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

**LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER**

2nd Sunday of Lent

**PRIEST ON DUTY**this Sunday, ***Fr. Walsh, 0877913271***

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**MASSES THIS WEEK 17th – 23rd March**

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| Sat 15th   | Martina & Marie Grimes, Clieveragh / Con, Elizabeth & Sr. Pius O Farrell & dec. fam., Market St. / Brendan Leahy, Clounmacon  | Vigil6.15pm |
| Sun 16th  | ***People of the Parish*** | 9.00am |
| Anna Sheahan Walshe, Woodlawn, **Months Mind** / Georgina Barrett, Golf View, **1st Anniversary** / Liam Woulfe, Horseshoe Bar / Mary & Dick Pierce, Convent St. | 11.30am |
| **St. Patricks** **Day** Mon 17th  | ***People of the Parish*** | **9.00am** |
| Kathleen Walsh nee Fitzgerald, New York & Charles St. **Months Mind** / John Molyneaux, Charles St. /Geraldine Galvin, Finuge / Josephine Henry, William St.  | **11.30am** |
| Tues 18th  | Special Intention | 10:30am |
| Wed 19th  | Special Intention | 10:30am |
| Thurs 20th  | Private Intention  | 10:30am |
| Fri 21st  | Marion O Grady nee Hegarty, Gurtinard | 10:30am |
| Sat 22nd  | Peggie O Carroll, **1st Anniversary**, & Josie Carroll London & Pullin, Tarbert / Anthony Greaney, Ballygologue Park | 10:30am |
| Byran O Connor, Bedford, **Months Mind & 85th Birthday Rem.** /Mary Ann Fahy nee O’Sullivan, Chicago late of Library Rd, **Rec. Dec**. / Tom Barry, Tanavalla / Michael O Mahony, Woodford & deceased family / Dan & Deb Guiney & Sr. Mary Trant, Gortcreen /Phyllis Diggin Treacy & dec mem Diggin family, Ballybunion  | Vigil6.15pm |
| Sun 23rd  | Anne Jane Powel nee Murphy, Dublin & Co Offaly, **1st Anniversary** | 9.00am |
| Claire Vivian nee Horgan, Jersey late of Finuge, **recently deceased** /Derry Lynch, Listowel /Paddy, Eileen, Jack & Nora McElligott, Coolaclarig  | 11:30am |

**RECENT DEATHS & FUNERALS**

**Teresa Roche nee O’Connell,** Ballybunion Road.

**Maurice (Moss) Kelliher,** Lartigue Village.

**James (Jamesy) McCarron,** Kildare late of Gurtinard, Listowel.

**Kay Lane,** Coolnaleen.

**Mary Ann Fahy nee O’Sullivan**, Chicago late of Library Rd., Listowel.

**Claire Vivian nee Horgan**, Jersey Island late of Finuge. Funeral to take place 26th March Jersey Island, memorial mass will be held in Irremore Church Saturday 29th March 11am.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCES** David Bunyan Senior, Convent St & dec Lambert & Bunyan families / Tony McAuliffe, Charles St. / Paddy Halpin, Greenville / Nora & Gene Moriarty, Charles St.

**KERRY DIOCESAN ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR MIGRANT SERVICES** Will be taken up at all masses this weekend 15th & 16th March. Thanks

**PARISHIONER BOX ENVELOPES**  There are still some belonging to parishioners at the back of the Church. Please pick up your box.

**LISTOWEL PARISH OFFICE** will be closed Monday 17th, St. Patrick’s Day. Normal office hours will resume on Tuesday morning.

**LECTIO DIVINA** takes place every Thursday morning after 10.30am Mass. All welcome.

**LENTEN DEVOTIONS**: We will pray a short Stations of the Cross after the 10.30 a.m. Mass each Friday morning during Lent.

**PLEASE NOTE**: Surplus individual mass intentions from time to time are sent to two Missionaries Societies. ***St Patrick’s Missionary Society and the Missionaries of Africa,*** Also to any of our ***retired priests*** within or outside of our Diocese who request them. These Mass Stipends are a great help to us in our efforts to support our priests who work in poor parishes in Africa and Brazil. Thank you for continuing to support the missions. It is always acknowledged and very much appreciated.

**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 3 names max*.** Thanks for your co-operation.

**ACCORD CLG** is recruiting experienced practitioners to train in the specialism of Couple Counselling/Therapy Successful applicants will follow an 18-day (9 weekends )in-person Certificate programme, (144 hours class contact), which will provide the clinical skills essential to safe and ethical couples work and in-depth knowledge to manage issues. Application criteria: Level 7 (RoI)/ Level 5 (UK) qualification in Counselling/Psychotherapy 100 supervised client counselling hours post-graduation. A current supervised caseload Knowledge and experience of the Person Centred Approach. For further information and to obtain an application form please email us at: info@accord.ie Closing date for receipt of applications 30/04/2025 Programme commences September 2025.

**ST. PATRICK’S DAY**

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**Two masses on this Monday, March 17th 9.00 a.m. & 11.30 a.m.**

Both will have a blend of Gaeilge, Irish music & culture

***P.S. There will be no vigil mass on this Sunday evening***.

*Fáilte roimh cách*