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**Parish Priest: Declan Canon O Connor VF. Parish Office (Mon – Fri 10am – 1pm & 2pm – 5pm) 068-21188**. After hours emergency 0870908949.**Email:** [listowel@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:listowel@dioceseofkerry.ie). *Newsletter notices have to be in by 2.00pm on Thursdays***.** **Funerals** take place Mondays to Saturdays at 11.30am. **Baptisms** take place on Saturdays at 4pm. **Confessions:** Saturdays after 10.30am Mass. Check out our Parish Web Page at [www.listowelparish.com](http://www.listowelparish.com) for a live stream of all Masses. Diocesan news on: [**www.dioceseofkerry.ie**](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

***LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER***

**Most Holy Trinity Sunday**

**16th of June 2019**

 *St. Mary’s Church is*

*fitted with a loop*

*system. Please adjust*

*your hearing aid.*

**MASSES THIS WEEK 16th – 23rd June**

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| Sat. 15th | Siobhan Boyle, Belfast /  William & Margaret Guiney, Coolaclarig /  Christina Williams & John Roche, O’Connell’s Ave. / Nora Purcell, Woodford /  Hannah & Sam Tarrant, Craughatoosane /  PJ Maher & Dec. Family, Church St. /  Kathleen Halpin, Greenville Rd. | 6.15pm  Vigil |
| Sunday  16th | Catherine Liston, Athea, **Recently Dec**. /  Patrick McEnery / Gerard Keane & Maureen Ahern nee Keane & Dec. Family, Ballygrennan | 9.00am |
| Eamonn O Connor, Anne’s Villa, Bedford /  Donal & Baby Darren Mulvihill, Derry | 11.30am |
| Mon 17th | Con & Rose Lynch, Moyvane | 10.30am |
| Tues 18th | Nellie & William Moloney, Charles St. & Ellen Doona & Catherine Moloney /  Con Barrett, Gortnaminch | 10.30am |
| Wed 19th | Sean Browne, Ennismore /  Special Intention | 10.30am |
| Thurs 20th | Tommy Mahoney, England | 10.30am |
| Fri 21st |  | 10.30am |
| Sat.  22nd | ***People of the Parish*** | 10.30am |
| Sharon Heaphy Lantolf, Dirha, **Months Mind**  Thomas Molyneaux, Meen, **Months Mind** /  Frank Murphy, Clieveragh, **Months Mind** /  Nora Stack, Cahirdown, **1st Anniversary**  Deceased Members of the Corridan, Fitzgerald & Moriarty Families /  Jimmy Browne, St. Brendan’s Tce.  Johanna Watkins, Cahirdown /  Mike & Paddy O’Sullivan, Coilbee | Vigil  6.15pm |
| Sunday  23rd | Willie & Mary Anne Kelly & Brendan & PJ Kelly, Dirha East | 9.00am |
| Denis Patrick Bunce, Listowel, Essex & Belfast & Elsie & Claire Ellen Hunt /  Liann O Halloran, Church St. & Cork /  Gerardine Long, Guhard, Lisselton | 11.30am |

***Priest on duty for our Pastoral area this Sunday 16th June,***

***Fr. Kevin McNamara, 0894044816 (emergencies only).***

**RECENT DEATHS & FUNERALS:** Please remember in your prayers our recent deaths:

**† John Crean,** died in England, late of Bunnyconnolan, Mayo

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCE** Kathleen O Connor, O’Connell’s Ave. / Nora Purcell, Woodford / Ann Hartnett, Feale Drive & Killocrim / Timothy Lynch, Killocrim / Teresa Sweeney, O’Connell’s Ave.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**GRADUATION MASSES THIS WEEK IN OUR SCHOOLS:**

***Nano Nagle School*** - Tuesday, June 18th 1.15 p.m.

***Scoil Realta na Maidne*** - Thursday, June 20th 9.30 a.m.

**LISTOWEL CEMETERY MASSES 2019**  ***Please note the Dates***

***St. Michael’s,*** Tuesday June 25th at 8.00 p.m.

***St. John Paul II***, Wednesday, June 26th at 8.00 p.m.

***Finuge Cemetery***, Thursday, June 27th at 8.00 p.m.

In preparation for the above Masses for our loved ones we invite each family to clean up their own individual grave plot.

**ANNUAL SACRED HEART NOVENA**: In preparation for the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart, which takes place on Friday, June 28th – you are invited to participate in the Novena beginning on Thursday next, June 20th to June 28th . There will be leaflets at the back of the church.

**PARISH LITURGY GROUP** wish to thank you for your generosity towards their recent church gate collection which raised **€1,037.74**. Much appreciated!

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE** Weekly Prayer Meetings: Led by Ben Perkins, Mon. 8.00pm-9.30pm. Growing Old Gracefully: John Dunne & Mary Glynn,  a guided participative experience open to all,  Fri. 26th to Sun. 28th July. Sacred Circle Dance - To mark World Day of Circle Dance: Bernadette Purcell PBVM, Sat. 6th July 10.30am-4.00pm. Stress Reduction Weekend: Clodagh McCarthy, Fri. 12th to Sun. 14th July.Growing Old Gracefully: John Dunne & Mary Glynn,  a guided participative experience open to all,  Fri. 26th to Sun. 28th July. Bookings: Phone 0667134276.

**JUNE RETREAT DAYS AT GLENSTAL ABBEY** Monday 24th - One Day Retreat for Men. Tuesday 25th - Silent Retreat Day for Women. Wednesday 26th - Day Retreat for Women (not silent). Reflect, relax and pray in the peaceful and beautiful surrounds of the Abbey.  Guided by monks of the monastery, the day will include a number of talks, Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Meals and Refreshment breaks are included. Registration 10am. Finish 5pm. Cost €45. For more information; 061-621005 / [events@glenstal.com](mailto:events@glenstal.com) / [www.glenstal.com/abbey](http://www.glenstal.com/abbey)

**FR. SEAN SHEEHY** has written a book on Faith, Prayer & Worship. Suggested donation is €10 which will go to Ard Chúram Day Care Centre for the new Purpose - built Dementia Day Care Unit that’s been built in Listowel. They are on sale in the Parish Office.

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**TUNE INTO NATIONWIDE ON RTE 1** Monday 17th at 7pm. to see Nationwide been broadcasted from Listowel Ireland’s Tidiest town.

**LISTOWEL FAMIY RESOURCE CENTER** Names are currently being taken for the annual summer camp to be held at ;Listowel Family Resource Centre from July 1-August 17 inclusive. Further details from Patricia Lyons on 068 23584.

**ST ITA’S FAITH CAMP** REGISTRATION will take place in St Marys Boys School ABBEYFEALE on WED 3rd July and also

THURSDAY 4th July from 7pm – 8 pm. **ALL** children need to be registered **BEFORE** camp. We also need 2 single rooms to accommodate visiting volunteers 087-2788834.

**ARE YOU A WOMAN LOOKING FOR WORK IN KERRY?** Would you like to reach your full potential? If so, we can provide free training, support and links with employers. To find out if you are eligible or to book a place at our next information morning contact Lisa: [lisaoflaherty@newkd.ie](mailto:lisaoflaherty@newkd.ie) 087 764 7446

*We wish to stop and think of our ‘Dads’ this weekend – living And dead. We pray for them and simple say ‘thank you’ for being our Dad.*

**~ ~ ~ Happy Father’s Day ~ ~ ~**

Further Notices on our Website at [www.listowelparish.com](http://www.listowelparish.com)

**THE IRISH CANCER SOCIETY’S VOLUNTEER DRIVER SERVICE** is looking for volunteer drivers in west Kerry (particularly Killarney, Sneem, Castlegregory, Dingle, Tralee and their environs) who will drive patients in a tag team (with a Cork driver) to and from their chemotherapy appointments in our partner Cork hospitals. The service is free to the patient with all driver expenses being paid. For more information or an application form please email Gail at [*gflinter@irishcancer.ie*](mailto:gflinter@irishcancer.ie) , call 01 2310 566 or visit the website at [*www.cancer.ie*](http://www.cancer.ie)

**CORK AUTISM CONFERENCE 2019 -  Autism: No Limits, Just Possibilities**, Sunday September 22nd, Clayton Silversprings Hotel, Cork. The conference provides a unique forum for Parents, Families, Caregivers, Autistic Adults, Employers, Educators, Professionals, Agencies, Advocates and anyone with an interest in autism. More info here: [www.bookwhen.com/autismcork](http://ec2-52-26-194-35.us-west-2.compute.amazonaws.com/x/d?c=4208943&l=2c2be81e-a438-47b1-93e4-28ceaa8e252c&r=0a52b9ed-2f53-4289-9fa7-7b06c8046d74) or call 089 239 8900

**HARNETT REUNION:** Press Launch Leens Hotel Wednesday, June 19 at 7pm.   4 weeks to go. Carina Prendeville is currently working on our magazine and is looking for family pictures, stories, histories.  You can contact her on [harnettreunion2019@gmail.com](mailto:harnettreunion2019@gmail.com)   We have a full programme organised for our visitors but it is also open to anyone to join us.  Free admission on Friday, July 12 to the Genealogy workshops and the Patie Boy Historical Collection in the Devon Inn.  Tickets for the variety concert in Tournafulla on Friday, July 12 will be available on the door. Brian Harnett Tenor has confirmed that he will be performing.  Tickets for the Gala banquet and bus tour available from Batt Harnett or Ann Lyons. There will be genealogy, bus tours, a concert, a gala banquet and a memorial Mass, all at different venues around West Limerick/North Kerry. Please spread the word far and wide. The event is open to everybody.