



## St. John's Parish, Tralee 1<sup>st</sup> September 2024 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**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. Amos Ruto

**Office hours for the coming week:**

**Monday to Saturday from 9.15am to 1.00pm and 2.00pm to 4.45pm**  
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**SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS IN THE DIOCESE OF KERRY:  
DESIGNATED LIAISON PERSON: 087 6362780**

## CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST MASS TIMES FOR THE COMING WEEK

**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH:** Monday to Friday: 8.30am, 10.00am and 6.10pm  
Saturday: 10.00am and 6.10pm  
Sunday: 9.00am (as Gaeilge), 10.30am and 12 noon.

**THE CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:** Saturday: 7.00pm, Sunday: 10.00am.

**ST. BRENDAN'S, CURRAHEEN:** Saturday: 8.00pm, Sunday: 11.00am.

**CONFESSIONS:** Every Saturday from 12 noon to 1.00pm in St. John's Church. In the event of a funeral, confessions will take place in the Parish Centre.

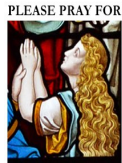
**ALL MASSES FROM ST. JOHN'S CHURCH WILL BE LIVE-STREAMED**

See [www.stjohns.ie](http://www.stjohns.ie) or [www.churchservices.tv/tralee](http://www.churchservices.tv/tralee)



### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ✦ **Bernie Doyle**, née O'Shea, Alderwood Road, and Waterville.
- ✦ **Tom Edwards**, St. Brendan's Road and Abbeydorney.
- ✦ **Chris Dennehy**, Hawley Park.
- ✦ **Maurice O'Keeffe**, Ballyroe.
- ✦ **Tina Wall**, née McCarthy, Ballinorig Estate and Day Place.
- ✦ **Frank Hayes**, Loughrea Galway, and Oakpark.
- ✦ **Peter Anthony Donnelly**, Toronto Canada, New York and Kevin Barry Villas.
- ✦ **Trisha Covill**, née O'Shea, London and Ashgrove. Funeral Mass on Tuesday at 10am in St. John's Church followed by burial in Rath Cemetery.  
*Who died recently and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.*



PLEASE PRAY FOR

### SPECIAL WEDDING JUBILEE MASS:

will be celebrated in St. John's Church next Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 6.10pm for all couples celebrating significant jubilees this year (1<sup>st</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 35<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 45<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, etc...). This will be followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre.

Any such couples should submit their names to the Parish Centre.

### SEASON OF CREATION 2024

(September 1<sup>st</sup> to October 4<sup>th</sup>). Theme for 2024: "To hope and act with Creation". Symbol: "The first fruits of hope" (inspired by Romans 8:19-25)



The first fruits of hope  
(Rom 8:19-25)

St John's Care of Creation Group invites you to join them in celebrating the Season of Creation this year, at a webinar on September 12<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm. Speaker: Niamh Brennan, writer and lecturer. To register, visit [www.dioceseofkerry.ie/justice/seasonofcreation2024](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/justice/seasonofcreation2024)

### USED POSTAGE STAMPS

in aid of the missions may be handed into the Parish Centre.

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:** meeting will take place in the Parish Centre on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September at 7.00pm.



### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH: SIDE CHAPEL**  
Fridays 10.30am to 6.10pm.

**ST. BRENDAN'S CHURCH, CURRAHEEN:**  
Mondays from 11am to 12 noon.



### RELIQS OF ST BERNADETTE:



In 1858, Our Blessed Lady appeared 18 times to a young girl, Bernadette Soubirous in Lourdes. Bernadette died in 1879 and was later canonized in 1933. Her relics will journey on pilgrimage to Ireland for the first time, from September 4<sup>th</sup> to November 5<sup>th</sup>. The relics can be venerated in Our Lady and St Brendan's Church, Tralee on Friday September 13<sup>th</sup> and Saturday September 14<sup>th</sup>.



### PATTERN DAY MASS IN BALLYHEIGUE

Come celebrate Our Lady's Birthday with us in beautiful Ballyheigue. Bishop Ray Browne will lead our Pattern Day Mass at 11.30am on Sunday September 8<sup>th</sup>, in Our Lady's Well and Grotto. Everyone is warmly invited. Plenty of free parking.



**RELIGIOUS GOODS:** and gifts are available to purchase in St. John's Parish Centre, Monday to Saturday, 9.15am to 1.00pm and 2.00pm to 4.45pm.



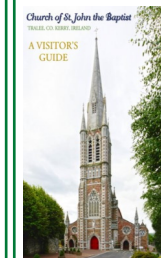
### MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE: ONE SINGLE ROOM SPACE AVAILABLE

11<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> of September, Spiritual Director Fr. Francis Nolan. For more details contact group leader Maura O'Keeffe Harcksen on 087 151 7696 or 066 7127143



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### ST. JOHN'S CHURCH VISITORS GUIDE:



This forty-page colour illustrated booklet outlines the history of St. John's from the mid-nineteenth century, including detailed descriptions of the architecture, stonework, stained glass, mosaics and sculpture in the church. Cost €5. Available in the Parish Centre.

### KEEP THE DATE: GALA CONCERT—RED HURLEY

with The O'Carroll Sisters, St. John's Gregorian Choir, Kerry School of Music Orchestra and Kerry Chamber Choir. Sunday September 29<sup>th</sup> in Our Lady and St. Brendan's Church, Upper Rock street at 7.30pm. Tickets €20 available from Our Lady and St. Brendans or St. John's Parish offices or from Michael Fox O'Connor on 087 9833075. *Proceeds in aid of Kerry Hospice.*



### LIKE TO PLAY TRADITIONAL IRISH MUSIC? Come

along to Craobh Thrá Lí (Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann)'s ENROLMENT EVENING at Our Lady and St. Brendan's Pastoral Centre, Upper Rock Street on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September from 6.00pm. It's for old or young, beginners or advanced musicians. Fáilte mhór roimh chách. Contact: Facebook@ComhaltasTralee; Fón/WhatsApp: 085 7236456; email: comhaltastralee@gmail.com.



**PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE.** The annual Legion of Mary pilgrimage to Knock Shrine takes place on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September. Bus leaves Killarney at 7 a.m. for more information. Contact: Pat Breen. 086 851 0423.

### RECENT BAPTISMS:

With great joy we welcome:

**Ryan Murphy,  
Lola Kelly,  
Finn Ferguson,  
Rhea Costello,  
Layla Plamer,  
Nathan Palmer,  
Wayne Palmer,  
Chloe Locke.**



into our Christian community

**DIOCESAN NEEDS COLLECTION:** will be taken up next weekend, September 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>.

This collection helps fund many of the diocesan organisations as well as the promotion of catechetical initiatives. Envelopes will be available in the church next weekend.



### DONATE ONLINE

If you wish to make a donation to St. John's Parish you can do so through our website at [www.stjohns.ie](http://www.stjohns.ie) or you can scan this QR code which will take you to the donations page.