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 SPA PARISH CHURCHILL/FENIT

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CHURCHILL - FENIT


Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 18th August 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 (17th/18th August) is Fr. Bernard Healy. Phone: 087 2069656

The priest on duty next weekend (24th/25th August) is Fr. Francis Nolan. Phone: 087 2069656

Masses streamed live on spaparish@dioceseofkerry.ie
 Click on Churchill or Fenit Church

 Please pray for all who died recently:
 Seán Galvin, Sackville, Ardfert.
 And also for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, including:
 Dan & Mary Crowley, Fenit, (anniversaries).
 Maurice Shanahan (19th anniversary) Gorey, Co. Wexford, and his wife, Margaret Shanahan (nee King), Fenit, (2nd anniversary).

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.



Greetings to you all.

Sincere thanks to everyone who has attended and participated in our Novena. It was a very uplifting and prayerful experience. Sincere thanks to the Liturgy Group and the Parish Pastoral Council and indeed, to everyone who volunteered to take on various roles - Singing, Reading, Leading the Rosary, Religious Goods Shop, Distributing the Booklets and candles and decorating. Everyone playing their role contributed to creating something very special and beautiful. It was wonderful also that so many people could join us on line and connect with us in prayer. Again, thanks to everyone.




This Sunday, Deacon Seán Murphy, a native of Glenbeigh Parish will be ordained to the priesthood for the Diocese of Kerry by Bishop Ray Browne. The ceremony will be held in Glenbeigh Parish Church at 3.00pm. Please keep Seán in your prayers. On behalf of this parish, we him well and pray that God will bless his priesthood and ministry.

God Bless, Fr. Francis.

MESSAGE FROM FR. FRANCIS

SCHEDULE OF MASSES THIS WEEKEND & COMING WEEK

Saturday 10th Aug.	7.30pm	Churchill	Bridie Kissane, Kilfenora & Wales, (recently deceased) and remembrance of Nora Mai Clarke, Kilfenora & Birmingham (recently deceased).
Sunday 11th August	9.30am	Fenit	Michael Murphy, Cork and Barrow, (recently deceased) & all deceased family members.
	11.30am	Churchill	John Clohessy, The Spa, (9th anniversary).
Monday 12th Aug.	10.00am	Fenit	Bill Murphy, Fenit Island, (anniversary) and his parents and all deceased family members.
Tuesday 13th Aug.	10.00am	Fenit	Dan Daly, Castle St., Tralee, (39th anniversary).
Thursday 15th Aug.	7.30pm	Churchill	Jerry O'Brien, Abbeydorney and Listrim, The Spa, (Month's Mind Mass).
Friday 16th August	7.30pm	Churchill	Special Intention.
Saturday 17th Aug.	7.30pm	Churchill	Nora Kenny, Blackpool, The Spa, (anniversary).
Sunday 18th August	9.30am	Fenit	Kay Murphy, Cloghers, Ballyard, Tralee & Fenit, (Month's Mind Mass).
	11.30am	Churchill	Nellie Carmody, Chapelstown, (2nd anniversary).

 **RECENT BAPTISM:**
 With great joy we welcome into the Christian Community:
 Marlie Mae Quirke, Ballyheigue.

PARISH COLLECTION: 11th August 2024:
 Total: €2,012.35 (Weekly Envelopes, & Offertory Collection €1,201.26, Shrines €541.09 & Teach na Sagart €270.00). Thank you for your generosity and making such a huge effort to support the Parish. Mile Buióchas.

THE SECOND ANNUAL KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE



Takes place on Saturday next, 24th August. 2.00pm: Outdoor Stations of the Cross and Rosary Procession. 3.00pm: Concelebrated Mass at Knock Basilica with Anointing of the Sick. Seats on 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. Please book by next Tuesday at the very latest.

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

BUS ESCORT JOB VACANCY:

The Board of Management of St. Brendan's National School, Fenit invites applications for a Bus Escort (1 hour per day for approx. 120 afternoons). Job description includes ensuring the safety of all pupils on the bus. Assist pupils to board and alight from the bus safely and ensure that each pupil is received by a responsible person at the point of set down. All appointments will be subject to Garda vetting requirements and occupational health check. Pay is in accordance with Department of Education hourly rates. Those interested can apply by sending a letter of application with CV and details of two referees (marked 'Bus Escort') and post to: The Chairperson, St. Brendan's National School, Fenit, Tralee, Co. Kerry. Applications can also be emailed to chairpersonstbrendans@gmail.com Close of applications is immediate.



FENIT ISLAND TOMBOLA:

The cost of doing nothing. A 30-minute film highlighting the fragility of the sand dunes protecting Fenit Island will be shown followed by Q and A and refreshments in Fenit Parish Centre on Saturday next, 24th August at 4.00 and 7.00pm. Admission is free, and tickets can be booked on Eventbrite. As part of Heritage Week, come along and find out more about our local coastline. All welcome.

MASS CARDS:

Sympathy & Mass Bouquet Cards signed by Fr. Francis are available in the Gala Shop, Fenit and also from Anne Daughton, Sacristan Churchill. Anne's contact number is 087 9951601.



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.

AWARE:

Offer a free weekly group Tuesdays at 7pm at CDP Centre, Rock Business Centre, Upper Rock Street, Tralee V92 WR9P for people who may be struggling with depression or anxiety etc. See www.aware.ie.

RELIGIOUS GOODS:

available to purchase at St. John's Parish Centre, Tralee. Monday to Saturday, 9.15am-1pm & 2.00pm – 4.45pm.

'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/>

UDED STAMPS:

In aid of the missions may be given to Anne Daughton, Sacristan, Churchill.