

***Declan Canon O’Connor P.P. V.F.* - Parish Office (Mon – Fri 10am – 1pm & 2pm – 5pm) 068-21188**.**Email:** listowel@dioceseofkerry.ie. [www.listowelparish.com](http://www.listowelparish.com) to stream masses, forms & info. *Notices for Newsletter in by 2.00pm on Thursdays***.** **Booking of Masses:** All mass intentions, must be booked at least a week before because the newsletter is a week ahead. **After hours emergency number 0870908949**.

 **Funerals** take place on weekdays at 11.30am. **Baptisms** Saturday’s at 4pm.

***LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER***

***24th Sunday in Ordinary Time 15th September***

***h March 2024***

**MASSES THIS WEEK 15th – 22nd September**

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| Sat 14th  | Sr. Maryanne Shanahan, Knocknagoshal & Texas, **Rec. Dec**. /Sr. Francis O Sullivan, Greenville, **Months Mind** /Anne Bounder nee Daly, Knockane & Athea, **Birthday Rem**. / Ellen & William McMahon, Gurtaglana, Kilmorna /Joan Dore, Charles St. / Dan Broderick, Bunagara /Patsy Stack, Gortcreen  | Vigil6.15pm |
| Sun 15th  | ***People of the Parish*** | 9.00am |
| Kathleen Duggan, Clounmacon, **Months Mind** / Patrick Foley, Ballylongford / Ken Crowe, Limerick /Margaret Daly, Knockane /Deceased members of the Doherty, Hallacy families  | 11.30am |
| Mon 16th  | Oliver O Neill, Cahirdown | 10.30am |
| Tues 17th  | Mass for fine weather for the Races / Mass of thanksgiving  | 10.30am |
| Wed 18th  | Hannah, Vera & Pat Buckley, Gortnaminch /Geraldine Daly, Castleinch / Special Intention  | 10.30am |
| Thurs 19th  | Eileen Joy, O’Connell’s Ave. | 10.30am |
|  Fri 20th  | Vincent Mahony, Charles St. & London | 10.30am |
| Sat. 21st  | Mary Halloran, Church St. & Castleinch /Denis Dalton, Bridge Road /Dan Joy, Dan Joy, Gortnaminch & Pat & Margaret O Sullivan, Finuge Killocrim & Pat & Margaret O Sullivan, Finuge /Kitty Doyle, Asdee, Birthday Remembrance /Patsy Stack, Gortcreen | 10.30am |
| Jean Sugrue, Clieveragh Downes, **Months Mind** / Deila Spellman nee Walsh, England & Dirha East, **Rec. dec.** / Tom & Peggy Lyons, Ballygologue Pk. / Mary O Connor, Bedford / Bernie O Connell, Cahirdown & Lyreacrompane  | Vigil6.15pm |
| Sun 22nd  | ***People of the Parish***  | 9.00am |
| Deceased members of the Doherty & Hallacy families  | 11.30am |

**PRIEST ON DUTY**this Sunday, Fr. O’Sullivan, 0872461749 ***(emergencies only).***

**RECENT DEATHS & FUNERALS**

**Sean Broderick,** Gortnaminch. /**Sinéad Kearney,** Moyvane & Dublin.

**Joe Doyle,** Tanavalla.

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCE** Margaret Daly, Knockane

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**CHILDREN’S LITURGY GROUP RESUMIMG THIS WEEKEND:** : at our Vigil Mass. All children present are welcome to join the Children’s Liturgy Group in the Parish Meeting Room who will help them understand the Word of God and return in time for the Offertory. All are welcome.

**LISTOWEL PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO ROME OCTOBER 2024** All pilgrimages going to Rome are asked to attend a meeting in the Church Monday 16th September at 6:00pm.

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL** will meet Thursday 19th September 7:00pm. in the Presbytery. All members are asked to attend.

**ADORATION CHAPEL** will be closed the week of the Races. There will be no adoration on Tuesday 24th September. ***Please note that from Tuesday 1st October, until further notice, the Adoration Chapel will close at the earlier time of 7pm. onwards.***

**REMINDER BOOKING OF MASSES**All mass intentions must be booked at least a week in advance. 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. The diary for 2025 will be open the first week of October 2024 to book masses for 2025.

***Invitation TO JOIN Altar Servers ROTA OctOBER 2024 to September 2025***

We invite any boy or girl from 3rd, 4th, 5th or 6th Classes, from any of our local schools, to be a Server in the new rota beginning on first weekend in October. We thank those now retiring who have already moved onto Secondary Level and invite you to do other ministries in our Parish. Application Forms will be made available to the schools within the Parish. We also welcome any boy or girl going to a school outside the Parish and a regular at our church. You can pick an application form from the Parish Office or Sacristy.

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**MOMENTS OF REFLECTION BY MARY COGAN** will be launched by Mary Fagan in The Listowel Arms Hotel on Saturday Sept. 21 at 7.00pm. This is the second book of Mary’s *Just a Thoughts* as broadcast on Radio Kerry.  The *Thoughts* are beautifully illustrated with Mary’s photographs.

**RECONNECTING WITH SERVICES DAY 2024 For Older Persons** takes place on 10th October in The Listowel Arms from 10.00am to 2.00pm – This year’s theme is Personal and Home Safety, and there will be speakers from An Gardai, HSE, Fire Service and many more. There will be a host of Information Stands from Various Agencies.  There will be Tea/Coffee and Scones provided. The Event is FREE however, Booking is Essential (No Walk-In). Please Register before 3rd October 2024. For further Infor. and Registration please contact Ed O’Connor – E: edoconnor@newkd.ie / P: 087 7794765.

 **KERRY COUNTY COUNCIL PROPOSES TO CLOSE THE STREETS** as detailed below in order to facilitate the holding of the **Listowel Harvest Festival. Street Closed: Market Street, Listowel: From McKennas Corner to Super-Valu Entrance Street Closure Date and Time:** from 4.00 p.m. to 12.00 midnight on Wednesday, 25th September 2024. **Street Closed: Church Street to The Square, Listowel: From the KDYS Building to St. John’s Theatre Street Closure Date and Time:** from 7.00 p.m. to 12.00 midnight on Friday, 27th September 2024. **Due to these road closures motorists are advised to expect delays for 30 minutes before and after these events.**