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**LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER**

**17th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**30th July 2017**

**Parish Priest: Very Rev. Declan Canon O Connor VF. Parish Office (Mon – Fri 10am – 1pm & 2pm – 5pm) 068-21188**. After hour’s emergency no. 0870908949.**Email:** [listowel@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:listowel@dioceseofkerry.ie). *Notices for Parish Newsletter have to be in by 2.00pm on Thursdays***.** **Funerals** take place on weekdays at 11.30am and Sundays at 11.30am. Mass. **Baptisms** are at pre-arranged times and must be booked through the Parish Office. **Confessions:** every Saturday after 10.30am Mass. Check out our Parish Web Page and a live stream of all liturgies at [www.listowelparish.com](http://www.listowelparish.com) and all Diocesan news on: [**www.dioceseofkerry.ie**](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

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**MASSES THIS WEEK 29th July – 6th August**

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| Saturday  29th | Ned & Annie Pellican, Dirha /  Paddy Rochford, Cahirdown /  Teresa & Michael Bambury, Gortaglanna, Kilmorna, Birthday Remembrance /  Peggy O Connor, Finuge /  Jimmy & Rita Gavin, Greenville & Thomas & Mai Bowen, Kilmallock /  Robert & Bettie Moloney, The Square/  Joe & Peggy Gleeson, Church St. | **6.15pm**  **Vigil** |
| Sunday  30th | Fr. Tim Gunn, Lisselton | 9.00am |
| John Joe & Mary Hartnett, Clieveragh / Brendan O Connor, Convent St. /  Tom Fitzgerald, Billeragh | **11.30am** |
| Mon 31st | Jack & Bridie Greaney, Toornageehy /  Elsie Hope Leahy, Kenny Heights /  Special Intention | 10.30am |
| Tues 1st | Fintan & Peggy McGrath, William St. | 10.30am |
| Wed. 2nd | Billy McMullan, Tralee /  Special Intention | 10.30am |
| Thurs 3rd | Eileen Jeremiah Hannon, Bromodra, Lyreacrompane | 10.30am |
| Fri. 4th | Bartholomew Maher & Mary McCoy, & Deceased Family Members, Coilbee | 10.30am |
| St. Padre Pio & 1st Friday Mass | 7.00pm |
| Saturday  5th | Bridie Doyle, Knockane /  Jack & Sean Wight, Ballygrennan | 10.30am |
| Lily Hennessy, Killocrim /  Fr. Kiernan O Shea, Bridge Road /  Kay O Connor, Craughatoosane | **Vigil**  **6.15pm** |
| Sunday  6th | ***People of the Parish*** | 9.00am |
| Deceased Members of the McElligott Family Bunagara & Peggy Mahony, Listowel | **11.30am** |

**PRIEST ON DUTY FOR LISTOWEL DEANERY THIS SUNDAY*, 30th July***  ***Fr. Hanafin, 087-8341083.*** *(emergencies only).*

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCE** Thomas Canty, O’Connell’s Ave. / Maurice Cahill, Cahirdown & Deceased Family Members of the Devereux Family Paddy Fealy & Deceased Family Coolaclarig / Joe Gleeson, Church St. / Tom Carmody, Derry / Bridie & Edward Fealy, O’Connell’s Ave. /

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION:** Our Parish Finance Council say sincere thank you for the collection last weekend.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**WELL DONE AGAIN TO LISTOWEL!** THE SPECIAL Trócaire Church Collection For Famine In East Africa that was held last weekend raised **€5,195.00.** That is great generosity and it has been already passed onto the Diocesan Office. The parishioners of Listowel Knows no boundaries of their generosity. Many Thanks!

**COMMUNION CALLS TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND:** Canon Declan will be doing his usual Calls to the Sick & Housebound on Wednesday afternoon next ( August 2nd ). The Office will contact the usual people but if anybody new wishes a visit from a priest please contact Parish Office.

**FIRST FRIDAY & ST. PADRE PIO NIGHT:** Friday next (4th August). Usual masses at 10.30am. The evening Mass will be the Padre Pio Evening Mass beginning with the Rosary at 6.45 p.m. with Mass at 7pm. followed by the Padre Pio prayers & Benediction.

**CONFESSIONS**: Confessions after the 10.30 a.m. Mass on both Thursday & Saturday mornings next.

**ANNUAL DINNER WITH BISHOP RAY**: For Priests home on vacation  or retired from abroad will take place at the Parish Centre, Church of the Resurrection, Park Road, Killarney on Wednesday 9th August. Further details and book: Contact Diocesan Office : 064- 6631168.

**WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018**: launch will take place during the National Novena in **Knock** on Monday 21 August 2017. At the 3pm Mass that day each diocese will be represented by a family during the procession.

**KNOCK SHRINE 2017** Pilgrimage to Knock on Thursday 17th August. Coach will leave The Square Listowel at 7am. Book your seat now contact Fitzpatrick of Listowel on 087-3966399

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**HOPE GUATEMALA** Seán McGillicuddy, son of Jackie McGillicuddy's of McGillicuddy's (Corbett and Fitzgibbon shop, William st.) is on the Board of Hope Guatemala, a Kerry based charity that feeds 50 children everyday in Guatemala. We also put children through school, have a nutrition centre and health centre and provide may other essential services in Guatemala. We are operating for 12 years and have no administration fees and all the money goes directly to Guatemala. I am having an open meeting in The Horseshoe Bar and Restaurant on the morning of Thursday August 3rd at 10.30am where I will be speaking of what I have done and how I plan on bringing the charity to Listowel. We will also have a screening of our documentary. All are welcome and I hope you can attend.

**KERRY PARENTS & FRIENDS** recent Church gate collection raised €1,541.00. Many thanks for you generosity.

**MUNSTER GATHERING & SPIRITUALITY DAY Rekindling the Pioneer Flame**. Fitzgerald’s Woodlands House Hotel, Adare. Sunday 1st October, Celebrant Bishop of Limerick, Most Rev. Brendan Leahy. For more info: contact Siobhan 087-2852155 or Sorcha 086-3642619. Poster on notice board.

**DUAGH SPORTS COMPLEX COMMITTEE** will be bringing back the Showbands to the Complex on **Thursday 31st August.**  Appearing on the night will be Shaun O’ Dowd, Red Hurley, Crystal Swing, Gina of the Champions, The Conquerors, Keith & Lorrain.  This is in memory of the late Fr Pat Moore, who was one of the Directors of the Complex.  A donation from each ticket will go to Kerry Cork Health Link Bus. Tickets available from committee members, local shops & Post office.

***PLEASE NOTE:*** The Vigil Mass on **Saturday**, **August 12th** (***two weeks time***) will be at the earlier time of **6.00pm**. to facilitate the **Revival Concert** which will begin in the Square at **7.00 p.m**. This is for this weekend only and it will enable people to come to mass, park in comfort and go home before the crowds arrive.

***Check out more notices on the Church notice board and our Web Page at*** [***www.listowelparish.com***](http://www.listowelparish.com)