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**Parish Office Opening Hours:**

**Mon. 10.30am -2.30pm. Wed. 10.30am-1.30pm Priests :**

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

### Email: [tarbert@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:tarbert@dioceseofkerry.ie) Fr. Michael Hussey 087-2386084

**Notices for Parish Newsletter have to be in on Safeguarding Children: 087-6362780 Wednesday by 12 Noon. Defib. Emergency No. 999 or 112**

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

**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**18th August 2024**

**R.I.P. Mary Hutchings, California.**

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| **Day/Date** | **Time** | **Intention** |
| ***Saturday 17th*** | ***6pm*** | ***Seán McCarthy, Ivy House / Camas.***  ***Joe Pattwell, Carhoona. ( 1st Anniversary )*** |
| ***Sunday 18th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***Nora, Michael and M.J. Coolahan and***  ***Mary Teresa Callan, Main St.*** |
| ***Monday 19th*** | ***10am*** | ***Mass in Tarbert.***  ***Special Intention.*** |
| ***Tuesday 20th*** | ***7pm*** | ***Mass in Ballylongford.*** |
| ***Wednesday 21st*** | ***\_\_\_\_\_*** | ***No Mass.*** |
| ***Thursday 22nd*** | ***10am*** | ***Mass in Asdee.*** |
| ***Friday 23rd*** | ***7pm*** | ***Mass in Tarbert.***  ***Private Intention.*** |
| ***Saturday 24th*** | ***6pm*** | ***People of the Parish.*** |
| ***Sunday 25th*** | ***11.30am*** | ***John Leslie, Tarbert House.***  ***Seán and Bridie Wren, Ballinoe.*** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND*:* Fr. Gerard Finucane 087-0554874.**

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION**  Sunday 11th July - € 836 Donation - € 250 Míle Buíochas.

**GRAVEYARD MASS** St. Mary’s Cemetery, Tarbert – Friday 16th August at 7pm.

**LIVE SERVICES** – All Masses are now being live streamed from our Church. Just go to the Church website – www.stmarystarbert.com and you can watch on your phone, tablet, computer or smart T.V. When you log in and see the picture of the Altar, just underneath this, click on the mute button and you will then have the audio as well.

**All our Masses at St. Mary’s Church, Tarbert,can be viewed online at** [**www.stmarystarbert.com**](http://www.stmarystarbert.com)

**DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**

Blessed Trinity, Father, Son and Spirit, we worship and praise You.

Father, through the Holy Spirit you give to every Christian a unique calling

as you provide and care for the needs of your people.

Hear our prayers for our needs as parish communities. Bless our efforts to strengthen lay ministry.

In our diocese and in all our parishes give to each person the grace

to discern, follow and live their calling.

Call forth from among us vocations to the diocesan priesthood.

Fill the hearts of our priests and deacons with renewed Peace and Joy.

Father, in all things ‘Thy will be done’.

We entrust our prayers to you through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Rev. Sean Murphy will be ordained to the priesthood

on this Sunday 18th August in the parish church in Glenbeigh.

Thank God for his priesthood, and pray that we will always have

sufficient priests to serve all the parish communities of our diocese.

**DIOCESE OF KERRY PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK** – is on Saturday 24th August. Just one week until the pilgrimage. So many people from all parts of the diocese said how much they enjoyed our Knock pilgrimage last year. Check what bus is going from your pastoral area / parish. Hopefully we will have good numbers again this year.

*“Our Lady of Knock, pray for us”.*

**KYDS** - are currently expanding their board membership. They are recruiting an additional four new Non-Executive Directors and are seeking a suitable person to take on the role of Chairperson. See the Church noticeboard for details.

**SEASON OF CREATION LECTURE** - "Developing an Eco-Spirituality - To Hope and Act with Creation" on 19th September at 7.30pm in Renehan Hall, St. Patrick’s College Maynooth.  Xavier de Bénazé SJ will explore eco-spirituality and Laudato Si’ through different perspectives which reflect on the current environmental crises and how eco-spirituality is part of the solution. To register for this event please email [cmurphy@jcfj.ie](mailto:cmurphy@jcfj.ie)

**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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