts of salvation, of hope and of community. As beloved children of God we are asked that in return for such a guarantee of love from our Creator God that we share openly with others the talents that we each have. Such a sharing does not have to be anything wildly wonderful but something simple—a smile, a handshake or even a cup of tea.....*  
Margaret Theresa Naughton