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***DUAGH / LYRE PARISH NEWSLETTER***

**Fourth Sunday of Lent 10th March 2024**

**MASSES IN ST BRIDGID’S CHURCH DUAGH**

**Sunday 10th March @ 11:30 am**

Helen Buckley Meenanare (*1st Anniversary Mass*)

Ted Buckley Meenanare (*Anniversary Mass*)

Patrick Sheehy (*Months Mind*)

Sheila McGuire Knockanebrack (*20th Anniversary Mass*)

**Tuesday 12th March @ 7:30 pm**

Nora and Moss Moloney, The Village (*Anniversary Mass*)

**Friday 15th March @ 7:30 pm**

Philip Dore Derk (*2nd Anniversary Mass*)

**Sunday 17th March @ 11:30 am (St. Patrick’s Day)**

**MASSES IN SACRED HEART CHURCH LYREACROMPANE**

**Sunday 10th March @ 10:00 am**

**Sunday 17th March @ 10:00 am**

**PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND:** Fr Sean Hanafin 087-8341083

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**RECENT DEATHS** We extend our deepest sympathies to the family of Robert (Bob) Brendan Dore of Donegal and formerly of Derk who died recently and was buried in Donegal.

**SEASON OF LENT:** As part of our Lenten Observance there will be a Mass at 6pm every *Wednesday* during Lent in Lyreacrompane. On the *Thursdays* of Lent there will be the traditional Stations of the Cross in Duagh at 7pm. Please strive to make these extra devotions part of your Lenten Observance.

**BOOKING OF MASSES / BAPTISMS / MARRIAGES /CERTS/ ETC FOR THE PARISH**: You may do them in two ways: Book directly with the Parish Office during Office hours on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday from 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Alternatively, book online by sending an email to: [duagh@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:duagh@dioceseofkerry.ie) and the Office can be in touch.

**Adoration of the Blessed SACRAMENT:** Takes place each Friday in the Sacristy in Duagh Church from 3.00 pm in the afternoon. Public Rosary starts at 7.00 pm Mass starts at 7:30 pm.

**COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND IN THE PARISH:** Should anybody require a priest to call to the Sick or Housebound at their home feel free to contact Fr. Jack at 087-1027961 or contact Fr. Declan in Listowel at 068-21188. Either one is only too happy to call to you. Thanks

**DIOCESAN COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND:** is for the ***Emigrant Services***. It will take place after Holy Communion on St. Patrick’s Day. Thank you.

**FURTHER UPDATE ON LISTOWEL PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO ASSISI, SAN GIOVANNI & ROME:** Led by Fr. Declan.

A bus will leave Listowel on ***Friday, 18th October to Friday, October 25th, 2024,*** and go direct flight ex Cork Airport. ***Only two seats left now***. Should anybody be interested contact directly at Barters Travelnet, Cork. 021 4851700 or email: [info@travelnet.ie](mailto:info@travelnet.ie) Ask for Karen.

**KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA**: Led by Fr. Noel Spring – Travel Date: 10th – 15th May 2024. 4 Star Hoel Fatima Group Leader Maureen Harty: 066-7131328 Should anybody be interested contact directly at Barters Travelnet, Cork. 021 4851700 or email Karen [kcallaghan@travelnet.ie](mailto:kcallaghan@travelnet.ie)

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**LISTOWEL BLOOD DONATION CLINIC:** Will take place at the Listowel Arms Hotel on Monday 11th & Tuesday 12th March 2024 4.50 pm – 8.10 pm. Please   
Phone 1800 222 111 for appointment. New Donors welcome. Blood donation saves lives. The hospitals requirement for blood is now 6% higher than for the corresponding period last year.

**BALLYBUNION SEA & CLIFF RESCUE SERVICE:** Wish to thank, those who contributed to our recent Church gate collection in Duagh & Lyre on Feb 24th & 25th. Your generosity and continued support are greatly appreciated.

**KERRY COLLEGE LISTOWEL:** The following evening courses in Listowel will be held every Monday and Tuesday from 6.30pm to 9.30pm and they are: **Animal Grooming / Care Skills Drawing (Art, Craft & Design) / Digital Marketing Digital Photography / Payroll / Person Centred Focus on Disability / Train the Trainer.** You may sign up for any of the above courses through the following FETCH website link:  <https://www.fetchcourses.ie/>

***NEWSLETTER:*** *Please take your Newsletter home with you.*

***Any Notices for our Parish Newsletter – please contact the office by***

***Wednesday at 12.00 noon before it goes to print.***