

NEWSLETTER for LIXNAW / IRREMORE / RATHEA week beginning 4th October 2026.

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Pray for Maureen O'Donoghue, Garrynagore. (R.I.P).

Pray for Paul Wallace, Ballinageragh whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Masses:

Lixnaw:	Saturday, 3 rd October at 7.30pm	- Mark Allen, Ahabeg West. - Bernadette Dillane Leen & her parents, Moss & Catherine, Tralee & Lixnaw. - Kevin Molyneaux (Jnr.), Dysert.
Irremore:	Sunday, 4 th October at 11.00am	- Tim McElligott, Tournageehy.
Lixnaw:	Saturday, 10 th October at 7.30pm	- Margaret & PJ Hunt, Ballygarrett.
Rathea:	Sunday, 11 th October at 9.30am	- Gerald Barry, Tournageehy. - Owen Fogarty & deceased members of the Fogarty Family.
Irremore:	Sunday, 11 th October at 11.00am	- Doreen & Jeremiah Finnerty & deceased family members, Banemore.

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

Webcam: You can join the Mass in Irremore on irremorechurch.com and Lixnaw through www.churchcamlive.ie

Rosary: During the month of October, the Rosary will be recited every Tuesday evening at 6.30pm at Rathea Church beginning on Tuesday, 6th.

St. Michael's Well: We celebrated St. Michael's Day on Tuesday last 29th September, it was a very wet and windy day. Everyone associated with the Well would like to thank everybody for coming. Our local parishioners also those who came from other parishes and other counties, the school children from Scoil Mhuire de Lourdes, teachers and all the staff. Thanks to Fr. Anthony for celebrating the Mass at midday at the Well also Mary the sacristan; Gerald who read; Tony on the PA system. Thanks to all who served refreshments. Those who manned traffic on a busy road and the parking in the field and yard. Thanks also to the McElligott family for allowing parking on their land. As the weather deteriorated in the evening, we had the 7.30pm Mass in St. Michael's Church and afterwards many people visited the Holy Well. Thanks also to Gerard, Mitchell and Brendan for all their help.

University Hospital Kerry – Open Invitation – Annual Remembrance Service: for parents and their families who have lost a baby through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, fetal anomaly, stillbirth or neonatal death. The service will be held in the Hospital Chapel of Christ the Healer on Sunday, 11th October 2026 at 2.30pm. Light refreshments will be served afterwards.

St. Michael's Basketball Club: is delighted to continue its Mothers & Others social group, which takes place every Tuesday night in Lixnaw Community Centre. A great way to get active, improve fitness while having fun and make new friendships over the winter months. For further information, please contact Sophie on 087-4645534 or Tara on 086-8386061.

The Irish Synodal Pathway: has printed the working document containing the proposals to be voted on at the National Synodal Gathering on the 17th October. To read the document and share your thoughts on these proposals please visit <https://www.dioceseofkerry.ie/natsyn/>

Memory Lane Theatre: presents 'A tribute to Sigerson Clifford' at the Ceolann Cultural Centre on Sunday, 11th October at 7pm. €15 cash only. Contact Kathleen on (087) 6289635.

FINUGE 500: Congratulations to Bridie Carroll our September winner of €500. The October draw will include 500 litres of free home heating oil sponsored by McElligott Oils of Asdee, along with the usual €500. Discount also available from Macoil, if you tell them Finuge GAA sent you. Tickets available from Foleys, Stacks, Post Office, JJ Walsh Meats, McCarthys Bar & Jet O'Carrolls Bar, Listowel.

Priests on Duty:

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday:	Fr. Declan O'Connor	(087) 090 8949
Thursday, Friday & Saturday:	Fr. Brendan Walsh	(087) 791 3271

Priest on Duty: Fr. Jerry Keane, Abbeydorney. (087) 2844 649. Emergencies only.