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**LISTOWEL PARISH NEWSLETTER**

5th Sunday of Easter

**PRIEST ON DUTY**this Sunday, ***Fr. Keane, 0872844649***

***Declan Canon O’Connor P.P. V.F.* - Parish Office (Mon – Fri 10am – 1pm & 2pm – 5pm) 068-21188**.**Email:** [listowel@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto: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.

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**MASSES THIS WEEK 18th - 25th May**

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| Sat 17th | Albert Hilliard, Billerough, **Months Mind** /  Liam Walsh, Finuge, **1st Anniversary** /  Nolle Broderick, Ballygologue Pk., **1st Anniversary** /  Jack & Mary Jo Corridan, Ballinruddery /  Sheila (Ciss) Browne, William St. /  John P & Kay McGrath, Coolaclarig /  John Guiney Senior, Charles St. /  Nora Lane, Beenanaspig / Sharon Heaphy, Dirha Cottage | Vigil  6.15pm |
| Sun 18th | Peg Boland, Market St. | 9.00am |
| Tom O Connor, Ballygologue Pk., Birthday Remembrance /  Billy McElligott & Margaret McElligott nee Thomson, Coolaclarig & Perth / Tom & Hannah Barrett, Greenville /  Nora & Tom Fitzmaurice, Nell & Con O Keeffe, Knockane & Tralee /  Philomena & Willie Walsh, Dirha West /  Tom O Connor, Bunagara | 11.30am |
| Mon 19th | Betty Quille, Church St. | 10:30am |
| Tues 20th | Teresa Holly, O’Connell’s Ave. | 10:30am |
| Wed 21st | Special Intention | 10:30am |
| Thurs 22nd | Joan & Tim Finucane, Kilmorna | 10:30am |
| Fri 23rd | Eileen McDonnell nee Hilliard, England late of Billerough, **Rec. Dec**. /  Michael Quilter, Ballyduff, Birthday Remembrance | 10:30am |
| Sat 24th | Philly & Joe Shanahan, Tim & Jack Shanahan & dec family, Dromin | 10.30am |
| Patrick, Nora, Tom & Teresa Molyneaux, Meen /  James, Mike Joe & Con Barrett, Ennismore & Gortnaminch /  Bob & Kath Stack & Anne Prendiville, Moyvane /  Eileen, Eugene & John Paul McCarthy & son in law Mark Willis, Bunagara / Maureen Regan, Coolnaleen /  Dan Hayes, Bridge Road / Tom McCarthy, Tanavalla, Birthday Rem. /  Brenda Tangney, Listry Cross, Killarney /  Eamon Carroll & Jet & Peggy Carroll, William St. /  Nancy & Dolores O’Connor, O’Connell’s Ave. | Vigil  6.15pm |
| Sun 25th | ***People of the Parish*** | 9.00am |
| John & Paddy Neville, Bedford /  John M O Connor, Market St. & Clieveragh Downes /  Joan Carey, Church St. / Alf Neville, Bedford /  Delia Spellman nee Walsh, Manchester & Dirha East /  Danny & Kitty Neville, Bedford | 11:30am |

A person in a white robe holding a heart surrounded by children

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***The Fatima Prayer (Decade Prayer)***

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins,

save us from the fires of hell,

lead all souls to Heaven,

especially those most in

need of Thy mercy. Amen.

*Mary told the children that people should add this prayer to the end of each decade of the Rosary.*

May 13th was the anniversary of the apparition of Our Lady to three shepherd children in the small village of Fatima in Portugal in 1917.  She appeared six times to Lucia, 9, and her cousins Francisco, 8, and his sister Jacinta, 6, between May 13, 1917 and October 13, 1917.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**Rosary for the month of may *O’Connell’s Ave*** Grotto every Sunday in at 6pm. All welcome. ***Finuge Grotto*** every Tuesday at 8pm for the month of May. ***Killocrim Grotto*** every Friday evening in May at 8pm. All welcome.

**DIOCESE OF KERRY CARE OF CREATION NETWORK FOR PARISHES**: Join us for a zoom meeting on Tue 20th May at 7.30pm to hear about upcoming events, resources and link with others to promote biodiversity and care for creation in our parishes. If you are not already a member and would like to join us, email berniemccaffrey@dioceseofkerry.ie all are welcome.

**LISTOWEL ANNUAL CEMETERY MASSES** St. Michael’s Cemetery, Tuesday 24th June, St. John Paul II Cemetery, Wednesday 25th June and Finuge Thursday 26th June all are at 8pm.

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**LISTOWEL BOY’S SCHOOL FOOD & CRAFT MARKET**, every Sunday 11am-3pm, May 11th to October 26th at Listowel Boys School, Upper Church St., Listowel.

***Grow Mental Health Support group*** *next meeting is on Wednesday 21st May 7:30pm, Seanchaí Centre, 24 The Square, Listowel, Co. Kerry. V31 RD93. Has been great supported in 2025 and for further information and details please ring Jerry Cronin 086 0271990.*

**BOOST YOUR FLEXIBILITY AND STAY ACTIVE** Join Our Over 55 Men's Stretch & Mobility Classes! Starting June 3rd! Weekly Class Time: 12:00pm–1:00pm Feel younger, move better, and improve your mobility with our Over 55 Men's Stretch and Mobility Classes! Whether you're looking to regain flexibility, prevent injury, or simply feel more at ease in your body. Call us today Listowel Community Centre – 068 22244.

**ON WEDNESDAY 21ST MAY ASTRONOMY KERRY** will give a talk and observation session at Teach Siamsa Finuge. It starts at 8 PM. All are welcome. The event is free of charge. More details available on the Teach Siamsa Finuge Facebook and Instagram pages.