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

**LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER**

3rd Sunday of Lent

**PRIEST ON DUTY**this Sunday, ***Fr. Finucane, 087054874***

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**MASSES THIS WEEK 23rd – 30th March**

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| Sat 22nd | Byran O Connor, Bedford, **Months Mind & 85th Birthday Rem.** /  Mary Ann Fahy nee O’Sullivan, Chicago late of Library Rd, **Rec. Dec**. /  Peter & Annie Heaphy, O’Connell’s Ave. & Jack Horgan, Ballylongford /  Tom Barry, Tanavalla / Michael O Mahony, Woodford & deceased family / Dan & Deb Guiney & Sr. Mary Tarrant, Gortcreen /  Phyllis Diggin Treacy & dec mem Diggin family, Ballybunion | Vigil  6.15pm |
| 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 /  Joe Hannon, Charles St. | 11.30am |
| Mon 24th | Nelius Leahy, Feale Drive /  Noreen Holyoake, Lartigue View /  Fr. Teddy Molyneaux, Woodford & South Africa | 10:30am |
| Tues 25th | Special Intention | 10:30am |
| Wed 26th |  | 10:30am |
| Thurs 27th | Special Intention | 10:30am |
| Fri 28th | Jim Quinlan, Aviation Drive, Birthday remembrance | 10:30am |
| Sat 29th |  | 10:30am |
| Joan Kelly, Gortcreen, **Months Mind** /  Margaret Barrett, Ellen & Patrick Lyons, Clieveragh /  Vincent Donegan & deceased family, Knockane /  Margaret & Denis McElligott & dec. family, Bedford /  Jim Quinlan, Aviation Drive Birthday & Anniversary Rem. /  Paul Kirby, Charles St. /  Michael & Dan O Sullivan, Skehenerin /  John Enright, Feale Drive /  Patricia & Cahterine (Josie) Kelly, Woodview | Vigil  6.15pm |
| Sun 30th | ***People of the Parish*** | 9.00am |
| Daniel Cantillon, Skehenerin, **1st Anniversary** /  Kathleen O Sullivan, Clieveragh /  Michael & Elizabeth Quille, Woodford | 11:30am |

**RECENT DEATHS & FUNERALS**

**Kay Lane,** Coolnaleen. / **Denis Fitzpatrick,** Church St. / **William Barry,** Billeragh.

**ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCES** Patrick & Michael O Shaughnessy, William St. & Kentucky / Joe Setota, New York.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**TRÓCAIRE 2025:**  As we celebrate LENT, our thoughts turn to Trócaire and the communities throughout the world with whom they work. This year, Trócaire’s Lenten campaign focuses on Guatemala, a country which is one of the least responsible for causing the climate crisis yet is bearing the brunt of the consequences. LIma, the mother of the family on our Trócaire box this year, says: ‘We have noticed the weather changing in the last few years. It is now hotter, and we have more droughts. Then it starts to rain, and it won’t stop raining. A more intense rain, more frequently.” Find out more about Lima and the Climate Crises at trocaire.org - There are Trocaire Boxes with Information pack at the back of the church and you can return your offering during Holy Week. ***Thanks***

**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.

**LEGION OF MARY ANNUAL ACIES CEREMONY** will take place at 3 pm on Sunday 23rd March in Church of the Resurrection, Killarney.

**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.

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**MICHAEL ENGLISH CONCERT IN MOYVANE POSTPONED THIS SUNDAY**

March 23rd in Moyvane Church has been postponed due to a bereavement in Michael’s family and is rescheduled to ***Sunday, May 11th***

**JOIN US ON FRIDAY, MARCH 28TH FOR DAFFODIL DAY IN LISTOWEL!** 🌼 Local volunteers for the Irish Cancer Society will be out on the streets, raising vital funds for cancer research. Together, let’s go ALL IN against cancer! 💛

**Just a Thought**

*“With the coming of spring, I am calm again*.” Gustav Mahler