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ST MARY’S PARISH NEWSLETTER - TARBERT



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 **Fri. 10.30am-2.30pm Phone ; 068-36111.** **Fr. Sean Hanafin 087-8341083**

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**Webpage: www.stmarystarbert.com (Outside Surgery Hours)**

 **Pentecost Sunday**

 **19th May 2024**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 18th***  | ***6pm*** | ***Maureen Cregan, Tieraclea. ( 1st Anniversary )*** |
| ***Sunday 19th***  | ***11.30am*** | ***Mass will be held in the Comprehensive School. (PE Hall)*** |
| ***Monday 20th***  | ***10am*** | ***Mass in Tarbert.******Nora and Jacky Shanley, Dooncaha.*** |
| ***Tuesday 21st***  | ***7pm*** | ***Mass in Ballylongford.*** |
| ***Wednesday 22nd***  | ***\_\_\_\_\_*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Thursday 23rd***  | ***10am*** | ***Mass in Asdee.*** |
| ***Friday 24th***  | ***7pm*** | ***Mass in Tarbert.******John Brendan O’ Connor, ( Birthday Wishes )*** |
| ***Saturday 25th***  | ***6pm***  | ***Margaret Carmody, New York / Chapel St.*** ***( 1st Anniversary )*** |
| ***Sunday 26th***  | ***11.30am*** | ***Michael and Catherine Finucane, Piermount.******Joan Savage, Chapel St.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*:* Fr. Michael Hussey 087-2386084.**

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION**  Amount received will be published at the end of each month.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** – Congratulations to all the girls and boys who made their First Holy Communion last weekend.

**MASS TO BE MOVED** – The 11.30am Mass on this Sunday 19th May will now be held in the P.E. hall in the Comprehensive School to mark the school’s Golden Jubilee. It’s a great opportunity for the community to mark the schools 50th year. Refreshments will be available to everyone after the Mass, as well as a tour of the school.

**LIVE SERVICES** – The link to watch the Mass live from the Comprehensive School is as follows ;

<https://youtube.com/live/3SdRybh8kbk?feature=share>

**A Prayer to the Holy Spirit**

Come, Holy Spirit, Fill my heart with your holy gifts.

Let my weakness be penetrated with your strength this very day,

that I may fulfil all the duties of my state conscientiously,

that I may do what is right and just.

Let my charity be such as to offend no one and hurt no one’s feelings;

so generous as to pardon sincerely any wrong done to me.

Assist me, O Holy Spirit, in all my trials of life, enlighten me in my ignorance,

advise me in my doubts, strengthen me in my weakness,

help me in all my needs, protect me in temptations and console me in afflictions.

Graciously hear me, O Holy Spirit and pour your light

into my heart, my soul and my mind.

 Assist me to live a holy life and to grow in goodness and grace. Amen.

**TARBERT ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP** – (over 55’s) meet in Tarbert Bridewell every Friday between 10.30am and 12 Noon. We have different activities every week followed by refreshments. New Members are welcome.

**TRAVELLER CULTURE WEEK** - is taking place from May 20 to May 31. This year, we are thrilled to invite you to a special launch and exhibition at Kerry County Museum, Denny St.,Tralee. We would be delighted if you and your family could join us at this event. It promises to be a wonderful opportunity to learn, engage and celebrate Traveller culture together.

**THE DIOCESAN JUSTICE PEACE AND INTEGRITY OF CREATION GROUP (JPIC)** - will host an information stand at the Biodiversity Showcase in Tralee Bay Wetlands Ecology Park and Lakeside Cafe on Sun 19th May from 11am to 1pm. celebrating Laudato Si’ Week. You are invited to visit us and the other exciting activities in the afternoon programme.

***SHARING GOOD NEWS’* *EZINE*** *-* The Catholic Communications Office, Maynooth produces a five-story weekly ezine *Sharing Good News* that reports on stories associated with the Bishops' Conference, activities in parishes and dioceses, and that celebrates Church life generally. If you wish to subscribe to receive *Sharing Good News* please register your email address on: <https://catholicnews.ie/newsletter/>

**DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION REMINDER -** Retreat this year at Our Lady's and St Brendan's Tralee on Friday 31st May. Presenters : Fr. Jim Lenihan / Deacon Thady O'Connor and Mass Celebrant Bishop Ray. See poster onnotice board for details.Bookings - Margaret 087-2976304: Breda 087-6742306.

**THANK YOU** - for your continuing support and financial donations that underpin the smooth running of St. Mary’s Parish Church. Please continue to donate what you can on a weekly basis at any of our Masses on Friday, Saturday, Sunday or Monday. Donations can also be made by bank transfer – our bank details are as follows :

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Bank - AIB, The Square, Listowel Co. Kerry.

Thanking you on behalf of the Finance Committee,

John McMonagle (Chairperson), Fr. Sean Hanafin, Mary Holland, Kitty Kelly, Amanda O’Sullivan,

Seamus Enright, Declan Downey, Gabriel McNamara.