



St. Colman's Parish
Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time
15th /16th January 2022

This week we are at a wedding in Cana where Jesus reveals Divine power by transforming water into wine. The Bible begins with one wedding, that of Adam and Eve in the garden (Gn 2:23-24), and ends with another, the marriage supper of the Lamb (Rv 19:9, 21:9, 22:17). At Cana, Jesus also blesses human marriage, perhaps at that moment instituting the Sacrament of Matrimony. Throughout the Bible, marriage is the symbol of the Covenant relationship between God and His chosen people. God is the faithful Bridegroom and humanity is His beloved bride. Let us pray for God's daily miracles in our families.

“Make sure you invite Jesus and Mary!”

Johnny Carson (who hosted the *Tonight Show* for 30 years), was interviewing an eight-year-old boy one night. The young man was asked to appear on the *Late Show* because he had rescued two friends from a coal mine outside his hometown in West Virginia. As Johnny questioned him, it became apparent that the boy was a Christian. Johnny asked him if he attended Sunday School. When the boy said he did, Johnny inquired, “What are you learning in Sunday School?” “Last week,” the boy replied, “our lesson was about how Jesus went to a wedding and turned water into wine.” The audience burst into laughter and applause. Keeping a straight face, Johnny asked, “And what did you learn from that story?” The boy squirmed in his chair. It was apparent he hadn't thought about this. But then he lifted up his face and said, “If you're going to have a wedding, make sure you invite Jesus and Mary!”

And that is precisely the message of this weekend's Gospel: make sure you invite Jesus and Mary wherever you live and wherever you go – they are the only ones you'll ever need. In other words, our Gospel lesson is about the sufficiency of Jesus in our lives and the power of Jesus' Mother's intercession.

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Recent Death: Please pray for:

Mary Esther Daly, Knockavota
Joe Ryan Rockfield/Castleisland,
Eileen (Ellen) Horgan, Dalkey Park, Co Dublin/Milltown

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will resume this Wednesday
 Jan. 19th in Milltown Church from 4:00p.m. -7:00p.m.**

Masses & Intentions

Mon. Jan 17 th			<i>No Mass</i>
Tues. Jan. 18 th	Listry	7:00 p.m.	<i>Dan & Mary McCarthy, Lissivane West</i>
Wednes 19 th Jan	Milltown	10:00 a.m.	
Thurs Jan. 20 th			<i>No Mass</i>
Fri. Jan. 21 st	Milltown	7:00 p.m.	<i>Peggy Leane, Kilburn</i>
Sat. Jan. 22 nd	Listry	6:00 p.m.	<i>Frances Twiss, Callinafercy</i>
Sun. Jan. 23 rd	Milltown	11:15 a.m.	<i>Bob Dan & Lizzie McKenna, The Cliff</i>

Eucharistic Ministers

Listry Saturday 22nd Jan Margaret Gallagher
Milltown Sunday 23rd Jan Anna Clifford

Readers

Listry Saturday 22nd Tom O' Sullivan
Milltown Sunday 23rd Turlough O' Brien

Mass is broadcast on 106fm, and all Weekend Masses will be streamed online via www.milltownlistryparish.com or churchmediatv.ie. The webcam in Milltown and Listry church captures images of individuals who sit in the first two seats of the church. Please sit in another part of the Church if you do not wish your image to be broadcast in this way.

Last weekend's collection - €800.00
Thank you for your generous and continuing support

Register for Mission 2022: Join the diocesan online Mission from Jan 16th – 19th. Each day, you are invited to join in the Mission talk, Prayer, Mass, Reflection, Prayer Petition and Family Time. Speakers include Oisín McConville, Kate Liffey, Fr Sean McDonagh and Miriam Kerins Hussey. Register for the upcoming Mission, *Moving Forward in Hope*, on www.dioceseofkerry.ie The Mission Booklet is available in Milltown and Listry Church. Please feel free to take one.

Job Vacancy: St John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Killarney, Co. Kerry invites applications for the position of a Part Time Secretary. The role will involve general secretarial duties. Experience required in Microsoft Office and general office duties. Application for the position by cover letter and CV, in confidence, to diocesanpastoralcentre@dioceseofkerry.org Closing date for applications is 5 pm on Wednesday Jan 26th. Interviews will be held during week commencing Jan 31st. Garda Vetting will apply.

Winners in Parish Draw 2021

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| 1. Kevin O' Shea Lissivane | 26. Sheila O' Shea Doonikane |
| 2. Anthony Mahony, Killorglin | 27. Eileen Robert, Callinafercy |
| 3. Dara Tangney, Listry | 28. Owen O' Shea, Ballyoughtragh |
| 4. Kate & Cora O' Connell | 29. James O' Dowd |
| 5. Jack Kearin, Milltown | 30. Tony Darmody, Faha |
| 6. Jer Hogan, Listry | 31. Caoimhe O' Brien, Milltown |
| 7. John Courtney, Rockfield | 32. Fionn Quirke, Farran |
| 8. Kathleen Wall, Lahard | 33. Pat O' Sullivan |
| 9. Connie Hayes, Milltown | 34. Kathleen Hobbins, Listry |
| 10. Denis & Joan Murphy | 35. Christy Scully, Listry |
| 11. Margaret O' Sullivan, Faha | 36. Bark Buckley, Listry |
| 12. Nathan Howe - Rockfield | 37. James Murphy, Listry |
| 13. Ml. Spillane, Culleeneymore | 38. Michelle O' Sullivan, Listry |
| 14. James O' Shea, Callinafercy | 39. Noreen Nolan, Listry Cross |
| 15. Brendan Twiss, Callinafercy | 40. Josephine O Connor Knockreigh |
| 16. Alice Murphy | 41. Dylan Lanigan, Kilkenny |
| 17. O' Donnell Family, Faha | 42. Mary Kennedy, Listry |
| 18. Ml. & Marie Slattery, Milltown | 43. Patricia Kneafsey, Killarney Rd |
| 19. Catherine Brick, Woodville | |
| 20. Sinead Coakley Riordan, Laharn | |
| 21. Deirdre Corkery, Farranmanagh | |
| 22. Declan Spillane - Listry | |
| 23. Clodagh Sparling - Listry | |
| 24. Julie Brosnan - Rockfield | |
| 25. Mary Aspell, Corpus Christi | |

Parish Draw Sponsors 2021

Flynn's Funeral Home	Kerry Petroleum
O'Doherty's Pharmacy	Southwest Marine Ltd
Milltown GAA	Listry GAA
Martin & Sheila O'Sullivan	Spar Shop Milltown
Jerry Fleming Cleaning	Top Shop, Milltown
Alma's Take-Away	Tom Galvin Acct.
Milltown Credit Union	Sayer's Insurance
Murphy's Foodstore	Kerry Woollen Mills
Larkin's Bar	Eamon & Seamus Hobbins
O'Shea's Bar	Bleachfield Bistro
Cronin's Shop Castlemaine	Listry Community Council
Mid Kerry Mart	Jones' Eurospar Killorglin
James Daly Accountant	Kenny O'Neill
Killorglin Tyre Centre	Little Pavillion
Burke's Butchers	Mangan Bros. Garage
Tangney's Options	Mr. Kebab
Andrew Pigott	Ashborough Lodge
Eamon Sheahan Butchers	Kerry Agribusiness
Marion's Hair Salon	Boyles Hardware
Griffins Bar Castlemaine	Faha Court
Brian Flannery	Francis Flynn
DanJoe O'Sullivan	Paul O'Donoghue Plumber
John Flynn- Digger	

A very sincere word of thanks to the Fundraising Committee. It is a difficult task, but the organising committee bring an enthusiasm and dedication to the task that is inspirational. I deeply appreciate their effort and we should all be grateful to them for their work.

Also, I would like to thank all our sponsors. Their generosity and continued support through the years is much appreciated. Finally, a big thank you to everyone who has bought tickets in support of parish funds. The total amount of profit raised in the Parish Draw was €7,645.00

Fr. Danny

Please continue to adhere to the following Covid19 Guidelines

- Sanitise your hands - on entering and leaving the church
- Keep a safe distance from others who may be in the church
- Wear a mask whilst in the church.

The dispensation from attending Mass on Sundays and Holydays remains in place until further notice. This means you may attend Mass on any day during the week to fulfil your obligation.

Priest on Duty this Sunday:

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