

Our next Family Sunday Mass takes place next weekend January 12th @ 11.30am – The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord – it will celebrate also, all the babies baptized in 2024. We look forward to meeting everyone afterwards for refreshments!!

Second Diocesan collection for Needs of the Holy land will take place on Sunday 12th January, it will take place in St. Brendan's on Saturday 18th January at the Vigil Mass

Tap to donate terminal at the back of St. Mary's to facilitate card payments.

Sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to the St. Vincent de Paul collections and fundraisers over the Christmas period. All monies raised stay in the local community. We really appreciate the generous support not just at Christmas but throughout the year.

Diocesan online Mission takes place from Sunday 19th January to Wednesday 22nd. The theme this year is 'Pilgrims of Hope'. Check out the diocesan website www.dioceseofkerry.ie to see the speakers and the details of daily events.

Senior citizen lunches resume after the Christmas break this coming Tuesday in the Clubrooms. New members are always welcome. Please note there is a new phone number to contact – Michelle on 085 2432251



As we reflect on the Epiphany, we are reminded to follow the example of the Magi. We are called to seek Jesus, recognize His light, and honour Him as our king. Let us embrace the humility and love that Jesus shows us and share His light with the world.

As we celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany, we are reminded that Jesus' light shines for everyone. His humble kingship calls us to live with love and service. Let us follow the example of the Magi, seeking Jesus and sharing His light with the world.

Prayer

Lord Jesus, light of the world, guide us to You. Help us to see Your light in our lives. May we follow Your example of humility and love. Teach us to share Your light with others, showing them the way to Your truth and grace.

Amen.

Parish Life Newsletter

5th January 2025

Second Sunday of Christmas



St Therese of Lisieux

“Do you realise that Jesus is there in the tabernacle expressly for you – for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart... Don’t listen to the demon; laugh at him and go without fear to receive the Jesus of peace and love.”

Office Hours

Mondays & Holy Days – Closed

Tuesdays – 11.00am to 3.00pm

Wednesdays – 11.00am to 4.00pm

Thursday – Working from home text or phone mobile number 087 1438060

between 11.00am to 4.30pm

Friday – 11am to 4.30pm.

Closed 1pm to 1.30pm for lunch.

Weekend Mass Times

St. Mary’s Castlegregory

Sunday 11.30am

St. Brendan’s Cloghane

Saturday Vigil 6.15pm

(alternating with St.

Mary’s Camp)

(see newsletter)

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Confession

St. Mary’s – First Fridays after 7.00pm Mass

St. Brendan’s – Tuesdays closest to First

Fridays after the 7.00pm

Daily Parish Eucharistic Adoration

St. Mary’s

Monday – 10.00am to 11.00am

**Wednesday – 10.00am to 11.00am and
5pm to 9pm**

Friday – 10.00am to 11.00am

Sunday – 12.20 (after Mass) 1.20pm

St. Brendan’s

Tuesday – 11.15am to 12.15pm

Thursday – 2.00pm to 3.00pm

Saturday – 11.15am to 12.15pm

Sunday – 9.15am to 10.15am

**Week beginning 5th January
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Second Sunday of Christmas



Blessing of the home on the Feast of the Epiphany is an old tradition. A family member may go through the various rooms of the home sprinkling holy water which can be obtained from the

parish church. The following prayer may be said:

Bless, O Lord God almighty, this home, that in it there may be health, purity, the strength of victory, humility, goodness and mercy, the fulfilment of Thy Law, the thanksgiving to God the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Amen

**Intentions for this
Weekend**

**St. Mary's – Sunday 5th January
@ 11.30am Intention: Tom & Margaret Kennedy, Coolroe & deceased family members. (2) Mary Nolan Lyreacrompane**

**St. Brendan's – Saturday 4th January @ 6.15pm – Intention:
Maura & Frank Fitzgerald, Cappagh.**

We Pray for

**Mary Horgan, Aughacasla
Noel Cumins, Main Street First Anniversary
Paul Ryan, Tipperary & Browne's caravan park
Kitty Barry, Limerick & Beal Geal
Patrick Houlihan, Kilburn & Taobh an Cnoic 2nd Anniversary
Mary Nolan, Lyreacrompane**

Weekday Mass Schedule

St. Mary's Church,

Monday 6th January – Feast of the Epiphany – Mass @ 11.30am

No Intention

Tuesday 7th January @ 10.00am

Private Intention

No Masses on Wednesday & Thursday

Friday 10th January @ 7.00pm –

No Intention

Saturday 11th January @ 11.00am – First Anniversary

Mass for Noel Cumins, Main St

Sunday 12th January @ 11.30am

(1) Paddy Horgan & deceased family members, Castlegregory

(2) Jimmy Finn, Stradbally & USA – Anniversary.

St Brendan's Church,

Monday 6th January @ 9.30am –

Feast of the Epiphany – No Intention.

No Tuesday Mass this week

No Vigil Mass on Saturday 11th

January in St. Brendan's. The

Vigil Mass will be in Camp

church @ 6.1pm

The next Baptism preparation evening takes place on Monday 13th January @ 7.30pm in the Clubrooms. This is a requirement for Baptism so

please contact the parish office as soon as possible if planning to baptize your baby. Tel 066 7130145.

Planned Giving Boxes for 2025 - Still some boxes remaining, please collect them if you haven't already done so. Thank you for your continued support of the envelope collection. If you do not have a box and would like to get one, please contact the parish office.

Priest on Deanery duty this Sunday 5th January is Fr Eoghan Ó Cadhla. In the event of an emergency, please call 087 6951318.

Sincere thank you to all who contributed so generously to the second collection towards priest's income at the Christmas Masses. Your generosity if very much appreciated.
