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| 0**NEWSLETTER for LIXNAW / IRREMORE / RATHEA week beginning 20th November 2022.****Fr. Anthony O’Sullivan – Tel: (066) 7132111 or (087) 2461749.** **E-mail:** **lixnaw@dioceseofkerry.ie**  |

Pray for Patrick Doody, Upper Tullig, Kilflynn. R.I.P.

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**Masses:**

**Lixnaw:** Saturday, 19th November at 7.30pm - Michéal Nolan and Deceased Members

 of the Nolan Family, Coolruane.

- Tom Flaherty, Keel.

- Gerald O’Sullivan, Ahabeg.

- Bob & Betty McElligott, The Village.

**Rathea:** Sunday, 20th November at 9.30am - Special Intention.

**Irremore:** Sunday, 20th November at 11.00am - Tom Barry, Pallas.

**Rathea:** Monday, 21st November at 7.30pm - Mass for the Deceased.

**Irremore:** Tuesday, 22nd November at 7.30pm - Mass for the Deceased.

**Lixnaw:** Wednesday, 23rd November at 10.00am.

**Lixnaw:** Wednesday, 23rd November at 12 noon - Senior Citizens Mass at the Community Centre.

 Everyone welcome.

**Lixnaw:** Friday, 25th November at 7.30pm - Mass for the Deceased.

**Lixnaw:** Saturday, 26th November at 7.30pm - Elizabeth Savage, Pallas.

- Rose Quilter, Gortinaire.

- Deceased members of the McAuliffe &

 Walsh Families, Lixnaw.

**Rathea:** Sunday, 27th November at 9.30am - Mary Dillon, Harrow, London & Caherconlish, Limerick.

**Irremore:** Sunday, 27th November at 11.00am - Edward Gerard O’Sullivan, Banemore.

**Special collection next weekend in aid of Kerry Diocesan Youth.**

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**Parish Office:** The Parish Office is open from 11.00am to 2.00pm on Wednesdays.

**Donate Online:** As well as placing one’s contribution in the box at the back of each Church one can donate to the parish online, by going to the Diocesan website [www.dioceseofkerry.ie](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie). Click on Parishes, Click on Lixnaw and Click on the blue donate button.

**Webcam:** You can join the Mass in Irremore on Facebook and Lixnaw through [www.churchcamlive.ie](http://www.churchcamlive.ie)

**Liturgy of the Word:** Hopefully we will begin on the First Sunday of Advent (26th/27th November), with Parishioners doing the Readings or the Liturgy of the Word at the weekend Masses at the three Churches. If you are interested please let Fr. Anthony know.

**Presentation Day:** On Monday, 21st November we celebrate The Feast of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We also celebrate The Feast of the Presentation Order of Sisters founded by Nano Nagle in 1775. The many Sisters of this congregation have laboured in the Lord’s Vineyard, selflessly and generously both here in Ireland and worldside. We give God thanks for this wonderful witness. Since 1877, the Sisters of the Presentation Order were and are a wonderful witness to the Gospel here in Lixnaw. We pray for the many of the Sisters who have gone to God. We Pray at this time also for the six Sisters here in the Presentation Convent – Sr. Ailbe, Sr. Evelyn, Sr. Kyran, Sr. Mary, Sr. Dorothy and Sr. Una. May God Bless them with good health and joy and we wish them a happy Feast Day.

**Holy Communion & Confirmation:** The boys and girls who are receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation next May are invited with their parents and families to a Rite of Enrollment Ceremony in Lixnaw Church on Saturday, 26th November at 7.30pm Mass. The boys and girls who are receiving the First Holy Communion next May are invited with their parents and families to a Rite of Enrollment Ceremony in Irremore Church on Sunday, 27th November at 11am Mass.

**Lixnaw Development Association:** The AGM of Lixnaw Development Association is on Thursday, 1st December at the Hermitage Park at 7.30pm. If the group is to keep operating for another year we need new members so please attend if you are interested in the maintenance and development of the Village and its environs.

**Lixnaw Club Lotto Draw:** Jackpot €9,350. Numbers drawn were 1, 5, 19, 21. No jackpot winner. €20 Winners: Lauren Lyons, Ballyhorgan; Tommy Commane, Irrabeg; Roy John’s, England. Next draw: Monday, 21st November at McCarthy’s Bar, Finuge – Jackpot €9,400.

**Priest on Duty:** *Fr.* Pat Crean-Lynch. *(087) 670 9491.*  Emergencies only.