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 SPA PARISH CHURCHILL/FENIT

# Spa Parish

CHURCHILL - FENIT


Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 14th July 2024

**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 (13th/14th July) is Fr. Francis Nolan. Phone: 087 2069656

The priest on duty next weekend (20th/21st July) is Fr. Padraig Walsh. Phone: 087 2069656

Masses streamed live on [spaparish@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:spaparish@dioceseofkerry.ie)  
 Click on Churchill or Fenit Church

 **Please pray for all who died recently:**  
 Tom Harmon, Listrim, The Spa. Reposing at the Gleasure Funeral Home, Tralee on Sunday (14th July) from 3.00pm to 5.00pm. Requiem Mass, Monday in Churchill Church at 11.00am, followed by burial afterwards in Réalt na Mara Cemetery, Churchill.  
 And also for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.


**ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT**   
**Tuesday in Fenit Church from 10.30am until 12 Noon. Rosary at 9.45am.**  
**Thursday in Churchill Church from 4.00pm until 7.00pm. Please note: Adoration begins at 4.00pm this Thursday only.**  
*Weekly Adoration will be offered for peace for the present time.*

**MESSAGE FROM FR. FRANCIS**  
 Greetings all. Hope that you all are keeping well. A warm welcome also to anyone visiting the area at this time.  
**CEMETERY MASSES:** Just to remind you of the dates of our annual cemetery Masses. Mass at the Old Cemetery in Churchill this coming Thursday 18th July at 7.30pm. There will be no Mass in Churchill Church that evening. If weather does not permit, Mass will be celebrated in Churchill Church. Realt na Mara Cemetery, Churchill on Friday 2nd August at 7.30pm. All welcome.  
**SECOND ANNUAL KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE:** Saturday 24th August. A coach from the parish has been organised. Cost is €30 per person. Booking must be made at St. John's Parish Centre, Tralee. When booking, please state that your booking is for the Spa coach.  
**PARISH COLLECTION:** Amount of last weekend's collection will be published in next week's newsletter.  
*God Bless, Fr. Francis.*

**CEMETERY MASSES:**  
 Old Cemetery in Churchill on Thursday 18th July at 7.30pm.  
 Realt na Mara Cemetery, Churchill on Friday 2nd August at 7.30pm.  
*No Mass in the Church on these evenings. If weather does not permit, Mass will be celebrated in Churchill Church.*  
**'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/>

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES THIS WEEKEND & COMING WEEK**

Saturday 13th July	7.30pm	Churchill	Michael Gaynor, (2nd anniversary) & his wife Peg, (13th anniversary), Oyster Hall, The Spa.
Sunday 14th July	9.30am	Fenit	John & Brigid Murphy, Listrim, The Spa, (anniversaries).
	11.30am	Churchill	Liam Cotter, Baltygarron, (anniversary).
Monday 15th July	10.00am	Fenit	Joe Tansley, Castle View, Fenit, (Month's Mind Mass) and remembrance of his son, Paidi.
Tuesday 16th July	10.00am	Fenit	Special Intention.
Thursday 18th July	7.30pm	Old Cemetery Churchill	Mass in the Old Cemetery, Churchill. <i>Please note that there is no Mass in Churchill Church this evening,</i>
Friday 19th July	7.30pm	Churchill	Nora Moran & her son, Eddie and Noreen Moran Blackpool, The Spa (anniversaries), and deceased family members.
Saturday 20th July	7.30pm	Churchill	Donie Griffin, Baltygarron, (25th anniversary).
Sunday 21st July	9.30am	Fenit	Oscar Underwood, Fenit, (Month's Mind Mass).
	11.30am	Churchill	Fionan Carey, Knockanish, (15th anniversary).


 **RECENT BAPTISM:**  
*With great joy we welcome into the Christian Community:*  
 Lucy Maria O'Shea, Talaught.

 **PARISH NOVENA IN HONOUR OF MARY OUR MOTHER:** A Novena in honour of Mary our Mother will be held in Churchill Church from Wednesday 7th August to Thursday 15th August (Feast of the Assumption of our Blessed Mother to Heaven). Mass on one of the days during the novena will be celebrated at the Gratto in Marian Terrace in Fenit. Full details will be announced shortly.


**A JULY PRAYER:** Merciful God, thank You for bringing me into the seventh month of the year and also the second half of this year. Thank You for Your loving kindness and tender mercies towards me. Thank You for preserving my life and the lives of my loved ones. Receive all my love, praise and thanks. Amen.

 **THE SECOND ANNUAL KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE**  
 Takes place on Saturday 24th August. 2.00pm: Outdoor Stations of the Cross and Rosary Procession. 3.00pm: Celebrated Mass at Knock Basilica with Anointing of the Sick.  
 Coach from Spa Parish (departure at Churchill) can be booked at St. John's Parish Centre, Tralee (Monday—Saturday 9.15am-1pm—2pm-4.45pm) cost €30 per head. When booking, please state that your booking is for the Spa Parish coach.

**REEK SUNDAY:** National Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick, Co. Mayo. Sunday, July 28th MASSES hourly on the summit from 8:00am to 2:00pm. CONFESSIONS 7:30am - 2:00pm Visit [westportparish.ie](http://westportparish.ie) for further information.

 **ACCORD TRALEE** is open for counselling to couples and individuals to explore, reflect upon and work to resolve difficulties that arise in their marriage and relationships. Appointments are arranged for daytime or evening to suit. Contact 066 7122280.

**MASS CARDS:** Sympathy, Get Well, & general Mass Bouquet cards signed by Fr. Francis are available in the Gala Shop, Fenit and also from Anne Daughton, Sacristan, Churchill, 087 9951601.

**BLESSING OF LIFEBOAT:** There will be a Blessing of a Lifeboat in Fenit, Sunday next, 21st July at 1.00pm. All welcome. 

**CONSIDERING A POSTGRADUATE STUDY PROGRAMME?** Check out the options in Theology, Philosophy, Youth Ministry, Church Music and more at St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth, [sppu.ie/courses](http://sppu.ie/courses). Applications close 2<sup>nd</sup> August.

**UDED STAMPS:** In aid of the missions may be given to Anne Daughton, Sacristan, Churchill.

**RELIGIOUS GOODS:** Baptism and Wedding candles, religious gifts, Rosary beads, statues, medals, available to purchase at St. John's Parish Centre, Tralee. Monday to Saturday, 9.15am—1.15pm & 2.00pm—4.45pm.

**SUPPORT HELPLINES:** SAMARITANS Tel: 116 123 PIETA HOUSE KERRY (24 hr line) 1800 247 247