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 SPA PARISH CHURCHILL/FENIT

# Spa Parish

CHURCHILL - FENIT

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time


7th 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 (6th/7th July) is Fr. Tadhg Fitzgerald. Phone: 087 2069656

The priest on duty next weekend (13th/14th July) is Fr. Francis Nolan. 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:**  
 Pat Crean, The Spa.  
*And also for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, including:*  
 Bernie Griffin, (3rd anniversary) Taulaught & her mother, Nora Parker, (18th anniversary) & deceased family members.

**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 3.00pm until 7.15pm with Benediction before evening Mass.**  
*Weekly Adoration will be offered for peace for the present time.*

**MESSAGE FROM FR. FRANCIS**

Greetings all.  
 Wishing you well at this time. I hope that you are enjoying the summer despite the weather not being the best.  
**CEMETERY MASSES:** Just to remind you of the dates of our annual cemetery Masses. Old Cemetery in Churchill on Thursday 18th July at 7.30pm and Realt na Mara Cemetery, Churchill on Friday 2nd August at 7.30pm. All welcome.

**NOVENA:** Please see the notice below in the newsletter about our Parish Novena in honour of Mary our Mother which will be held between 7th and 15th August.

**MONTHLY FIRST FRIDAY CALLS:** I will be visiting our sick and housebound parishioners on Friday next, 12th July. Please let me know of anyone who would like to be included on the visitation list.

*God Bless, Fr. Francis.*

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 Realt na Mara Cemetery, Churchill on Friday 2nd August at 7.30pm.

**Diocese of Kerry Appointments July 2024**

Bishop Ray Browne wishes to announce the following changes to the appointments of clergy in the Diocese of Kerry:  
**Retirements:**  
 Fr. Brendan Carmody, PP Moyvane.  
**Appointments:**  
 Fr. Brendan Walsh, Causeway to be PP Moyvane.  
 Fr. Gerard Finucane, Waterville to be PP Causeway.  
 Fr Sean Jones, Killarney to be PP Waterville.  
 Fr Vitalis Barasa, St John's Tralee to minister in Killarney Parish.  
 Fr Gerard Finucane to also be Moderator of Ballyheigue.  
 Fr Sean Jones to also be Moderator of Caherdaniel.  
*These appointments will become effective on Wednesday, July 17<sup>th</sup> 2024.*


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

Saturday 6th July	7.30pm	Churchill	John O'Sullivan, Chapeltown, (38th anniversary).
Sunday 7th July	9.30am	Fenit	Bridget Murphy, (anniversary) and remembrance of her husband, James Murphy, Island Road, Fenit.
	11.30am	Churchill	Bernie Griffin, Taulaught, (3rd anniversary).
Monday 8th July	10.00am	Fenit	Special Intention.
Tuesday 9th July	10.00am	Fenit	Special Intention.
Thursday 11th July	7.30pm	Churchill	Special Intention.
Friday 12th July	7.30pm	Churchill	Jerome Daly Snr, his wife, Voureen and their son, Jerome, The Kerries, (anniversaries).
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).

**PARISH COLLECTION:** 30th June 2024: Total: €1,652. (Weekly Envelopes, & Offertory Collection and Pastoral Initiatives €1,145., Shrines €457. & Teach na Sagart, €50.) Thank you for your generosity and making such a huge effort to support the Parish. Míle Buióchas.

**DIOCESAN COLLECTION FOR SICK AND RETIRED PRIESTS** will be taken up at Masses this weekend, 6th/7th July. This is our annual collection throughout the Diocese for sick and retired priests. A sincere word of thanks to all the people of the Diocese for their continuing support over many years for the sick and retired priests of the Diocese. This support is both invaluable and greatly appreciated.

**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.

**RECENT BAPTISM:**   
*With great joy we welcome into the Christian Community:*  
 Esmé Behan, Ballyhorgan, Ballyduff.

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

 **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 later.

**ANNUAL KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**  
 The second Annual Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Saturday 24th August. Further details to follow.

**ANNUAL MASS AT RATH CEMETERY, TRALEE** will take place on Wednesday 10 July at 7.30pm.

**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—1pm & 2.00pm – 4.45pm.

**AWARE:** Offer a free weekly group Tuesdays at 7pm at CDP Centre, Rock Business Centre, Upper Rock Street, V92 WR9P for people who may be struggling with depression or anxiety, See [www.aware.ie](http://www.aware.ie).

**Annual Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place on Sunday 21 July. Mass at 3pm will be followed by Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine. Pioneers, along with friends and relations of people who are living "one day at a time" with addiction, are welcome.

**First Saturday in honour of the Immaculate Heart of Mary:** For those who would like to fulfil the second of Our lady's requests in Fatima for obtaining a period of peace and salvation of souls. The Communal First Saturday devotions will be held on Saturday 6th July commencing at 8.45 am in the Church of the Resurrection Killarney. Devotions will begin with the Fatima intentions and prayer. Followed by the Rosary at 9am. Mass at 9.30 followed by 15 mins guided meditation on the mysteries of the Rosary.