Parish of Ardfert

13 October 2024

ST BRENDAN'S CHURCH, ARDFERT & SACRED HEART CHURCH, KILMOYLEY

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RECENT DEATHS: Patrick Maguire, Liscahane, Ardfert whose Funeral Mass was held on Monday. Pat Joe Dowling, Banna South, Ardfert whose Funeral Mass was held on Tuesday.

Masses for week commencing Sunday 13 October - St Brendan's Church, Ardfert

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Sun	11.00 am	Mary & Florence McCarthy, Banna East; Hannah Fitzgerald,	
		Banna Road	
Mon	10.00 am	Tommy & Mary O'Mahony, Ballinprior, Ardfert	
Tues	10.00 am	Mass for All the People of the Parish	
Tues	11.00 am - 12	2 noon Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction	
Weds	10.00 am	Catherine & Timothy Nolan, Tralee	
Thurs	10.00 am	Special Intention	
Fri	10.00 am	Mary Stack, Ballinprior (recently deceased) – St Joseph's	
		Young Priests' Society	
Sat	10.00 am	Baby Isla Siobhán Baker (1st anniv)	
Sun	11.00 am		

Masses for week commencing Sunday 13 Oct - Sacred Heart Church, Kilmoyley

Sat	7.00 pm	David Fenton, Waterford; David Twomey, Ballymacquinn (4th
		Anniv); Ellen (Nell) Cooke, Kilcooley (50 th anniv) & Harry
		Cooke (18th anniv) and Nicholas & Margaret Deenihan
Fri	7.00 pm	Catherine & John Griffin, Ballinprior and Peggy & Paddy Casey
		Ballyheigue, and their son Paudie, Abbeydorney & Ballyheigue
Sat	7.00 pm	Maurice & Mary McElligott, Ballinorig, Causeway

- * We welcome into the Christian community baby Daniel John Mary Fitzmaurice.
- We congratulate Alison Loughran and Ciarán Cotter who celebrated their marriage in St Brendan's Church, Ardfert on 4 October 2024.
- Last Sunday's offertory collection: €665; Capital Envelope Collection: €440. Go Raibh Maith Agaibh. *Diocesan Collection next weekend for Mission Sunday*.

- Ardfert Parish Office is open on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9.30 am 1 pm. Tel: 7134131/email: ardfert@dioceseofkerry.ie.
- * The parish newsletter is available online at www.dioceseofkerry.ie.
- Mission Month Diocese of Kerry Webinar with Sr Anne Carbon, Congregational Leader of the Missionary Sisters of St. Columban on Thursday 17 October at 7.30pm. Registration on www.dioceseofkerry.ie. Theme for Mission Month is "Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet MT 22:9".
- Parish Offering/Dues Envelopes can be posted securely through the letterbox of the parish office or put in the box in Ardfert church porch. <u>Please note</u>: Cheques should be made payable to Ardfert Parish or to Ardfert-Kilmoyley Capital Fund. The Parish Finance Council thanks you for your continuing support.
- Mission Month October 2024. Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday, the Holy Father's annual appeal to support overseas mission and missionaries. Missio envelopes are in both churches – please take one home and return it next weekend.
- ❖ Coláiste Íde, Dingle are holding an Open Day on Saturday 19 October from 10 am 4 pm. More information from 066 9151211 or info@colaisteide.com.
- PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL. The next meeting takes place on Wednesday 23 October at 8 pm in Cúil Mhuire Pastoral Centre.
- ❖ Padre Pio Evening of Devotions. The next Evening of Devotions will take place on Thursday 24 October at 7 pm in Ardfert church. All welcome.
- ❖ On Sunday 13 October 2024 the Bishops of Ireland published a pastoral letter 'A Hundred Thousand Welcomes?' to welcome migrants to Ireland. As Christians, we have a responsibility to respond to the key question of immigration across our island, and the world. This fundamental question asks, "Who is my neighbour?" and to answer this we are informed by the parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:29-37). In the light of the Gospel and Catholic Social Teaching, our Bishops offer this reflection on what hospitality for migrant people means in contemporary Ireland. Mindful that migration has been a central part of our history, the Pastoral Letter provides a space for us as 'migrant pilgrim people' to contemplate the causes of migration, the gifts that migrants bring to our Church and our country, the economic and social issues we all face in Ireland, the importance of encounter in building a true sense of belonging in every parish and community. The Pastoral Letter is available on www.CatholicBishops.ie.
- ❖ AA Ardfert Group Open Public Meeting at The Grove, Ardfert on Wednesday 30 October at 8.30 pm. All welcome. Refreshments provided.