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***LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER***

**17th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**29th of July 2018**

**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)

 *St. Mary’s Church is*

*fitted with a loop*

*system. Please adjust*

*your hearing aid.*

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**MASSES THIS WEEK 28th – 5th August**

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| Sat.  28th | Lisa McAuliffe, Sydney, 1st Anniversary & Nancy & Pat McAuliffe, Bedford /  Ita Cronin, Coolagown / John O Connell, Woodford / Albert Byrne, Dublin /  Mary & Donie Griffin, Siveen, Ballygologue Rd. / Teresa & Michael Bambury, Gortaglanna, Kilmorna, Birthday Remembrance | **6.15pm**  **Vigil** |
| Sun.  29th | Jimmy & Rita Galvin & Tomas & May Bowen /  Briede Murphy, Church St. /  Joe & Peggy Gleeson, Church St. | 9.00am |
| Anne McEneaney, Gurtacrissane, **Months Mind** / Peggy O Connor, Finuge /  Brendan & Dick O’Connor, Convent St. | 11.30am |
| Mon 30th | Jack & Bridie Greaney, Toornageehy /  Nancy & Jim O Connor, Shrone | 10.30am |
| Tues 31st | Special Intention /  Noreen Moran nee Dowling, Woodford | 10.30am |
| Wed 1st |  | 10.30am |
| Thurs 2nd | Billy McMullan, Tralee | 10.30am |
| Fri. 3rd | Eileen & Jeremiah Hannon, Rathea | 10.30am |
| St. Padre Pio & First Friday Evening Mass | **7.00pm** |
| Sat.  4th | Ita & Willie Keane, Church St. | 10.30am |
| Catherine O Shea, Ballygologue Pk, 1st Ann. /  Fr. Kieran O Shea, Bridge Rd. /  Eileen Leahy, Ballygologue Pk. /  Private Intention | Vigil  6.15pm |
| Sun.  5th | Edward, Bridget & Seamus Fealy, O’Connell’s Ave | 9.00am |
| Deceased Members of the McElligott Family, Bunagara & Peggy Mahoney, College Rd. | 11.30am |

***Priest on duty for our area on this Sunday July , 29th***

***Fr. Comer, 087-6807197 (emergencies only)***

**RECENT DEATHS Nora Moore,** Kilmeany, Kilmorna.

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCE:** Deceased Members of the Devereaux Family, Maurice Cahill & Rose Fitzmaurice / Joe & Peggy Gleeson, Church St.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**COMMUNION CALLS TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND**: Canon Declan will do his calls to the Sick & Housebound this week on ***Tuesday*** The Parish Office will make contact but should anyone new wish a visit, please ring the Office and he will be happy to call. **CONFESSIONS**: on Thursday morning after mass and again on Saturday morning next.

**FIRST FRIDAY & ST. PADRE PIO NIGHT:** Friday next (3rd 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. Evening Mass at 7pm. followed by the Padre Pio prayers & Benediction.

**CELEBRATIONS THROUGHOUT THE DIOCESE ON TUESDAY AUGUST 21ST**  **MARKING OPENING OF WMF2018** will take place throughout the 26 Dioceses of Ireland on the evening of Tuesday 21st August..  In our Diocese, we will celebrate an Opening Mass in St. Mary’s Cathedral @ 6.15pm. There is an open invitation for everyone to come and join in this celebration. A choir of over 100 people from parishes in all parts of the diocese (who will be part of the great choir in the Phoenix Park) will participate. *(More details later)*

**NOTICE FROM CURA**: CURA service provision ceased on 15 June 2018.  Cura expressed its appreciation for all support received by CURA from parishes and Dioceses of Ireland over its 41 years of operation. Bishop Ray says: *“I am conscious today of all the people who were part of Cura in Kerry through the years. And also of all the people who used their services. So much compassion, so much care, so much practical assistance to people in their hour of need.*  *Thank God for all that Cura has achieved over the years.*

**CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS CONFERENCE** to be held on 1/2nd September, in All Hallows, Dublin. It is a weekend event, organised by the Legion of Mary  at which large numbers of young adults attend. The programme includes workshops, testimonies, discussion. The young people come together to share and discuss their faith. On the Saturday night, there is music and entertainment. The Legion of Mary in Kerry are sponsoring two young adults between 20 to 40-year-olds to come to Dublin for the conference.

**KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE LOURDES 160th Anniversary.** Led by Bishop Ray Browne. Theme: *“Do whatever He tells you”* September 2nd – 7th 2018 (including return visit to the Shrine of Our Lady of Betharram, St. Michael Garicoits & the Well of St. Roch Patron Saint of Cancer Sufferers) Flights Ex Kerry Airport. Contact Janice on 064 77 58219.

**LOUGH DERG 2018:** You may begin the Three Day Pilgrimage on any day up to and including Monday 13th August. Advance booking is not necessary. For information regarding public transport telephone Lorraine on 071 9851518 (from NI 00353 71 9861518).  [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)   [www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org)

***PLEASE NOTE:*** The Vigil Mass on **Saturday**, **August 11th** 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.

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**IRISH HEART FOUNDATION**  Annual Church Gate Collection 4th & 5th August.

**LISTOWEL TIDY TOWNS** wishes to thank everyone who helped and donated to their recent Church gate collection. Amount raised was €1,481.00 thank you.

**ST. PADRE PIO 50TH ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY** Fr. Pat Crean-Lynch (P.P Spa Parish) has organized a pilgrimage to Itay 21st – 28th September 2018 with Joe Walsh Tours to coincide with the 50th Ann. Of the death of Padre Pio. For more info: contact Fr. Pat on 087-6709491 or Joe Walsh Tours on 01-2410816.

**THE IRISH HEART FOUNDATION’S MOBILE HEALTH UNIT** offers free blood pressure checks to groups and communities across Ireland. The mobile health unit will be in **The Square, Listowel on Wed 8th August from 10am – 4.30pm**.  Each person receives a personal record card with their results and in the event of any abnormal results is advised to follow up with their GP.

**LISTOWEL EMMETS** have been delighted with the response we have received over the last number of weeks/months to our club development plan. To date we have completed our review and conducted our focus groups with findings from each stage now recorded. A draft of our plan will be available in early August and it is hoped an official launch of the plan will take place in September. We sincerely thank everyone that has taken time to participate and contribute as we continue to look forward together at building and progressing our club in the years ahead.

***Check out our Church notice board and Web Page***

***at*** [***www.listowelparish.com***](http://www.listowelparish.com)for more notices