**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. *Notices for Newsletter in by 2.00pm on Thursdays***.** **Funerals** take place on weekdays at 11.30am and no funeral on Sundays. **Baptisms** Saturday’s at 4pm. **Confessions:** every Saturday after 10.30am Mass. Check out our Parish Web Page at [www.listowelparish.com](http://www.listowelparish.com) for live streaming. **Booking of masses have to be booked at least a week of date. Also, the maximum number of names that can be given into one intention is four names.**

***LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER***

**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**14th August 2022**

 *St. Mary’s Church is*

 *fitted with a loop*

 *system. Please adjust*

 *your hearing aids.*

**MASSES THIS WEEK 14th – 21st August 2022**

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| Sat 13th  | Peter Moloney & deceased family, Charles St. / Thomas & Annie O Connor, Asdee / Ellen, Laurence & Maurice Collins, Kilmorna  | Vigil6.00pm |
| Sun 14th  | Rose Fitzmaurice, Charles St. /Linda & Sharon Greaney, Woodford | 9.00am |
| ***People of the Parish***  | 11.30am |
| Mon 15th  | Michael Quilter, Church St. | 10.30am |
| Special Intention  | 7.00pm |
| Tues 16th  | John Keane & Deceased Family, England  | 10.30am |
| Wed 17th  | Special Intention | 10.30am |
| Thurs 18th | Eamon O Connor, Gurtinard, Birthday Remembrance  | 10.30am |
| Fri 19th   | Jim Shine, London & Knocknagoshal /Kathleen O Donnell, EnnismoreFr. Tony Gaughan – 90th Birthday Remembrance | 10.30am |
| Sat 20th | John Guiney (Junior), Charles St. | 10.30am |
| Mary Brassil, Coolagown, **Months Mind** / Hannah O Sullivan, Finuge**, Months Mind** / Betty Griffin, Ballygologue Pk. /Kay McAuliffe Boylan, Listowel & Limerick, Birthday Remembrance /Dora Buckley, Tanavalla, Bir. Rem. | Vigil6.15pm |
| Sun 21st  | Dermott Kennelly, Tarbert | 9.00am |
| Pat Halpin Ballygologue Pk. /Robert Twomey, Ballahadigue /Sean Thornton, Clieveragh  | 11.30am |

**RECENT DEATHS:**

**Patrick (Patsy)** Relihan, O’Connell’s Ave.

**Breda de Espinosa nee Faley**, Seville, Spain late of Ballybunion & Listowel.

**Assumpta Scanlon Leahy,** London late of Dirha Cottage. Mass and burial of ashes at a later date in Listowel Church.

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCE** Pat O Leary, The Island / Patrick Buckley, Behins / Joe & Margaret O Sullivan, Tanavalla / Paddy Fealey & dec. family, Coolaclarig

**PRIEST ON DUTY**thisSunday Fr. Hussey, 0872386084 for emergencies only.

CHURCH NOTICES

**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM:** takes place on this Monday, 15th August. It is a Holy Day of obligation. Mass will be celebrated at 10.30 a.m. & 7.00 p.m. Since there is no Vigil Mass on Sunday evening we will have the evening mass on Monday evening at 7.00 p.m.

**MISSION APPEAL FOR THE SOCIETY OF ST. PATRICKS’S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (KILTEGAN FATHERS) NEXT WEEKEND**

The Diocese of Kerry gives permission to one religious congregation each year to promote their Mission. This year it is the ***Kiltegan Fathers*** and it is taking place here in ***Listowel*** on – 20th / 21st August. We welcome our local man ***Fr. Tim Galvin*** who is at home on holidays at the moment who will be making the appeal on their behalf. The Kiltegan Fathers were founded on St. Patrick’s Day 1932, by Fr. Patrick Whitney, a priest from the Diocese of Ardagh and Clonmacmacnois. Since then, many Kiltegan priests, together with volunteer priests and; lay people from different Irish Dioceses, including Kerry have worked in Nigeria, and later in Kenya, Central and South Africa, Brazil and the West Indies. Today there are 223 Kiltegan priests of whom 40 are African. They have 58 students in Africa preparing for priesthood. The seed sown by the Irish Church has grown in surprising ways. We welcome Fr. Tim home and we are delighted that he will be joining us. His Mission Appeal will ask for your continued support for the Society’s missionary works, through enrolling in their Missionary Circle, subscribing to the ‘Africa’ magazine or supporting other initiatives.

**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. 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.

**CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION (CPE)** is an internationally recognised training programme for Healthcare Chaplaincy. CPE can also be used for a time of sabbatical, discernment or faith formation. It is our intention to re-open the CPE centre at **University Hospital Kerry** in 2023. For further information or to make an enquiry please contact Dr Margaret Naughton at 066-7184000 or email naughtonmargaret@yahoo.com

COMMUNITY NOTICES

**BOTHÁNTAÍOCHT** Sunday August 14th at 7pm in Teach Siamsa Finuge. Admission is FREE. Come along for an informal evening of music, song & dance, spearheaded by a 30-minute performance from esteemed local musicians.  Bring you instrument and dancing shoes if you like! Booking is necessary to ensure your seat, so call 066-7123055.

**HOST FAMILIES WANTED FOR THE LISTOWEL AREA:**

For Foreign Students for the school year. Contact Kay on 0879454786 for more information.

**TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ON JBK ROAD CONTINUES:**

Phase 1. Works on John B Keane Road between McKenna’s and Clieveragh Roundabout. One-way traffic E-W between McKenna’s and Clieveragh Roundabout.  Ballybunnion traffic diverted down Market St (No left turn onto John B Keane Road).   Works to commence on the 25th July with this phase being completed for the Races on the 16th September 2022.

**ANAM CARA KERRY**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Tuesday 13th September at 7:15pm in the**Meadowlands Hotel, Tralee Co. Kerry.**This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer an online support group and you can get further information on this by contacting us in **info@anamcara.ie**