**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) for live streaming and all Diocesan news on: [**www.dioceseofkerry.ie**](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

***LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER***

**The Baptism of the Lord**

**9th January 2022**

 *St. Mary’s Church is*

*fitted with a loop*

*system. Please adjust*

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**MASSES THIS WEEK 9th – 16th January 2022**

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| Saturday  8th | Brenda Dineen, Lenamore, Ballylongford, **1st Anniversary** / Geraldine & Baby Helen Daly, Stokers Lawn / John Murphy, Church St. / Paudie Horan, Cherrytree Dr. /  Patsy Sullivan, Cahirdown / Bob & John Slemon, Feale Dr. / Dora & Larry Buckley, Tanavalla & Joe Carr Balbriggan / George McEneaney, Gortacrissane /  Anne Walsh nee Lynch & John Walsh, O’Connell’s Ave. / Dan & Teresa Downey & Mary Ahern, O’Connell’s Ave. / John Maher, Drombeg / Denis Curtin, Coolaclarig | **6.15pm**  **Vigil** |
| Sunday  9th | ***People of the Parish*** | 9.00am |
| Jim Henigan, **Months Mind** / Helena McElligott, Asdee & Bridge Rd. **Months Mind** / Christy Sommers, & Dec. Family, Billerough  / Nora Keane Moriarty, Luachra Rd. /  Peter & Chris Dee, Greenville /  Christy O Connor, James Culhane & Patrick Galvin, Listowel & Moyvane /  John & Sheila Broderick, Coolnaleen /  Michael O Brien, Ardfert, John McCarthy, Feale Drive & Fr. Kevin McNamara /  Ed Harnett, Hawthorn Drive | 11.30am |
| Mon 10th | Noreen Foley, Cahirdown, **Months Mind** /  Sean O Sullivan, William St. **Birthday Rem.** | 10.30am |
| Tues 11th | Dan Joe Moynihan, Killarney | 10.30am |
| Wed 12th | Stuart Stack, Justin & Damien, William St. | 10.30am |
| Thurs 13th | Bridie Mahoney, Kilsarcon, **Recently Dec.** /  Eddie Browne, Coolagown | 10.30am |
| Fri. 14th | Jim Shine, London & Knocknagoshal, **Bir Rem** | 10.30am |
| Saturday  15th | ***People of the Parish*** | 10.30am |
| Eddie Browne, Coolagown /  Pauline Carey, Cluain Doire | Vigil  6.15pm |
| Sunday  16th | Dan, Christina & Bridget Enright, Ennismore / Betty Quille, Woodford | 9.00am |
| Kay McGrath, Coolaclarig, **Months Mind** | 11.30am |

**PRIEST ON DUTY**thisSunday, ***Fr. Anthony O Sullivan, 0872461749*** for emergencies only.

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCES** Jackie Reidy, O’Connell’s Ave. / John McElligott, Skehenerin

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** takes place every Wednesday straight after 10.30am. Mass until 1.00 p.m*.*  Should a funeral take place on the day it will be cancelled.

**REGISTER FOR VIRTUAL KERRY DIOCESAN MISSION 2022:**

As Covid 19 continues and following a very successful Diocesan Mission last January, the Diocese is delighted to announce that another Diocesan Mission will take place - beginning on **Sunday next, January 16th** and end on **Wednesday, 19th January**. Full details of programme and how to register are in our [www.dioceseofkerry.ie](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie) page. By registering, you will receive an email each day of the Mission with the links of the day. See the Mission booklet at the back of the church. Each day, you are invited to join in: **Daily Prayer** in the Mission booklet / **Mass** in your parish / **Daily Reflection** online

**Prayer Petition** online / **Family Time** in the Mission booklet

**Just a Thought** on Radio Kerry / **Mission Talk** @ 8.00 p.m. online. Speakers include: [*Oisín McConville,*](https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/events/diocesan-mission-moving-forward-in-hope/)*GAA pundit and counsellor /* [*Kate Liffey,*](https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/events/diocesan-mission-moving-forward-in-hope-2/)*chaplain, catechist and mother /* [*Fr Sean McDonagh*](https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/events/diocesan-mission-moving-forward-in-hope-3/)*, climate justice activist and Columban priest /* [*Miriam Kerins Hussey*](https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/events/diocesan-mission-moving-forward-in-hope-4/)***,****pharmacist, holistic health and wellness**.*

**TO AVOID THE DISAPPOINTMENT** All mass intentions, have to be booked from now on at least a week before as the newsletter is a week ahead to let people know whose mass is coming up so they can attend. It is also to stop mistakes happening in the admin side and to avoid upset and disappointment. Also, with more intentions happening each day the maximum number of names that can be given into one intention is four names. Thanks for your co-operation.

**COVID UP-DATE:** With the surge in numbers in recent times with the new variant of Omicron, we bring to your attention the latest Covid Update guidelines from the Diocese of Kerry on the Poster on the Church Gates. Please adhere to all the protective measures so that we are all safe and protected.

**PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION & CHRISTMAS OFFERING**: As we are not using the Baskets for collections with the Covid restrictions – we ask you to continue using the special box at the back of the church. You may also use the system of paying your donation online / direct debit or standing order through the Parish Office. We sincerely thank you for your generosity and continued support of your Parish and clergy. May God bless you & keep you safe.

**CELEBRATING THE BAPTISMS OF 2021:** ***As we celebrate the Baptism of our Lord this weekend, we welcome into the parish all 78 babies who were baptised here at St. Mary’s Church in 2021.***

*Liam Carr, Gortnaminch / Odhran McCarthy, Cahirdown Woods / Noah Donegan, Coolaclarig / Darragh Cusack, Meelish Close / Riley O Donnell, Convent Cross / Cormack Quille, Golf View / Mai Juliet Loughnane, Lartigue Village / Jayden O Connell, Coolaclarig / Maisie McElligott, Inch Moor / Rosie Burke, College Lawn / Millie Delaney, Stokers Grove / Fiadh Napper, Lartigue Village / Ruth O Sullivan, Bunagara /Orin Lawrence, The Square / Nedine McCarthy, Feale Drive / Lucas Kelliher, Cluainin / Teaghan Lyons, Lartigue Village / Ava Adeoye, Dromin / Steven McCarthy, O’Connell’s Ave. / Rhian O’Flynn, Cois Baile / Ethan Browne, Billerough & USA / Lauren Long The Writings / Darragh O Flynn, Stokers Grove & Kildare / Ben McMeel, Clieveragh & Dublin / Ellie Mulvihill, Craughatoosane / Angel McElligott, Dromin Green / Emma Upton, Ballygologue Rd & Dublin / Lexi Horan, Bridge Rd. / Thomas Moran, Feale Drive / Darragh Kiely, Willowbrook / Paige O Flynn, Cahirdown Woods / Corey – Lee Stack- Livens, Ballygrennan / Indie Toomey, Feale Drive / Ollie Breen, Kilmorna / Isabelle Walsh, Forge Road / Preston O Brien, Cahirdown Woods / Lucy McCarthy, Tanavalla & London / Méabh McKenna, Tanavalla / Kian Thornton, Woodview / Fíonn McDonnell, Gurtcreen / Aoibhí Lyons, Willow Court / Emma Sheehan, Ballygrennan / Grace Coughlan Browne, Curragh Close / Amy O Connor, Ballahadighue & England / Ciara Walsh, Knockenagh / Freya Galvin, Clieveragh / Alexander O Connell, Skehenerin / James O Connell, Skehenerin & England / Hailee Kelly Simmons, Convent St. / Isabella Finucane, Clieveragh / Saoire Ó Laoide, Aviation Drive / Caoimhe Enright, Cois Baile / Polly Sadlier, Courthouse Rd. / Noah Halpin, Dromin Green / Isla Rose Mulvihill, Knockane / Cornelia Stack, Moyessa / Heidi & Asha Dillon, Cluainin / Orla & Aisling O Brien, Cherrytree drive / Conor McCarthy, Poulnalaha / Iarla O’Connell. Coolaclarig / Molly Mae Fitzgerald, O’Connell’s Ave. / Ollie & Louie Finnegan, Knockane / Daniel Maher, Church St. / Aine Campbell McNamara, Sli na Speire / Sheá Heaphy, Coolnaleen / Sadhbh O Donoghue, Gurtcreen / Alison O Connor, Greenville / Hannah Beary, Clieveragh Park / Arabella Rose O Mahony, Feale Drive /Nancy Preuss, Curragh Close / Florence McGeown, The Paddocks / Fionn Henry, Woodlawn / Jean O Donovan, Kenny Heights / Lauren O Loughlin, Feale Drive & Sydney.*