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**Parish Priest: Declan Canon O Connor VF. Parish Office (Mon – Fri 10am – 1pm & 2pm – 5pm) 068-21188**. After hours 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 no funeral on Sundays. **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 at [www.listowelparish.com](http://www.listowelparish.com) and all Diocesan news on: [**www.dioceseofkerry.ie**](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)and a live stream of all liturgies on **www.mcnmedia.tv**

***LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER***

**27th June 2021**

**13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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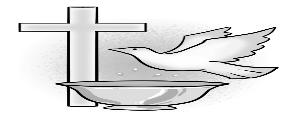
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**MASSES THIS WEEK 27th – 4th July**

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| Saturday  26th | Mike & Paddy O’Sullivan, Coilbee /  Michael (Nicholas) Lynch & Mary Augustine O’Connor, Clieveragh & New York / Kathy O Connell, Grogeen /  Anne McEneaney, Gortacrissane /  Maurice & Mary Stack, Woodbrook, Cahirdown | **6.15pm**  **Vigil** |
| Sunday  27th | ***People of the Parish*** | 9.00am |
| John Joe McElligott, Lartigue View | 11.30am |
| Mon 28th |  | 10.30am |
| Tues 29th | Tracey Long, Guhard, Lisselton, Birthday Rem. | 10.30am |
| Wed 30th | Special Intention | 10.30am |
| Thurs 1st | Kevin & Eileen McCarthy, Coilbee /  Mary Barry, Tanavalla / Eileen Kennelly nee O’Connor, Dromin Lower, Canada & Chicago, **100th Birthday Remembrance** | 10.30am |
| Fri. 2nd | Martin Lyons, Dromerin, **Months Mind /**  Jeremiah O Carroll & Deceased Family Members, Tullamore, Listowel | 10.30am |
| ***St. Padre Pio & 1st Friday Evening Mass*** | **6.45pm** |
| Saturday  3rd | Special Intention | 10.30am |
| Birdie O Farrell, Church St. **Months Mind** & John Paul, Sr. Pius, Cornelius & Elizabeth O Farrell /  John & Eileen O Connell, Woodford | Vigil  6.15pm |
| Sunday  4th | Annemaire O Sullivan, Lartigue Village & Charles Street | 9.00am |
| Rich Kissane, Clountubrid /  Jim Scanlon, Dirha, Birthday Remembrance | 11.30am |

**RECENT BAPTISMS**

***With great joy we welcome:***

Teagan Lyons, Lucas Kelliher,

Ava Adeoye & Nedine McCarthy

***into our Christian community.***

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCE** Margaret O Sullivan, Finuge.

**PRIEST ON DUTY**this Sunday, Fr. Pat Crean-Lynch 087-6709491

**WEEKLY CHURCH OFFERINGS:** We thank you for dropping your Weekly offerings into the Box at the back of the church. We very much appreciate your offering. You may also pay by cheque payable to Listowel Church. For anyone interested in setting up a standing order our bank details are IBAN IE14 BOFI 9057 8228 9052 58, BIC BOFIIE2D, Account Name – Listowel Church Account. Bank address, Bank of Ireland, The Square, Listowel. Please reference your full name and box number if you have one. *The Parish Office now has a credit card machine.*

**ST. MARY'S CHURCH PARISH YOUTH GROUP LISTOWEL** In light of Covid 19, we are raising funds for all the staff of University Hospital Kerry as a thank you for their selfless and heroic work during the pandemic. As a group, we are walking/cycling 25km from St. Mary's Church Listowel to University Hospital Kerry on Friday 30th July. Any and all **donations** are GREATLY APPRECIATED!!  [**https://gofund.me/f28c229e**](https://gofund.me/f28c229e)Thank you PYGL Committee.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** will take place on Wednesdays 11am to 1pm. in front of main altar. Please do join us. If a funeral takes place on a Wednesday there will be no Adoration.

***Due to the pandemic the First Holy Communion & Confirmation ceremonies have had to be postponed until after July 5th So the new dates are as follows:***

**PARISH CONFIRMATION DATES 2021**

**Thursday, 2nd September**

**2.00 p.m. Nano Nagle School**

**4.00p.m. Scoil Realta na Maidne**

**Friday – September 3rd**

**2.00 p.m. – Presentation Primary**

**4.00 p.m. – An Gael Scoil**

***PARISH FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DATES – 2021***

***Thursday, July 15th 10.30am. Presentation Primary***

***Friday, 1st October at 1.30 p.m.***

***1.30 p.m. Nano Nagle School***

***Saturday – 2nd October 10.30 a.m.***

***Scoil Realta na Maidne, An Gael Scoil & Killocrim School***

**ST. MARY’S CHURCH, LISTOWEL – COVID-19 UPDATE**

St. Mary’s Church, Listowel re-opened for public worship on Monday May 10th, 2021. We are delighted to have you all back. For the safety of all who attending public worship, we ask you to note the following: - Due to the size of our church, which allows for a capacity greater than 50 people, we can accommodate an increase in the numbers permitted to attend Mass. The church is divided into pods or sections and no more than 50 people are permitted in each pod or section. Each pod or section will have its own communion station for the distribution of Holy Communion. Exit from the church at the end of Mass will be on a staggered basis. Please do not congregate on the church grounds after Mass. A team of ushers will be in place at each Mass to guide people to their seats, facilitate the distribution of Holy Communion and organizing the exit from the church at the end of Mass. Please co-operate with the ushers. A face mask or covering must be worn when attending the church. Please sanitise your hands on entering and leaving the church. There are collection boxes at the rear of the church for the collection of envelopes, offerings, and donations. Your continued support and generosity are greatly appreciated. The obligation to attend Mass on Sunday continues to be suspended and a person may come to a weekday Mass instead of attending Mass on Sunday. For people who may be nervous about returning to Mass or who may be unable to attend Mass for whatever reason, you can participate in the Mass online at [www.listowelparish.com](http://www.listowelparish.com) or through the Parish Radio link. You can also visit our beautiful church at any time for private prayer.

**Funerals & Weddings** The maximum number that can attend funerals and weddings is 50 people, regardless of the size of the church.

**Mass Schedule:** Monday – Saturday 10.30 am

Saturday Vigil 6.15 pm. / Sunday 9.00 am & 11.30 am

First Friday of each month at 7.00 pm.

***Fr. Declan & the Parish Pastoral Council. May 6th, 2021.***