



St. John's Parish, Tralee

3rd April 2022

Fifth Sunday of Lent

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

EMERGENCY CALLS: Friday, Saturday & Sunday, will be covered by the priests of the Pastoral Area (St. John's, St. Brendan's, Spa/Fenit). The priest on duty can be contacted on 087 2069656. Priest on duty this weekend: Fr. Vitalis Barasa

PARISH CENTRE OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Saturday from 9.15am to 1.00pm and 2.00pm to 4.45pm

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

MASS TIMES IN ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Weekdays: 8.30am, 10am and 6.10pm

Saturday: 10am and 6.10pm (Vigil for Sunday)

Sunday: 9am (as Gaeilge), 10.30am and 12 noon.

THE CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:

Saturday: 7pm, **Sunday** 10am

St. Brendan's, CURRAHEEN:

Saturday 7.30pm, **Sunday** 11am

We request you to follow these guidelines

- Use hand sanitisers entering and leaving the church.
- It is recommended to wear a face covering while attending Mass.
- Holy Communion should only be received in the hand.

ALL MASSES FROM ST. JOHN'S CHURCH WILL BE LIVE-STREAMED

See www.stjohns.ie or www.churchservices.tv/tralee



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

✠ **Bridie Carroll**, née O'Callaghan, Gleann Scotia, Ballyard and Cahermoneen.

✠ **Joan Lynch**, née O'Shea, Manor Court, Manor Village and Curraheen.

who died recently and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.



JOB VACANCY

Job Vacancy St. John's Parish is inviting applications from a suitably committed and qualified person who desires to work in the service of the Parish as a Pastoral Worker. Further details on our website www.stjohns.ie



RECENT BAPTISMS:

With great joy we welcome:

Karina Narisova

Mia Narisova

Winter Zeta Byrne

Kyle Sugrue into our Christian community



LENTEN PRAYER & REFLECTION EVENING WITH OPUS'96 CHAMBER CHOIR

in advance of Holy Week, OPUS'96 CHAMBER CHOIR will perform some of the world's most beautiful sacred music as part of a Lenten prayer and reflection evening,

St John's Church, Sunday next 10th April at 7pm.

Admission Free — All Welcome



SYNOD LISTENING AND CONSULTATION



We thank all those who joined us recently for our Parish Listening. You can still make an online contribution to the consultation process by visiting www.dioceseofkerry.ie/Synod/ or use the attached QR Code to get to the survey.



DOMINICAN EVENING OF RECOLLECTION:

Monday 4th April from 6.45 to 10pm in Our Lady and St. Brendan's Pastoral Centre. Programme includes, Evening Prayer, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Private prayer, Adoration with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, and Holy Mass. Confessions will be held. Cover Charge €5. All Welcome.



RECENT WEDDING:

Congratulations to: **Gavin Lynch and Samantha Quirke** who married in St. John's Parish recently. We pray that God will bless your marriage.



ACCORD, MARRIAGE CARE SERVICE

Accord is recruiting interested people to assist in the provision of Marriage Preparation Programmes. Email marriagepreparation@accord.ie for the application form. Selections will take place in June of this year with training commencing in September. This year Accord is celebrating 60 years supporting couples and families. Please contact us for any support you may need. Tralee office 066 7122280



MINISTRY OF LAY PASTORAL LEADER

To ensure the vitality of our parishes now and over the coming years, the Diocese of Kerry is introducing a new volunteer ministry, Lay Pastoral Leader, a ministry of co-ordinating, leading and supporting pastoral activities in their local area. It will involve taking responsibility for some ministries traditionally carried out by priests and will complement the ministry of the deacon and the priest. Information leaflets available in the church, or visit www.dioceseofkerry.ie



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St JOHN'S CHURCH: Fridays 10.30am to 6.10pm.
St BRENDAN'S CHURCH, CURRAHEEN: Mondays from 11am to 12 noon



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR ST. BRENDAN'S CHURCH CURRAHEEN.

WASHING OF THE FEET: Volunteers needed to have their feet washed at the Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7.30pm. Contact Joan Trant, Eileen Doyle or Donny Wynne.



OFFERTORY COLLECTORS: we are also looking for volunteers to help as we return to taking up a basket Offertory collection this weekend



OPEN PUBLIC AA MEETING:

of the Green Lane Group of Alcoholics Anonymous will be held on Good Friday April 15th at 8.30pm in Prefab No1, Presentation Convent, Green Lane, Castle Street. Refreshments provided afterwards. All welcome.



RELIGIOUS GOODS: for First Communion, Baptism and Wedding candles, rosary beads, statues, medals, Bibles, booklets, etc are available to purchase at St. John's Parish Centre.



USED POSTAGE STAMPS in aid of the missions may be handed into St. John's Parish Centre.



CONFESSIONS: will be heard on Saturday from 12 noon to 1pm in St. John's Church and after the Vigil Mass on Saturday and all Sunday Masses in each of the three churches next weekend.



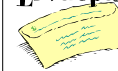
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AVAILABILITY FOR EASTER CEREMONIES - ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Attn: Eucharistic Ministers: Holy Week and Easter Ceremonies are as follows:- Holy Thursday – Mass of the Lord's Supper 6.10pm. Good Friday – Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3.00pm. Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil Mass 9.00pm. Will you please let us know, by Friday next, 8th April which of these ceremonies you will be available for? Contact Kathleen, Nora or the Parish Office or email office@stjohns.ie



Offering Envelopes

EASTER OFFERINGS ENVELOPES: (Easter Dues) together with our Easter Newsletter are being delivered to households. These offerings pay the salaries of the Parish Clergy who thank parishioners for their support. Envelopes are also available in the churches and the Parish Centre for households who do not receive an envelope delivered to their homes.



DONATE ONLINE to St. John's Parish through our website or you can scan this QR Code which will take you to the donations page.



PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, For all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world; that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need.

May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. **Amen.**

Our Lady, Queen of Peace, pray for us!
Our Lady of Kyiv, pray for us!

